



## **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

Between:

**HEAVENLY CULTURE, WORLD PEACE,  
RESTORATION OF LIGHT**

And

**KNOWLEDGE UNIVERSITY - ERBIL**

## **I. BACKGROUND**

This Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”) is entered into between Heavenly Culture, World Peace, Restoration of Light (“HWPL”) and Knowledge University Erbil (“Party B”), hereinafter jointly referred to as “the Parties.” This MOU is to establish a framework of cooperation between the Parties in achieving cessation of war and spreading a culture of peace through activities that raise awareness of peace, stated in Article 10 of the Declaration of Peace and Cessation of War that HWPL drafted.

## **II PARTIES**

1. HWPL is a non-governmental organization registered with the Seoul Metropolitan Government of the Republic of Korea. It is associated with the UN Department of Global Communications (DGC) and in Special Consultative Status with the UN Economic and Social Council (ECOSOC). By transcending national borders, ideologies, ethnicities, and religion, HWPL aims to engage leaders of all walks of life and civil society including youth in seeking sustainable and comprehensive solutions for peace.
2. KNU, Knowledge University-Erbil ( <https://www.knu.edu.iq> ) is a private higher education institute, located in Erbil, Kurdistan Region of Iraq. It was established on September 2009. The University is licensed by the Ministry of Higher Education & Scientific Research of both Kurdistan Region and of Iraq. KNU is a comprehensive university consist of nine colleges which all together hold some 23 departments with over 3500 undergraduate students. KNU holds International Accreditation from ASIC-UK. It aims to create a remarkable development in the educational background of students focused on deep technical knowledge; high education quality; real problem solving experience; and achieving leadership capability with self- confidence.

## **III PURPOSE & SCOPE**

3. The purpose of this MOU is to establish a framework of understanding between the Parties in order to carry out HWPL peace projects together with Party B with the aim of achieving a common purpose.
4. The purpose of this MOU is to ensure a close cooperative relationship between the Parties to provide the HWPL peace education to students of Party B based on mutual respect and trust.

## **IV AGREEMENT**

5. HWPL
  - A. HWPL shall provide education materials for the operation of the peace education.
  - B. HWPL shall provide appropriate training for the peace education officers and teachers.
6. Target school principal(s)
  - A. They shall provide basic infrastructure for the operation of the peace education.
  - B. They shall hold all authorities and responsibilities in implementing the education as supervisors who oversee the peace education.
  - C. They shall designate teachers to be in charge of providing the peace education.
7. Implementation period of each activity shall be determined under negotiations between the Parties.

## **V TERMS OF UNDERSTANDING**

8. Effective Date: This MOU will be effective from the date following the day on which the agreement is signed.
9. Duration: The MOU shall be in force until the Parties agree to terminate it in writing.
10. Modification: The MOU may be modified or amended by written agreement between the Parties. Any changes, modifications, revisions or amendments to this MOU which are mutually agreed upon by and between the parties to this MOU shall be incorporated by written instrument, and effective when executed and signed by both Parties to this MOU.
11. Termination: Each Party shall have the right to terminate the MOU by giving a three month's written notice to the other Party at any time. If the MOU is terminated by either Party, steps shall be taken to ensure that the termination does not affect any prior obligation, project or activity already in progress.

## **VI CONFIDENTIALITY**

12. The Parties shall treat as confidential all confidential information obtained by the Parties in connection with the MOU and agree to not divulge any information to any other person.

## **VII REPORTING**

13. The principal(s) or peace education officers have the duty to report operating processes and results of the HWPL peace education to HWPL after each class.

## **VIII FINANCE**

14. The Parties agree that the HWPL headquarters has no financial duty towards the operation of the peace education.

## **IX SIGNATURE**

15. The Parties indicate their agreement with this MOU by their signature.

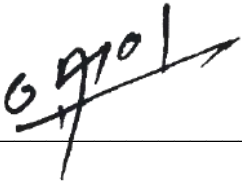
**SIGNED FOR AND ON BEHALF OF HWPL**

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Representative's Name

\_\_\_\_ Lee Man Hee \_\_\_\_

Representative's Signature

  
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**SIGNED FOR AND ON BEHALF OF KNOWLEDGE UNIVERSITY**

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Representative's Name

\_\_\_\_ Prof. Dr. Ahmed Anwar Dezaye \_\_\_\_

Representative's Signature

  
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