

**Mitteilungen der
Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen**Ausgabe vom
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Memorandum of Understanding – Keio University, Japan

**Memorandum of Understanding
between
Keio University Shonan Fujisawa Campus
and
Justus Liebig University Giessen, Germany***Version information:*

	President	Promulgation
Memorandum of Understanding	12.02.2014	15.05.2019

Keio University Shonan Fujisawa Campus and Justus Liebig University Giessen, Germany, mutually declare as partners of this memorandum that:

Both parties agree that scientific collaboration, cultural exchange, joint research and other types of academic cooperation would be beneficial to both parties.

Both partners regard the following areas of collaboration as desirable and realistic:

1. collaboration within the frame of joint research projects;
2. exchange of students and academic staff;
3. networking for a sustainable collaboration between the universities;
4. mutual support for preparation of seminars, conferences, and working groups;
5. exchange of academic and scientific publications, documents and other information.

The aim of this collaboration is to promote international cooperation in research and teaching, as well as the development of joint projects between Keio University Shonan Fujisawa Campus and Justus Liebig University Giessen.

Both parties are aware that this memorandum is not a formal legal contract and does not create any legally binding obligations or commitments. This memorandum is an expression and documentation of mutual intentions of promotion of education and research collaboration.

The conditions of specific areas of collaboration are a matter of further consideration and need the written consent or exchange of agreements in case of joint research projects between both parties before individual activities are started.

Each single project will be jointly decided upon and depends on the availability of funds and the consent of both parties.

This MOU shall become effective from the day the representatives of both parties affix their signatures to the MOU and will remain in force for a period of five years. This MOU may be revised through the mutual agreement of both parties and may be terminated by either party upon giving six months written notice signed by the presiding officer of the notifying party.

In witness to this MOU, the following individuals append their signatures:

Keio University SFC
Prof. Hideyuki Tokuda
Dean
Graduate School of Media and Governance

Justus Liebig University Giessen
Prof. Dr. Joybrato Mukherjee
President
12.02.2014