



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING TO ESTABLISH A DUAL DEGREE PROGRAM BETWEEN TRANSNATIONAL LAW AND BUSINESS UNIVERSITY & TEMPLE UNIVERSITY – OF THE COMMONWEALTH SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

Transnational Law and Business University, in Goyang-si, Gyeonggi-do, South Korea (hereafter, “TLBU”), and Temple University - of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education, on behalf of its Beasley School of Law, in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (hereafter, “Temple”) hereby wish to establish a concurrent Master of Law/LL.M. degree program whereby TLBU students study one year at TLBU and one year at Temple and graduate with an LL.M. degree from Temple and the Master of Laws degree from TLBU.

Although nothing in this Memorandum of Understanding (hereafter, “MOU”) is legally binding, both parties wish to develop a mutually beneficial partnership. TLBU and Temple acknowledge that this document is an expression of intent to develop academic and educational collaboration, and neither TLBU nor Temple shall bear any liability or incur any obligation hereunder.

**(1) Purpose**

The purpose of this MOU is to further mutual understanding between TLBU and Temple, and to enhance each institution’s teaching, learning, and internationalization objectives. This MOU establishes a dual LL.M. degree program, whereby TLBU students may apply credits earned in the Temple LL.M. toward their TLBU Master of Law and graduate with a degree from both schools.

**(2) Establishment of Concurrent Degree Program**

By virtue of this MOU, the parties establish a 1 + 1 dual degree program. TLBU students will spend their first academic year studying at TLBU and their second academic year studying at Temple. In their second year, these students must earn at least 24 credits in order to obtain the Temple LL.M. for Foreign-Trained Lawyers. TLBU will recognize the credits earned at Temple toward the TLBU Master of Law Degree. The following terms will govern this 1 + 1 degree program:

- (a) *Admissions*: Selection of a candidate by TLBU is not a guarantee that the candidate will be granted admission to Temple’s LL.M. program. Final decisions will be solely at the discretion of Temple. Admissions requirements are posted on Temple’s website: [www.law.temple.edu/FLLM](http://www.law.temple.edu/FLLM). Students from TLBU must have completed a bachelor of laws (LL.B.) degree to be eligible for admission to the Temple LL.M. program. Temple will give every favorable consideration in considering admission for qualified TLBU students. If a student does not meet Temple’s English

language requirements for the LL.M. before commencing his study at TLBU, but is otherwise qualified, that student may be conditionally admitted. Conditionally admitted students will be required to demonstrate English proficiency, in accordance with Temple's standards, 3 months in advance of the intended start date of his first LL.M. semester. Conditionally admitted students whose English score is still below Temple's minimums may be required to enroll in Intensive English courses before enrolling in the LL.M. at Temple.

- (b) *Tuition and Scholarships*: Students will pay tuition directly to Temple while enrolled in the Temple LL.M. program. Temple will provide a 20% scholarship to each student. Tuition rates in any given year are posted on Temple's web site, [www.law.temple.edu](http://www.law.temple.edu). TLBU may offer additional financial assistance, at their discretion and paid by TLBU, to any individual student.
- (c) *Number of Students*: There is no limit on the number of students from TLBU who can participate in this program. In the event the number of students participating in the program exceeds five students per year for three consecutive years, Temple may offer additional tuition scholarships.
- (d) *Academic Credit and Final Transcript*: TLBU will recognize credits earned at Temple as part of their TLBU graduate degree program, and Temple will issue official transcripts.
- (e) *Health Insurance*: The students visiting Temple must have comprehensive health insurance valid for coverage in the United States for the entire length of stay for the study abroad period. All study abroad students must provide a copy of such coverage as part of the F-1 student visa application process. Students can satisfy this requirement by (i) enrolling in one of the student health insurance group plans offered through Temple University Human Resources benefits office or (ii) submitting a waiver of the student health insurance group plan with valid alternate U.S. health insurance coverage that meets the minimum U.S. Department of State standards.
- (f) *Housing*: Students are responsible for arranging their own housing.
- (g) *Immigration*: TLBU students shall meet all U.S. immigration requirements, including where appropriate, arrangements for their family members and dependents. Students shall ensure that they keep their host institution fully informed of their movements and their contact details during their period of study.

### **(3) Use of Names, Logos and Promotional Materials**

- (a) Temple shall retain sole right to use the name Temple University and Temple University Beasley School of Law, the seal of Temple University and any other trademarks, logos, and other indicia associated with Temple, and no license or right to use such indicia is granted hereby.
- (b) TLBU shall retain sole right to use the name TLBU, the seal of TLBU, and any other trademarks, logos, and other indicia associated with TLBU, and no license or right to use such indicia is granted hereby.

(c) Both parties will ensure that the other party must first clear all official public statements, including statements to the media or articles relating to their joint activities, prior to release or publication.

**(4) Commencement and Duration of the Agreement; Amendments**

(a) This MOU shall remain in effect from the date of the latest signature for an initial period of five years and shall be renewed if both parties agree in writing at least 6 months before the expiration date and absent an objection from other party set forth in paragraph b, below.

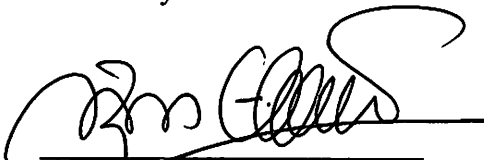
(b) Either institution may, at any time, terminate the MOU by giving six months prior written notice to the other institution. In the event that either party terminates the MOU, both institutions shall honor the terms of the MOU for students whose study has been approved prior to termination, as if the MOU remained in force for the period of study.

(c) This MOU may be modified solely through the mutual discussion and consent of the two organizations.

(d) This MOU supersedes and replaces any other agreements between the parties.

In witness of the terms of this MOU our signatures are affixed:

On behalf of Transnational Law and Business University:



Monirith Tola  
Executive Manager of the TLBU Foundation

On behalf of Temple University - Of the Commonwealth System of Higher Education:



Jaison G. Kurichi  
Associate Vice President for Budget

Date: 01/05/2021

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