

### MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING



#### **BETWEEN**

# Berufliches Schulzentrum Waldkirch AND Shu-Te University

The Berufliches Schulzentrum Waldkirch, Germany, and Shu-Te University, Taiwan, wishing to establish cooperative relations between the two schools, especially to develop academic and cultural interchange between the two institutions in education, research, and other areas, agree to the following provisions:

#### Area

Subject to mutual consent, the area of cooperation includes educational programs, vocational training, and student exchange initiatives offered at either institutions, in which the two institutions believe cooperation is feasible and desirable, and which would contribute to fostering and developing a mutually beneficial relationship between the two institutions.

#### Methods

Subject to the approval of the President or Dean of each institution and the availability of funds, assistance shall be carried out through any one or more of the following activities or Graduate and Undergraduate programs, or others currently not included in this list as mutually agreed to by the parties:

- 1) Faculty and Staff Exchanges
- 2) Joint research activities
- 3) Participation in seminars and academic meetings
- 4) Exchange of academic materials and other information
- 5) Student Exchange Program
- 6) Special short-term academic programs during and outside term-time (e.g., summer programs)
- 7) Internship and workplace learning opportunities
- 8) Technical and vocational education collaboration

The terms of such activities and the budget shall be mutually discussed and agreed upon in writing and signed by both parties prior to the initiation of any particular program or activity. Each program or activity shall be negotiated on an annual basis. Each institutions will designate a liaison office to develop and coordinate specific activities and programs.

## Effective Date and Length of Agreement

This agreement will remain in force for a period of 5 years (subject to the availability of funds). Any amendment and/or modification of this agreement requires written approval of the President/Dean of each institution and shall be appended hereto. If both parties have no objections, this agreement will automatically renew for successive five-year terms. This agreement shall become effective immediately upon its being signed by the approved parties of both institutions.

Approved:

OStD'in Barbara Berhorst

Principal

Berufliches Schulzentrum Waldkirch, Germany

Date: 6 March 2025

Dr. Jau-Shyong Wang

President

Shu-Te University, Taiwan

Date: 6 March 2025