

SOUTH DAKOTA BOARD OF REGENTS

Academic and Student Affairs
Consent

AGENDA ITEM: 5 – I
DATE: May 10, 2022

SUBJECT

Agreement on Academic Cooperation – SDSU

CONTROLLING STATUTE, RULE, OR POLICY

[BOR Policy 5:3](#) – Agreements and Contracts

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION

BOR Policy 5:3 requires board action on a range of items including “Affiliative agreements and other agreements that provide for joint sponsorship of educational programing for which credit shall be awarded.” To comply with this requirement, South Dakota State University (SDSU) seeks approval to enter into an agreement on academic cooperation with Vietnam National University of Agriculture (VNUA), Vietnam.

IMPACT AND RECOMMENDATION

This agreement will assist in facilitating collaborative opportunities between the two universities. The agreement may result in the opportunity for joint research, faculty collaboration and potential faculty/student exchange. Additional joint activities, such as student or faculty exchange, will require the execution of a separate agreement.

Board staff recommends approval.

ATTACHMENTS

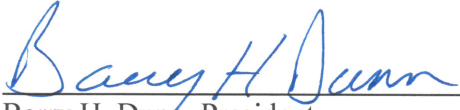
Attachment I – Agreement on Academic Cooperation: Vietnam National University of Agriculture

DRAFT MOTION 20220510_5-I:

I move to approve South Dakota State University’s agreement on academic cooperation with Vietnam National University of Agriculture, as presented.


Dakota. If for any reason the Legislature fails to appropriate or grant expenditure authority or if funds become unavailable by operation of law or federal funds reductions, this agreement will be terminated by the State. Termination for any of these reasons is not a default by the State nor does it give rise to a claim against the State.

In the spirit of international friendship and cooperation, we hereby set our signatures:
for South Dakota State University for Vietnam National University of Agriculture



Barry H. Dunn, President

Nguyen Thi Lan, President



Date:

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