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ANNEX 2 New UNU Agreements in 2002

- A six-year Extension of the Agreement between the United Nations University, the Iceland Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Marine Research Institute regarding UNU/FTP

- An Agreement between UNU/INWEH and the Government of Malawi to collaborate in the establishment of the “African Center for Aquatic Research and Education” (ACARE)


- An International Partnership Agreement between the United Nations University and the Graduate School of International Management, Aoyama Gakuin University, on cooperation in research and education

- A Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University and the Third World Network of Scientific Organizations (TWNSO) to coordinate their work and to strengthen cooperation

- A General Agreement of Cooperation between the United Nations University and the Asian-African Legal Consultative Organization in areas of mutual interest

- An Exchange of Letters between the United Nations University and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science (JSPS) concerning the UNU-JSPS Postdoctoral Fellowship Programme

- A General Agreement of Cooperation between the United Nations University and the Institute for Political and International Studies of the Islamic Republic of Iran for exchange and cooperation in the field of research

- An Agreement for a promotional tie-in between the United Nations University and the Financial Times

- A Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University and the Regional Office for Japan and Republic of Korea of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) concerning cooperation in the hosting and maintenance of a UNHCR Japanese website

- A Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University, the Federal Ministry for Education and Research of Germany, the North Rhine Westphalian Ministry of Education, Science and Research, and the City of Bonn concerning the establishment of the proposed UNU Research and Training Centre (the UNU Institute for Environment and Human Security)

- A Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University and the University of Port Harcourt to coordinate work and to strengthen cooperation in areas of common interest

- An Agreement between the United Nations University and the Asia/Pacific Cultural Centre for UNESCO regarding the “ACCU Invitation Programme for International Educational Exchange of Teachers and Professionals”

- A General Agreement of Cooperation between the United Nations University and the Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology to promote cooperation in academic fields of mutual interest

- A Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University, the Government of Norway and the United Nations Environment Programme to jointly set up and implement the Global Virtual University

- An Agreement between the United Nations University and Kirin Brewery Company of Japan renewing funding for an additional five years of the UNU-Kirin Fellowship Programme to train researchers from developing countries at the National Food Research Institute

- A General Memorandum of Understanding between UNU/IAS and the International Plant Genetic Resources Institute (IPGRI) on cooperation in the area of plant genetic resources and biodiversity conservation and utilization

- A Memorandum of Understanding between UNU/IAS and ASEAN to strengthen coordination, cooperation and exchange of knowledge, and to promote research on the programmes and activities of each and on emerging sustainable development issues
• An Extension of the Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University and the Kwangju Institute of Science and Technology to continue work on the Pilot Programme on Science and Technology for Sustainability

• A Memorandum of Agreement between the United Nations University and the Institute for Global Environmental Strategies (IGES) on support for the research activities of a Visiting Fellow at UNU/IAS

• A Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University and the Florida Center for Environmental Studies (CES) to pursue opportunities for research, training and diffusion of wetland science to foster understanding about the Florida Everglades and South American Pantanal

• A Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University and the Third World Academy of Science (TWAS), the African Academy of Sciences, and Tropical Soil Biology and Fertility of CIAT regarding partnerships in the work on UNU/INRA

• A Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University and the United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) concerning UNU’s administrative support and services to the operation of the OCHA Kobe Office

• A Memorandum of Agreement between the United Nations University and the United Nations Development Programme Tokyo for Depositing Office Publications/Reports at the UNU Library

• A Memorandum of Understanding between the United Nations University and the Government of Cameroon to implement a series of research, training and education programmes in cooperation with universities and research institutions in Cameroon
ANNEX 3 Other Partners (non-UN)

- Academic Council on the United Nations System (ACUNS)
- African Economic Research Consortium (AERC)
- African Committee for Research in Computer Science (CARI)
- Africare
- African Network of Scientific and Technological Institutions (ANSTI)
- Aga Khan Foundation
- Al Azhar University, Egypt
- American University of Sharjah, UAE
- Anna University, India
- Annamalai University, India
- Arab Gulf Programme for United Nations Development Organizations (AGFUND)
- Asia-Pacific Network for Global Change Research
- Association of African Universities (AAU)
- Association of Southeast Asian Nations (ASEAN)
- Australian National University
- Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET)
- Canadian International Development Agency
- Central Food Technological Research Institute (CFTRI), India
- Centro de Investigación de Estudios Avanzados del I.P.N. (CINVESTAV), Mexico
- Chinese Academy of Sciences (CAS)
- City University of Hong Kong
- Coastal Zone Management Institute, Belize (CZMI)
- Columbia University, USA
- Council of European Professional Informatics Societies (CEPIS)
- Consultative Group on International Agricultural Research (CGIAR)
- Cornell University, USA
- Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR)
- Dutch Network for Innovation Studies
- Dutch Research School on Development (CERES)
- Eindhoven University of Technology, The Netherlands
- European Centre for Development Policy Management (ECDPM)
- Environmental Education and Training Institute (EETINA), Mexico
- Erasmus University, The Netherlands
- European Association of Development Research and Training Institutes (EADI)
- European Commission
- European Union
- European Forest Institute (EFI)

- Foundation for International Environmental Law and Development (FIELD), UK
- Global Change System for Analysis, Research and Training (START)
- Global Development Network (GDN)
- Global Legislators Organization for a Balanced Environment (GLOBE)
- Harvard University, USA
- Icelandic Fisheries Industries
- Icelandic Fisheries Laboratories
- Indian Institute of Technology, India
- Institute of Nutrition of Central America and Panama (INCAP), Guatemala
- Institute of Nutrition, University of Chile
- Institute of Public Health, Yugoslavia
- Institute of Social Studies, The Netherlands
- Institut des Régions Arides (IRA) in Tunisia
- Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas Espaciais, Brazil
- International Association of Universities
- International Association of University Presidents (IAUP)
- International Centre for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas (ICARDA)
- International Centre for Research in Agro-Forestry (ICRAF)
- International Council for Science (ICSU)
- International Development Research Centre (IDRC), Canada
- International Economic Association
- International Fertilizer Development Center (IFDC)
- International Foundation for Science (IFS)
- International Geographical Union (IGU)
- International Geothermal Association
- International Institute of Tropical Agriculture (IITA)
- International Mountain Society (IMS)
- International Peace Research Association
- International Plant Genetic Resources Institute, Italy
- International Soil Reference and Information Centre (ISRIC)
- International Union of Nutritional Sciences (IUNS), The Netherlands
- Islamic University of Palestine
- Italian Centre for International Associations (CIAI)
- Japan Association for United Nations Studies
- Kawanda Agricultural Research Institute, Uganda
- King Saud University, Saudi Arabia
- Kirin Brewery Company, Limited, Japan
- Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, Ghana
• Kwangju Institute of Science and Technology, Republic of Korea
• Lake Victoria Fisheries Organization (LVFO), Uganda
• Mahidol University, Thailand
• Marine Research Institute, Iceland
• Najah National University, Palestine
• Nanjing Institute of Meteorology, China
• National Academy of Sciences, Egypt
• National Agricultural Research Organization, Uganda
• National Energy Authority, Iceland
• National Food Research Institute (NFRI), Japan
• National Institute for Public Health and the Environment, The Netherlands
• National Institute of Nutrition, Egypt
• National Institute of Nutrition, Italy
• National Water Research Institute, Canada
• Nestlé Foundation, Switzerland
• New Partnership for Africa’s Development (NEPAD)
• Nutrition Research and Development Centre, Indonesia
• Science Council of Asia
• Science Council of Japan
• Shimadzu Corporation, Japan
• SILVA Network
• Southern African Development Community (SADC)
• South Pacific Regional Environment Programme (SPREP)
• SPRU/IDS at University of Sussex, UK
• Swiss Agency for Development Cooperation
• Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (EPFL)
• Third World Academy of Sciences (TWAS)
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• Universidade Federal do Pará, Brazil
• University of Akureyri, Iceland
• University of Aalborg, Denmark
• University of Benin, Benin
• University of Capetown, South Africa
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• University of Ghent, Belgium
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• University of Iceland, Iceland
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• University of Lausanne, Switzerland
• University of Maastricht/MERIT, The Netherlands
• University of Macau, China
• University of Malawi, Malawi
• University of Malaysia, Malaysia
• University of Nairobi, Kenya

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• University of Twente, The Netherlands
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• Venezuelan Institute of Scientific Research
• Wageningen Agricultural University, The Netherlands
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ANNEX 5 Titles Published in 2002

UNU Publications


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Human Rights and Comparative Foreign Policy, edited by David P. Forsythe, UNU Press (reprint).


Who’s Hungry? And How Do We Know?: Food Shortage, Poverty, and Deprivation, by Laurie DeRose, Ellen Messer and Sara Millman, UNU Press (reprint).

Other Published Books Based on UNU Work or by UNU Staff


The Economics of Industrial Structure and Innovation Dynamics, edited by Anthony Bartzokas, Edward Elgar.


Globalization and the Quality of Foreign Direct Investment, by Nagesh Kumar, Oxford University Press.


Governing Globalization – Issues and Institutions, edited by Deepak Nayyar, Oxford University Press and OUP India.


Technological Revolutions and Financial Capital: The Dynamics of Bubbles and Golden Ages, by Carlota Perez, Edward Elgar.


Uniting Africa: Building Regional Security Systems, by David Francis, USA, Lynne Rienner.

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Water for Urban Areas: Challenges and Perspectives (Japanese), co-published with Shimizu Kobundo Shobo.

Water Management in Islam (Arabic), co-published with IDRC and Technical Publications (Lebanon).

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Chambers, William B., “UN Reform at the Regional Level is Key,” Environmental Change and Security Project, Woodrow Wilson International Center, August.


Chiurillo, M.A., A. Peralta and J.L. Ramírez, Comparative Study of Trypanosoma Rangeli and Trypanosoma Cruzi


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Thakur, Ramesh, “Intervention, Sovereignty and the Responsibility to Protect: Experiences from ICISS,”


Book Chapters


Discussion/Working Papers & Reports


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Adeel, Tabucanon, In-na, Thanomphan, Wattayakorn, Tsukamoto and Vongvisessomjai, “Capacity Development Needs in the Chao Phraya River Basin and the Gulf of Thailand,” UNU.


Fambon, Samuel, “Endettement du Cameroun: Problèmes


Puronas, V., “A Reservoir Model and Production Capacity Estimate for Cambrian Geothermal Reservoir in Kretinga,*
Lithuania, *UNU/GTP Report 11.*


Xu Youshi, “Assessment of Geothermal Resources in the Lishuiqiao Area, Beijing, China,” *UNU/GTP Report 17.*


Yildirim, N., “District Heating System Modelling for Iztech Campus, Turkey,” *UNU/GTP Report 18.*


Yin Lihe, “Assessment of Geothermal Resources in Xi’an, China,” *UNU/GTP Report 20.*


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Pathirana A. and S. Herath, “Treatment of Heterogeneity
In Spatial Downscaling Of Precipitation,” 4th International Summer Symposium of Japan Society of Civil Engineers, Aug.


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Boy, Brook, Jerry Velasquez and Uli Piest, “Interlinkages, National and Regional Approaches in Asia and the Pacific.”


Mani, Sunil and Keith Smith, “Technology Policy Issues at
the WTO,” *UNU/INTECH Technology Policy Brief 1*.

Mytelka, Lynn, “Biopharmaceuticals and Health,” *UNU/INTECH Technology Policy Brief 3*.


Nakayama, M., L. Janský and K. Furuyashiki, “International Water Systems Project of the United Nations University,” Disaster Prevention Research Institute, Kyoto University.


Velasquez, Jerry and Jong Malabed, “Inter-linkages in Financing Sustainable Development.”

Velasquez, Jerry, Uli Piest and Jacques Mougeot, “Inter-linkages, Pacific Islands Case Study.”


ANNEX 7

Members of the Council of the United Nations University for 2002

**Appointed Members**

Professor Elisabeth J. Croll (United Kingdom) (Chair of the Council), Head, Department of Development Studies, University of London, United Kingdom

Dr. Yoginder K. Alagh (India), Member of Parliament (Upper House), India; Vice-Chairman, Sardar Patel Institute of Economic and Social Research; and former Minister of State (Independent Charge) for Science and Technology and Power, Government of India

Professor Faizah M. Al-Kharafi (Kuwait), former President, Kuwait University, Safat, Kuwait

Professor Rafaa Ben Achour (Tunisia), former Secrétaire d’état auprès du ministre de l’éducation chargé de l’innovation pédagogique, Ministère de l’éducation, Tunis, Tunisia

Dr. Josep Bricall (Spain), former President, Conference of European Rectors (CRE) – Association of European Universities; and former Rector, Universidad de Barcelona, Spain

Professor Ana Maria Cetto (Mexico), Deputy Director-General and Head, Department of Technical Cooperation, International Atomic Energy Agency; and former Research Professor, Institute of Physics, National University of Mexico (UNAM), Mexico

Dr. Donald Gerth (United States), President, California State University, Sacramento, California, USA

H. E. Dr. Ahmad Jalali (Iran), Ambassador and Permanent Delegate of the Islamic Republic of Iran to UNESCO, Paris, France

Professor Peter H. Katjivivi (Namibia), Vice-Chancellor, University of Namibia, Windhoek, Namibia

Professor Aleksandra Kornhauser (Slovenia), Director, International Centre for Chemical Studies, University of Ljubljana, Slovenia

Professor Lin Quan (China), Secretary-General, Ministry of Science and Technology, Beijing, People’s Republic of China

Professor José Raymundo Martins Romeo (Brazil), Rector, Colégio do Brasil; former Rector and currently Professor of Physics, Universidade Federal Fluminense, Niteroi, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Professor Ahmadou Lamine Ndiaye (Senegal), former Ministre Conseiller spécial du Président de la République, Dakar; and former Rector, Université Gaston-Berger de Saint-Louis, Senegal

Dr. Dorothy L. Njeuma (Cameroon), Vice-Chancellor, University of Buea, Cameroon

**Professor Jocelyne Perard** (France), Centre de Recherches de Climatologie, Université de Bourgogne – UMR CNRS, Dijon, France

Dr. Jairam Reddy (South Africa), Independent Consultant in Higher Education; and former Vice-Chancellor, University of Durban, South Africa

Prof. Dr. Dagmar Schipanski (Germany), Minister of Science, Research and Art, Thüringer Ministerium für Wissenschaft Forschung und Kunst, Erfurt, Germany

Professor Wichit Sriraan (Thailand), former Rector, Suranaree University of Technology, Thailand

Professor Vappu Taipale (Finland), Director-General, National Research and Development Centre for Welfare and Health (STAKES), Helsinki, Finland

Professor François Thys-Clement (Belgium), Pro-Rector, Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium

Dr. Carlos Tünnemann Bernheim (Nicaragua), Consultant on Higher Education; and former Special Adviser to the Director-General of UNESCO for Latin America and the Caribbean, Managua, Nicaragua

Dr. Juan Vela Valdes (Cuba), Rector, Universidad de la Habana, Cuba

Prof. Dr. Lyudmila A. Verbitskaya (Russian Federation), Rector and Professor of Linguistics, Saint-Petersburg State University, St. Petersburg, Russian Federation

Ambassador Chusei Yamada (Japan), Member, International Law Commission of the United Nations; and former Professor of International Law, Faculty of Law, Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan

**UNU Rector**

Professor J. A. van Ginkel (The Netherlands)

**Ex Officio Members**

Mr. Koﬁ Annan (Ghana), Secretary-General, United Nations, New York, USA

Mr. Koichiro Matsuura (Japan), Director-General, United Nations Educational, Scientiﬁc and Cultural Organization, Paris, France

Dr. Marcel Boisard (Switzerland), Executive Director, United Nations Institute for Training and Research, Geneva, Switzerland
UNU International Institute for Software Technology (UNU/IIST), Macau, China (1992)

UNU/IIST helps developing countries strengthen capabilities and become self-reliant in three areas: the development of software, university-level software curriculum development, and participation in international software research. UNU/IIST also helps bridge gaps between theory and practice, university and industry, consumer and producer, and industrialized countries and developing ones. In its programme activities, UNU/IIST concentrates on advanced joint research and development, and on dissemination of public domain software and publications – all involving fellowships at UNU/IIST in Macau and with partners in developing countries.

UNU Institute for Natural Resources in Africa (UNU/INRA), Accra, Ghana, with a Mineral Resources Unit in Lusaka, Zambia (1990)

UNU/INRA is helping to rehabilitate Africa’s natural resources. Its main objectives are to strengthen African research institutions, mobilize scientists and technologists throughout the continent, and empower them with knowledge so that they can formulate self-reliant policy options. UNU/INRA’s activities focus on soil and water conservation and management, indigenous food crops and other useful plants, and mineral resource development.

UNU Institute of Advanced Studies (UNU/IAS), Tokyo, Japan (1996)

UNU/IAS is the University’s newest research and training centre. It develops original, forward-looking solutions to problems at the interface of societal and natural systems. Its research programme investigates three interlinked themes of environmentally sustainable development: eco-restructuring for sustainable development, mega-cities and urban development, and multilateralism and governance. It also has a postgraduate education programme offering Ph.D. fellowships and short training courses in the above three themes.

The University has two specialized programmes. One is the Programme for Biotechnology in Latin America and the Caribbean (UNU/BIOLAC), located in Caracas, Venezuela (1988), which develops and promotes biotechnology in the region. The other is the UNU International Network on Water, Environment and Health (UNU/INWEH), located in Hamilton, Canada (1996), which integrates international expertise into a programme of education, training, research and technology transfer on major issues that relate to water, environment and human health. The UNU also has the International Leadership Academy (UNU/ILA), located in Amman, Jordan (1995), to serve as a focal point for the exchange of information and experience among young future leaders of the world.

The UNU Food and Nutrition Programme for Human and Social Development focuses on capacity building in this area and is coordinated from Cornell University. Iceland serves as the base for two important UNU capacity-building initiatives for specialists from developing countries: a Geothermal Training Programme (since 1979) and a Fisheries Training Programme (since 1998).

UNU initiated a number of new research and training programmes recently. These included: the UNU Programme on Comparative Regional Integration Studies (UNU/CRIS) in Bruges, Belgium, and UNU Institute for Environment and Human Security (UNU/EHS) in Bonn, Germany.

Postgraduate training activities

Between 1976 and 2002, approximately 2,100 UNU fellows received postgraduate training in UNU networks. The UNU’s postgraduate training programme strengthens institutional capacities in developing countries by promoting self-reliant development and providing opportunities for scholars and scientists to be involved in UNU research networks. Fellows are selected on the basis of three criteria: their work must be in an area of concern to the University, they must be recommended by their home institution, and they must be committed to returning to work at their home institution when their training is completed.

Dissemination activities

The University has its own press that produces academic publications and cooperates in the production of five journals. Work in Progress, Nexions and various brochures issued by the UNU’s Public Affairs Section are the main information vehicles used in reporting research and ongoing developments within the University’s academic networks.

Financing

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