

Rules of the International Consortium for Universities of Education in East Asia

Chapter I - General Provisions

(Name)

Article 1

The name of this organization shall be the International Consortium for Universities of Education in East Asia (ICUE) (hereafter, the “International Consortium”).

(Organization)

Article 2

1. The International Consortium shall comprise colleges and universities of education in the East Asian region that desire to participate in this consortium.
2. Colleges and universities that desire to join the International Consortium should submit the annexed “Application for Membership” to their connection school of each country and their membership shall be recognized following deliberations by the International Consortium Steering Committee. In case of member schools located in countries/areas where any connection school is not established, submit to the connection schools of the three countries, i.e., China, Korea, and Japan.
3. Member schools may voluntarily withdraw from this International Consortium by submitting the annexed “Withdrawal Notice” to their connection school of each country. The connection school of each linguistic area must notify all member schools when a school withdraws from this International Consortium.

(Connection School)

Article 3

The clerical works of the International Consortium shall be taken by the connection school of each country. The connection school of International and Internal Consortium of China, Korea, and Japan shall be the following universities.

China: Beijing Normal University Korea: Kongju National University

Japan: Tokyo Gakugei University

Chapter II - Objectives and Projects

(Objectives)

Article 4

The objectives of the International Consortium shall be to work for the smooth promotion of mutual international exchange programs through cooperation among colleges and universities of education in the East Asian region. In other words, this International Consortium is for the purposes of advancing study abroad and training of students and faculty and international collaborative research concerning school education and teacher education issues among the schools which constitute the consortium, and otherwise actively working to advance activities which contribute to the development of education in the East Asian region.

(Projects)

Article 5

The International Consortium will conduct the following projects to achieve the objectives specified in the previous article.

- (1) Promote study abroad and training programs among colleges and universities of education in the East Asian region
- (2) Promote international collaborative research among colleges and universities of education in the East Asian region
- (3) Promote faculty exchanges among colleges and universities of education in the East Asian region
- (4) Hold the International Symposium on the Teacher Training System in East Asia and international forums
- (5) Exchange educational research and other information among colleges and universities of education in the East Asian region
- (6) Conduct other necessary projects to achieve the objectives of this International Consortium

Chapter III - International Consortium Steering Committee

(International Consortium Steering Committee)

Article 6

1. The International Consortium Steering Committee shall be established to deliberate and determine items regarding the execution of projects of the International Consortium, revisions and repeal of the Articles, and other important items.
2. The International Consortium Steering Committee shall comprise two schools of

each country. Specifically, the members of the International Consortium Steering Committee shall be the universities listed below:

China: Beijing Normal University, East China Normal University

Korea: Kongju National University, Seoul National University of Education

Japan: Tokyo Gakugei University, Osaka Kyoiku University

3. The chair of the International Consortium Steering Committee shall rotate on an annual basis, and the connection school shall serve as the chair for the concerned fiscal year.
4. The International Consortium Steering Committee shall hold regular meetings once per year for the smooth administration of the International Consortium.
5. The chair of the International Consortium Steering Committee may hold extraordinary meetings as appropriate, with the approval of the other university of the Steering Committee

(Duties of the Steering Committee)

Article 7

The International Consortium Steering Committee shall hold deliberations concerning the following items, prepare separate regulations for each, and actually administer these items.

- (1) Items concerning the arrangement and administration of study abroad systems among the International Consortium members
- (2) Items concerning the arrangement and administration of training systems among the International Consortium members
- (3) Items concerning the arrangement and administration of systems for the mutual exchange of researchers among the International Consortium members
- (4) Items concerning the arrangement and administration of a collaborative research organization in the International Consortium
- (5) Items concerning the arrangement and administration of double degree systems among universities participating in the International Consortium
- (6) Items concerning the arrangement and administration of faculty language training systems in the International Consortium
- (7) Items concerning the holding of the International Symposium on the Teacher Training System in East Asia and international forums, etc.
- (8) Items concerning revisions and repeal of the Rules of the International Consortium.
- (9) Items concerning entry and membership in the International Consortium

(10) Other important items in line with the objectives of the International Consortium

Chapter IV -Operating Expenses

(Participation Expenses)

Article 8

1. The expenses of participating in International Consortium projects including travel and lodging expenses shall be borne, respectively, by the participating schools.

(Project Preparation Expenses)

2. The expenses of preparing for International Consortium projects, including the preparatory clerical expenses for all types of projects, shall primarily be secured by the Steering Committee school of the International Consortium in each country.

Supplementary Provisions

1. These Rules shall come into effect from December 18, 2009.

2. These Rules shall come into effect from October 18, 2019.