

**GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR  
ACADEMIC COOPERATION AND EXCHANGE  
BETWEEN  
SAM HOUSTON STATE UNIVERSITY (TEXAS, USA)  
AND  
PATNA UNIVERSITY (BIHAR, INDIA)**

Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, Texas and Patna University agree upon the following points in order to develop and promote academic exchange and cooperation between the two institutions:

1. The two institutions will facilitate the following activities in particular:
  - 1) Exchange of teaching and research staff,
  - 2) Joint research projects and conferences.
2. The activities mentioned in item one shall be carried out through consultation between the two institutions.
3. This Agreement shall be effective from the day when the President of each institution signs the Agreement. The duration of the Agreement shall be three years, after which it may be renewed through written correspondence from year to year. Following the initial period, however each institution may terminate the Agreement by notifying the partner institution of their intention in writing no less than six months before the desired date of termination.
4. This agreement is valid in the partner university's official language and English.

  
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Dr. Dana L. Gibson  
President  
Sam Houston State University, Texas, USA

Date: 5-21-13

  
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Vibhash K. Yadav  
Registrar  
Patna University, Patna, INDIA

Date: 08-06-2013