Agreement on Cooperation in Higher Education

between

The China Education Association for International Exchange

and

Universities Australia
Universities Australia and the China Education Association for International Exchange (hereinafter referred to as “the Parties”), wishing to continue cooperation in the promotion of academic links between their two countries in the interests of the universities in both countries, make the following agreement:

Article 1

Purpose

1.1 Under this agreement the Parties intend to further promote cooperation which will advance university teaching, research, scholarship and management in their member institutions. This agreement complements the government-to-government agreement on cooperation in the field of higher education between China and Australia.

1.2 All member institutions of the Parties shall be eligible for consideration as participants in the program of cooperative activities.

Article 2

Fields of Cooperation

2.1 Cooperation between the Parties will involve the following areas:
• information sharing
• staff and student exchanges
• mutual recognition of qualifications
• staff development
• researcher exchange programs
• university management

2.2 Further areas for cooperation may be agreed upon from time to time.

Article 3

Implementation

3.1 The Parties will implement this agreement via the established Joint Working Group. The Joint Working Group shall consider and approve the program of activities for cooperation under the agreement. Meetings of the Joint Working Group shall be held alternately in China and Australia as required. Each Party shall meet its own travel and accommodation costs.
Article 4

Duration and Validity

4.1 This agreement shall be valid for 3 years from the date of signing. Amendments to the agreement shall come into effect after the Parties have agreed in writing.

4.2 This agreement has been drawn up in English and Chinese. Both texts are equally valid.

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中国教育国际交流协会与澳大利亚大学协会
关于高等教育合作的协议

为促进中澳两国大学的发展，中国教育国际交流协会与澳大利亚大学协会（以下简称“双方”）希望加强两国学术联系继续开展合作。双方达成如下协议：

第一条 目 的

1. 双方同意为进一步促进各自成员单位大学的教学、科研、学术成就推广、管理等工作加强合作。本协议可作为中澳两国关于高等教育合作的政府间协议的补充。

2. 双方的所有成员单位都有资格被考虑参加合作项目。

第二条 合作领域

1. 双方的合作领域包括：
   - 信息共享
   - 教师和学生互换
   - 相互承认学历
   - 师资培训
   - 研究人员互换项目
   - 大学管理
2. 2 双方进一步的合作领域可随时再行商议。

第三条 协议实施

3. 1 双方将通过联合工作小组来实施本协议。联合工作小组将根据协议研究并批准合作活动。联合工作小组会议将根据要求轮流在中澳两国轮流进行，旅费及食宿等费用均由双方自理。

第四条 期限及生效方式

4. 1 本协议自签字之日起三年有效。对本协议的修正条款经双方签字后方可生效。
4. 2 本协议有中英文本。两种文本具有同等效力。

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