

## Memorandum of Understanding

September 20, 2017

To Whom It May Concern,

This letter Acts as a Memorandum of Understanding between the University of Alaska Southeast, Juneau, Alaska, USA and the Turku Arts Academy, Turku University of Applied Sciences Ltd., Turku, Finland.

We see opportunities for the mutual exchange of expertise to establish collaborative methodologies that explore the creative and pedagogical possibilities between our two university level educational programs. The main context of this relationship is focused upon the project titled:

Green Actions:  
Innovative creative educational methods for environmental awareness and sustainability

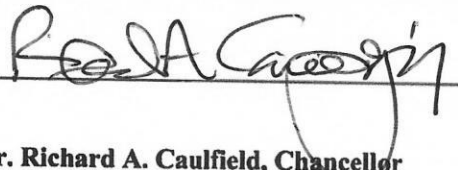
This "Memorandum of Understanding" / MOU, establishes the fact that we will share information regarding the Green Actions project and other possible projects of mutual interest on a Nordic-Canadian-USA wide level. This information includes identifying the Green Actions project's themes; identifying funding sources; identifying experts in the related fields of arts education, environmental education; exploring other possible university partner institutions; and the exchange of pedagogical and artistic research.

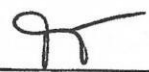
It is agreed that the University of Alaska Southeast, Juneau, Alaska, USA and the Turku University of Applied Sciences anticipate being institutional partners in the Green Actions funding applications that are submitted, contingent upon available resources. All Green Actions project partners understand that there may be fully funded grants awarded (requiring no "self-financing") and others which will require a portion of "self-financing" by the partners' institution. Specific discussions and information clarifying the overall funding support will always occur with the Green Actions' partners in good time prior to any grant application deadlines.

Due to the competitive nature of all funding structures, this agreement, all discussions, negotiations and any other communication are understood, in "good faith", as confidential between the University of Alaska Southeast, the Turku University of Applied Sciences, Ltd, and the other proposed Green Actions project partners.

This MOU is not legally binding regarding any formal institutional or financial commitments concerning the Green Actions project.

We agree to the terms and narrative description articulated in this Memorandum of Understanding

  
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