

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE CONSEJO DE ACREDITACIÓN DE LA ENSEÑANZA DE LA INGENIERÍA, A.C. (CACEI) OF MEXICO AND AGENCIA ACREDITADORA COLEGIO DE INGENIEROS DE CHILE S.A (Acredita CI) OF CHILE

The Consejo de Acreditación de la Enseñanza de la Ingeniería, A.C., (CACEI) states that it is an Accreditating Body of Engineering Programs, recognized by the Consejo de Acreditación de Educación Superior, A.C., (Copaes), in Mexico.

The Agencia Acreditadora Colegio de Ingenieros de Chile, S.A., (Acredita CI), declares that it is an Accrediting Agency authorized by the Comisión de Acreditación of Chile (CNA-CHILE), in order to confirm engineering programs and to accept the compromise of contributing to the improvement of higher education in Chile and Latin America.

CACEI (Mexico) and Acredita CI (Chile) are interested in the cooperation between the aforementioned organizations, therefore they agree to contribute in issues related with the improvement of accreditation procedures and establishment of cooperation links.

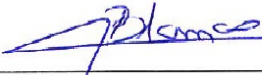

The parties undertake to:



- To deeply know the reference terms to guide the evaluation of the engineering programs of both organisms to results for joint assessment.
- To know in detail the software utilized by CACEI as a support of accreditation processes.
- To analyze the possibility of organize a seminar in Santiago, Chile, during the year 2015.
- To facilitate the exchange of reviewers to observe both the CACEI and Acredita CI accreditation assessment activities.
- To promote the participation of reviewers of both organisms in the external evaluation committees of the country from which they are not from as foreigner reviewers.
- To facilitate the exchange of experiences between CACEI and Acredita CI.

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- To collaborate in the development of workshops about accreditation, assessment processes, improvement of accreditation processes, and other activities; and seminars to promote the principles of accreditation.
 - To facilitate the training of reviewers, in Chile and Mexico, to become external inspectors.
 - To exchange information about accreditation processes and higher education quality assurance.
 - To share the register of reviewers to joint assessments.
 - To mutually negotiate and agree about expenses associated to the application of memorandum of understanding before the realization of projects and services.

This agreement is valid from today, May 7, 2015. It has five years validity and it can be reviewed by mutual agreement of the parties or ended by request of any of the parties at least 60 (sixty) days beforehand.

Signed on May 20, 2015



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