U.S. Embassy and College of Micronesia Art Envoy Woodworking Craft Memorandum of Understanding between the College of Micronesia and the United States Embassy

The College of Micronesia (COMFSM) agrees to provide the use of its workshop at Pohnpei Campus during the three week period beginning on July 23, 2012 and ending on August 10, 2012.

Purpose and Goal: To provide advanced woodworking technique training for COMFSM students and interested community members. To give Pohnpei's most talented craftsmen an opportunity to advance and improve upon their skills to create wood products for sale on local and international markets.

Services: The United States Embassy will sponsor expert instructor William Hewitt to come to Pohnpei to provide a three week advanced technique woodworking training. The training will run daily with both class and shop time filling the workday on Mondays through Fridays. The Embassy will provide an honorarium, per diem, transportation, and lodging costs for the duration of Mr. Hewitt's stay.

Supplies: The United States Embassy will provide all expendable supplies for the three-week training. Supplies include materials such as lumber, sandpaper, nails/screws, varnish, some basic hand tools, etc. The College of Micronesia FSM will provide the fixed machinery and the hand tools available in its woodworking shop needed for the training.

Venue: The College of Micronesia will provide the venue for the three weeks of training. The wood working shop must be opened and made available for the use of Mr. Hewitt and students on Monday through Friday from 8:00am to 5:00pm beginning on July 23, 2012 and ending on August 10, 2012. COMFSM will cover all associated costs of opening the workshop such as electricity, staff to open and close the building, etc.

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