

Korean Criminological Association (KCA) and Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences (ACJS)



Reciprocal Agreement to Affiliate



This document, which has been agreed by the KCA Executive and Supervisory Boards and the ACJS Executive Board, sets out the parameters of the agreement to affiliate.

- KCA members will be able to attend the ACJS annual conference at their reduced rate for members and vice versa;
- Information will be exchanged on an informal basis, including the newsletters of the respective societies and links/logos via websites:
- A one-page advert will be made available by each party in relevant newsletters to advertise the respective annual conference.

The following conditions will apply to this reciprocal agreement:

1. Reciprocal agreements do not constitute a legal transaction. They are undertaken informally and in good faith between the KCA and the ACJS.
2. Reciprocal agreements will be terminated whenever a breach of good faith occurs, or under any other circumstance in which either the KCA Executive/Supervisory or the ACJS Executive Board decides that an agreement negatively affects their existing membership (e.g. a significant 'migration' of members from one organization to the other). Reciprocal agreements will be terminated whenever such an agreement is declared by the KCA or ACJS Executive Boards to reflect negatively upon the KCA's or ACJS's mission or general image.
3. Reciprocal agreements do not involve any direct or indirect exchanges of monies between the KCA and the ACJS, except reduced members' rates for conference attendance or they may choose to sponsor an event or activity at the other's conference from time to time
4. Reciprocal agreements will be kept under review by the appropriate KCA and ACJS committees (reporting to the Executive and Supervisory boards where appropriate).
5. Reciprocal agreements will not involve joint responses to consultations/representations without approval from the respective organizations' Executive/Councils/Boards.

6. Reciprocal agreements will not involve any other mutual agreements between the KCA and the ACJS except where these have been discussed and agreed upon by the KCA's and the ACJS's relevant sub-committees and ratified by their Executives.

This agreement is ratified by the KCA Executive Boards and the ACJS Executive Boards and signed by the Presidents of each respective organization. The Executive director of each organization will be involved as a facilitator in ensuring the long-term maintenance of these agreements and coordinating practical aspects such as the exchange of information about conferences.

Links between the respective Executive committees should be encouraged in order to:

- Facilitate diplomatic exchanges;
- Facilitate international networking; and
- Share problems/solutions on a variety of criminological issues.

Signed by KCA President on behalf of KCA:

Executive Board: *John Wang, EdD, Gab* dated *June 14, 2024*

Signed by ACJS President on behalf of ACJS:

Executive Board: *Bitra* dated *June 14, 2024*.

Executive Director of ACJS:

*[Signature]* dated *June 22, 2024*