

**State of California**  
Secretary of State



I, DEBRA BOWEN, Secretary of State of the State of California, hereby certify:

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I execute this certificate and affix the Great Seal of the State of California this day of

**MAY 08 2009**

DEBRA BOWEN  
Secretary of State

**ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION****Of****American Virtual University, Inc.****ENDORSED - FILED**  
in the office of the Secretary of State  
of the State of California

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**I**

The name of this corporation is **American Virtual University, Inc.**

**II**

**A.** This corporation is a nonprofit public Benefit Corporation and is not organized for the private gain of any person. It is organized under the Nonprofit Public Benefit Corporation Law for public and charitable and educational purposes.

**B.** The specific purpose of this American Virtual University, Inc. is

1. To help world citizenry in acquiring knowledge through open, distance and virtual education mode at certificate, Diploma, Bachelor's, Master's and Doctoral Levels with a view to solving problems.
2. To establish universities and educational institutions for studies, training and research in the areas of emerging fields like ecology, environment, bio technology, computer sciences and engineering, business administration, rural development, adult and continuing education, journalism and mass communication, advertising and public relations, hotel, restaurant and hospitality management, peace science, alternative and complementary medicine, self healing, eco-philosophy, philosophy, cooperative management, law and justice, agriculture, medicine, engineering, science and technology and related educational fields.
3. To establish a Career Advising Center - a single point of contact for student counseling on academic, personal and career issues.
4. To create a learning environment all over the world that encourages students to become actively involved in their own education.
5. To offer the undergraduate, graduate, postgraduate, doctoral and post doctoral programs for the benefit of the students world wide.
6. To establish a Chair, in Institution Building and Global Education, in the universities, colleges and other bodies to make appointment to including professorship and fellowship.
7. To serve as a forum for exchange of ideas, experiences, collection and dissemination of information on global virtual and open education, its monitoring, impact, information awareness, policy, law, research promotion, training and development.

8. To create an employment generation environment by updating the existing vocational training programs in the polytechnics, institutions, colleges and universities.
9. To prepare instructional texts including audio and video lessons to be distributed through the existing institutions as well as through the new outlets of the university.
10. To use the existing and new satellite channels for teaching and training through the internet for the benefit of the global society.
11. To translate the textbooks and monographs of the University as well as of other institutions in different languages for reaching the grassroots level in all countries.
12. To make special plans for the studies and research in the areas of eco system, ethno biology, preservation of wildlife and cultural heritage by collaborating with national and international bodies.
13. To aid in organizing conferences, seminars, meetings, discussions, debates, study courses, collection of statistics, exhibitions, shows, tour tips, establish endowments and scholarships for the promotion and furtherance of the aims and objects of the University.
14. To organize environmental museums and ethno botanical herbarium for popularizing the use of herbal based medicines.
15. To help the activists in creating and establishing voluntary and non-governmental bodies for the promotion of virtual, open, non formal and distance education.
16. To arouse in teachers and other educators a full awareness of our responsibilities in molding future generations for a peaceful world.
17. To promote that kind of education that will help each individual from earliest years to develop full human potential for constructive, peaceful living in the expanding communities in which one grows; family, neighborhood, school, local community, country and the whole human world.
18. To collaborate in the work of existing and functional organizations which have stated goals and purposes similar to the University.
19. To finally provide education that prepares students for leadership and social responsibility teaching them to think and communicate effectively and develop a global awareness and sensitivity for a better global understanding, world peace and unity.

### III

The name and address in the State of California of this corporation's initial agent for service of process is:

Patricia Halliwell  
3526 Investment Boulevard, # 221  
Hayward, CA 94545

#### IV

A. This corporation is organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes within the meaning of Internal Revenue code section 501(c)(3).

B. No substantial part of the activities of this corporation shall consist of carrying on propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the corporation shall not participate or intervene in any political campaign (including the publishing or distribution of statements) on behalf of any candidate for public office.

C. To receive contributions and to make donations to dispense charitable contributions through and otherwise aid and support those organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 (or the corresponding provision of any future United States Internal Revenue Law)

D. To have and to exercise all rights and power conferred on nonprofit corporations under the laws of State of California.

#### V

The property of this corporation is irrevocably dedicated to **charitable** purposes and no part of net income or assets of this corporation shall ever inure to the benefit of any director, officer or member thereof or to the benefit of any private person. Upon the dissolution or winding up of the corporation, its assets remaining after payment, or provision for payment, of all debts and liabilities of this corporation shall be distributed to a nonprofit fund, foundation or corporation which is organized and operated exclusively for **charitable** purposes and which has established its tax exempt status under Internal Revenue Code section 501(c)(3).

*Patricia Halliwell*

Patricia Halliwell, Incorporator

