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proceed from the common interest in following

AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION

Article 1

Both signatories determine and regulate with this Agreement the areas and matters of mutual cooperation with the aim to develop educational, scientific and other forms of mutual cooperation in higher education according to the interest, the curriculum and in accordance with international legal acts from the domain of higher education, respecting international legal acts, national and local rules and laws.

Article 2

Both signatories shall cooperate in the following areas:

- In developing curricula for undergraduate, specialist, graduate and doctoral studies;
- In teaching and research and developing of joint degree programs (based on scientific methods and scientific literature, bibliographic units and scientific works of mutual interests);
- In developing novel teaching methods via e-learning, m-learning and distance learning;
- In the field of exchanging students, teachers and personnel in the framework of formal mobility programs (with a view to learning, lecturing, consultations and participating in scientific and research work of mutual interest and with a view to work placement and praxis);
- In the field of publishing the themes of mutual interest, write textbooks and publish repertoires. They will also organise scientific conferences, seminars, symposia, round tables and public discussions with the topics agreed in advance;
- In organizing and carrying out joint research projects and mutual exchange of information on research results and publishing scientific papers in the local, national and international scientific journals (or the contracting parties bind themselves to mutual publishing of scientific and expert papers in English, in the local, national and international scientific journals);
- In development of institutional relationships in order to improve the quality in higher education;

- In cooperation of students and student organizations in the field of academic and cultural activities, thus enriching students' intercultural awareness crucial for successful business communication on a global, national and local level;
- Other areas in which mutual interest in cooperation is established (other sorts of exchange within the scope of the contracting parties' incidence).

Article 3

The cooperation based on this Agreement shall be carried out on the principle of reciprocity.

Article 4

All details in realization of the individual activities from Article 2 of this Agreement will be defined by separate individual agreements, which shall be discussed and agreed by both signatories.

Article 5

Each of the contracting parties seeks their own financial and other resources for the implementation of this Agreement. Financial transactions between the parties may be made in accordance with supplemental agreements with respect to specific projects.

Article 6

This contract has been signed for the period of 10 (ten) years and comes into effect from the moment of its signing.

Both signatories shall consent to mutually inform each other about all circumstances important for the realization of this Agreement.

Article 7

All possible amendments and additions to this Agreement as well as other issues related to the subject of this Agreement shall be concluded in writing and annexed to this Agreement.

Article 8

The Agreement has been signed in four identical copies in English and each signatory receives two copies.

All the copies of this contract have equal legally binding force.

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