

Memorandum of understanding to develop new academic degree program

Name of Institution I:

headquartered at:

represented by:

and

Name of Institution II:

headquartered at:

represented by:

hereinafter individually referred to as the "Party" and collectively as the "Parties" express their willingness to cooperate to develop new academic degree program leading to a joint or double degree.

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1. The Parties agree to work together to build, implement and promote international cooperation in the areas of doctoral education and research in order to facilitate the joint implementation of study programs leading to a joint/double doctoral degree.
2. Cooperation between the Parties will be conducted in accordance with the principles of equality, mutual benefits and respect.
3. Detailed conditions for the implementation of the program will be specified in the agreement concluded between the Parties.
4. The agreement referred to in point 4 will take into account in particular:
 - 1) method of implementing cooperation between the Parties in the field of research and teaching,
 - 2) exchange of specialist knowledge, know-how, materials,
 - 3) degree program structure and duration,
 - 4) organization of academic exchange,
 - 5) preparation of the thesis and final exams,
 - 6) granting of title
 - 7) management of the degree program,
 - 8) cost,
 - 9) transfer and protection of personal data,
 - 10) management of intellectual property rights.
5. To avoid conflict or ambiguity with translation into another language, only the English language version of this memorandum of understanding shall apply. If this memorandum of understanding is translated into any other language, the English language version shall prevail. Any notice given under or in connection with this memorandum of understanding will only be effective if it is in the English language.
6. This memorandum of understanding does not create any financial obligations for any of the Parties and does not result in any financial claims on either Party.
7. This memorandum of understanding does not limit the Parties' ability to engage in similar activities with other institutions and entities.

8. This memorandum of understanding may be revised by mutual consent of both Parties by the issuance of a written amendment signed and dated by both parties.
9. Contact persons. List the names, titles, e-mail addresses and telephone numbers of the person(s) responsible for planning the proposed program.

Institution:	Position Title	Name	E-mail Address	Telephone

10. This memorandum of understanding shall enter into force upon approval and signature by both Parties.
11. Either Party may terminate this Memorandum during its validity by written notice.
12. In the event of early termination, the Parties will take appropriate action to minimize damages to each Party.
13. The memorandum of understanding was prepared in two identical copies for each Party.

Signatures

for and on behalf of*Institution I*....

Date:

Signature:

Name:

Role in the Institution:

for and on behalf of*Institution II*....

Date:

Signature:

Name:

Role in the Institution: