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The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is to promote cooperation between the Imam Bukhari International Scientific Research Center and Karabuk University.

Karabuk University, located in Karabuk, TURKEY and Imam Bukhari International Scientific Research Center, located in Samarkand, Khoja Ismail town, UZBEKISTAN declare that they shall recognize the mutual interests in the fields of research, development, education, training, transfer of technology and information and also recognize the importance of universities' role in the promotion of international collaboration,

Karabuk University and Imam Bukhari International Scientific Research Center, hereby do agree to enter into an MoU which shall enhance relations and develop academic and cultural interchange in the areas of education, research and other activities and encompass all collages, faculties and institutes, the administration and the libraries according to the terms and conditions set out in the articles following here under.

TERMS and CONDITIONS

Article 1- Areas of Cooperation

The cooperation will include:

- research
- exchange of students (researchers)
- exchange of teaching and non-teaching staff
- joint research projects carried out by researchers from both institutions
- mutual assistance in the establishment of new programs
- exchange of information and publications
- organizing conferences and workshops





The terms of such mutual areas of cooperation shall be discussed and modified and the details shall be set forth in a separate agreement.

Article 2- Field of Collaboration

- 2.1 Collaboration between the two institutions shall be established within any field of common interests.
- **2.2** Depending on financial means and practical feasibility, the parties shall establish joint research and educational projects and programs. The coordinators shall be responsible to the relevant Institutional authorities for reporting on the project or program status at least once a year.

Article 3- Exchange of Staff

- 3.1 The purpose of Exchange of staff shall be based on teaching and research.
- **3.2** Following receipt of written credentials and proposed activities, either party may submit a letter of invitation to the other party outlining the proposed terms and conditions under which the visit is to take place.
- **3.3** Negotiations between the parties concerning such proposed visits shall include consideration of the methods and the source of funding for the expenses of the visiting staff member or members.

Article 4- Funding and Finance

- 4.1 Exchange or visits under this MoU will be organized reciprocally by the parties.
- 4.2 Development of joint activities will be dependent on availabilities of funds
- 4.3 Financial agreements will have to be negotiated for each specific project or program.

Article-5 Management and Administration

- **5.1** Both Organisations (Universities) subscribe to the policy of equal opportunity and do not discriminate on the basis of race, age, ethnicity, religion, national origin or disability.
- **5.2** Negotiation, implementation, and reporting on the progress concerning the collaboration shall be coordinated by:

Karabuk University

International Relations Office

78050 Karabuk/Turkey

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Imam Bukhari International Scientific Research Center

International Relations Department

141306, Khoja Ismail town/Uzbekistan

Article 6- Other Terms

6.1 This Agreement shall have duration of five years renewable for the five years unless either party gives notice of termination not later than six months prior to the expiry of the existing MoU.

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- **6.2** Any alterations of the MoU shall be agreed upon jointly by the two parties and submitted in accordance with the same procedure as the original MoU and shall be expressed in writing.
- **6.3** This MoU shall take effect upon ratification by signature of both institutions
- 6.4 This MoU is signed in two copies in English.

IMAM BUKHARI INTERNATIONAL SCIENTIFIC-RESEARCH CENTER

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