



PROTOCOL OF COOPERATION

BETWEEN

INTERNATIONAL BALKAN UNIVERSITY

AND

KARABUK UNIVERSITY

Be it known that the International Balkan University and Karabuk University hereby enters into an agreement of academic cooperation.

This protocol is entered into in recognition of the joint benefits that can be derived from a program addressing problems of common interest and mutual concern:

The following articles shall apply:

Article 1

The parties of this protocol agree to promote mutual cooperation and exchange in accordance with the principal of bilateral development and collaboration, as defined by the appropriate statutes of International Balkan University and Karabuk University .

Article 2

The protocol involves higher education and research in the areas that are common for both universities. The protocol may be extended in the future, by mutual consent, into other common fields of endeavour such as research and development, cultural exchange and business cooperation.

Article 3

The cooperation covers, but is not limited to:

1. The promotion of higher education and research,
2. The exchange of students, professors, language instructors and visiting lecturers,
3. The exchange of information, books and documents, as well as providing access to e-libraries,
4. The organization of joint study programmes, research projects, conferences, symposia, short courses and seminars, etc.

Article 4

This protocol defines the general framework of the cooperation between International Balkan University and Karabuk University . If found necessary, particular activities under this agreement may be separately decided upon and stipulated in an addendum to this agreement. Expenses related to the execution of cooperation within the framework of this protocol will be covered as mutually agreed for individual instances by related parties.

Article 5

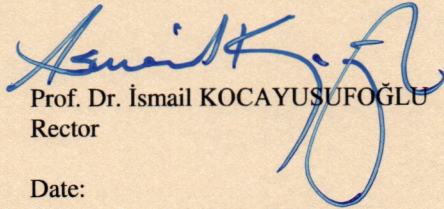
In the case of the exchange of experts or teaching staff on a visiting or part-time basis, or exchange of students for a defined academic term, no less than three months before exchange visit, the sending institution will provide the receiving institution with the name, age, position and specialization of the visiting researcher, professor lecturer, instructor or student. This way the necessary legal and paperwork can be completed.

Article 6

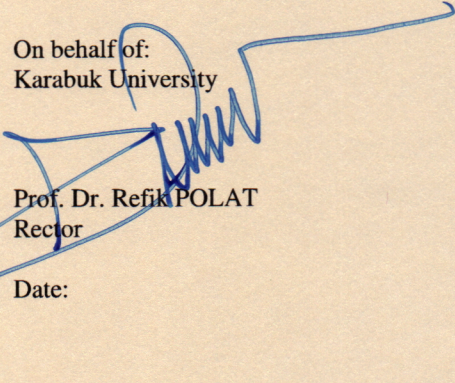
The present protocol will come into effect on the day of signing, once it has been approved by the proper authorities, and will continue for a period of five years. Three months before the end of the protocol duration, a commission formed of persons determined by International Balkan University and Karabuk University will convene and the condition of the protocol will be reviewed. The commission will either annihilate the protocol or extend its duration by five years.

This protocol has been prepared in English language in two original copies.

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