



Cooperative Agreement between EGYPTIAN UNIVERSITY OF ISLAMIC CULTURE NUR-MUBARAK Almaty, Kazakhstan and KARABUK UNIVERSITY Karabük, Turkey

In order to promote further the existing cultural and educational cooperation between the Republic of Kazakhstan and Turkey, Egyptian University of Islamic culture

Nur-Mubarak (EUIC Nur-Mubarak) and Karabük University (UNIKA) join in the following agreement on educational and scientific cooperation.

The two universities will endeavor to cooperate in education and research in areas of mutual interest. To enrich the education and exchange experience, both universities will encourage direct contact and cooperation between faculty members, staff, research institutions and students.

I AREAS OF COOPERATION

Specific areas of cooperation between the two universities may include, but are not limited to the following:

- 1. Exchange of faculty members and administrative staff;
- 2. Exchange of Bachelor, Master and PhD students;
- 3. Joint research activities, lectures and lectures via-e-learning;
- 4. Common Master and PhD programs;
- 5. Dual diploma programs;
- 6. Participation in seminars, conferences and academic meetings;
- 7. Exchange of published academic materials and other information;
- 8. Special short-term academic programs for Bachelor, Master and PhD students;
- 9. Short-term internship programs for Master and PhD students;
- 10. Summer School Programs.

II IMPLEMENTING ACTIVITIES

- 1. Although travel expenses and living costs of exchange faculty and research scholars are not compensated by the host institution, in case additional financial support is needed it will be negotiated on an individual basis.
- 2. The host institution shall provide office space and give access to libraries and other facilities to exchange faculty and research scholars.
- 3. Unless otherwise agreed upon, all exchanges are on the basis of reciprocity within the same academic year.
- 4. Faculty/scholar exchanges will normally be for duration of one or two semesters, shorter stays are possible, subject to mutual agreement.
- 5. Faculty/Scholar exchanges remain subject to the approval of the host institution.

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- 6. Each professor remains on salary with the home institution during the short-time exchange (1-3 weeks), in case the exchange is prolonged for 1 semester, the professor receives the salary by host institution as subject to special contract.
- 7. Visiting professor/scholars must carry medical health insurance in accordance with the rules and regulations of the host institutions and/or the host government.
- 8. Teaching course loads and working hours and conditions shall normally be in accordance with established rules and practices of the host institution, subject to prior negotiation agreement.
- 9. The agreement between EUIC Nur-Mubarak and UNIKA may be in any appropriate academic field at either institution, subject to the prior approval of the administration of the host institution.

III EXCHANGE OF STUDENTS

- 1. Such applications are honored EUIC Nur-Mubarak and UNIKA on the principle of reciprocity during the same academic year.
- 2. Exchange students shall be admitted as non-degree students for a period of one or two semesters (fall or spring), or for both semesters, and for a maximum of one academic year.
- 3. The host institution shall issue a transcript and grades for exchange students under the same rules and regulations as for its degree-seeking students.
- 4. So long as the principle of reciprocity is maintained, tuition and fees for exchange students shall be waived by the host institution.
- 5. Exchange students shall be recommended by the sending institution and follow established rules and procedures set forth by the host institution.
- 6. Travel and living expenses for exchange students are borne by the students themselves, by a sponsor, or by the sending institution.
- 7. An affidavit of Financial Support (AFS) for living expenses should be submitted in advance to the host institution by the exchange student(s).

IV NOTICES AND CORRESPONDENCIES

- 1. Any communication under this Agreement will be written in English language and delivered by registered mail to the address or sent to the electronic mail address or facsimile number of each Party.
- 2. Should any questions on any part of this Agreement arise, both Parties will consult with one another to find a solution to the following address:

a. Egyptian University of Islamic culture Nur-Mubarak (EUIC Nur-Mubarak):

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V CONFIDENTIALITY

The Parties agree and undertake to keep confidential at all times any information or data that may be exchanged, acquired or shared in connection with any programme or activity conducted pursuant to this Agreement save where the same is already in public domain.

VI RENEWAL, TERMINATION, AND AMENDMENT

- 1. These regulations are to be authorized by the competent authority of both universities in two copies, and each party will keep one.
- 2. Except where specified and agreed upon, this agreement will impose no financial obligation on the host institution.
- 3. Upon approval by each party, this agreement shall remain effect for a period of five (5) years and will automatically be extended for another five-year period, unless otherwise one of the parties upon written notice to the other party not later than ninety days before the termination date. The termination will not affect ongoing activities.
- 4. After the approval of the respective higher authorities, this agreement become effective at the time it is signed by the competent authority of both institutions.
- 5. Items not covered by the Agreement may be determined and negotiated separately by both institutions without abrogating this Agreement; the Agreement may be amended with the consent of both parties and after the approval of their respective higher authorities.

VII PREVAILING LANGUAGE

This agreement is made in English, so the medium of instructions of the agreement should be in English language.

VIII EXECUTION AND COUNTERPART

This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original but all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument. The Parties shall be entitled to rely upon delivery of an executed electronic copy of this Agreement.

In witness hereof, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective organizations, sign this MoU in two (2) original copies, each having equal validity, on the date written below.

On behalf of	On behalf of
Egyptian University of Islamic	Karabük University
Culture Nur-Mubarak	
As. Prof. Kairat Kurmanbayev Vice-rector	Prof. Dr. Refik Polat Rector
Date: 2021 OAMAGARMSTAN	Date: 06.07 2021
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