



UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI NAPOLI  
"L'Orientale"



## **Agreement of cooperation**

between

**HOLY SPIRIT UNIVERSITY OF KASLIK (USEK)**  
**Kaslik, Jounieh, Lebanon**

and

**UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI NAPOLI "L'ORIENTALE"**  
**Naples, Italy**

The parties have agreed as follows:

### **Article I: COOPERATION**

1. The two institutions shall encourage cooperation in any discipline, which is studied in both institutions.
2. The two institutions shall seek to promote:
  - a) Exchange of information and materials that are of mutual interest
  - b) Student and staff exchange between the two institutions
  - c) Joint research between academic staff
  - d) Other forms of cooperation to be arranged jointly by the two parties
3. The two institutions shall decide, through consultation, the specific areas and details of cooperation within the framework of this agreement.

## **Article II: STUDENT EXCHANGE**

1. Each institution may exchange students upon mutual agreement, for a period not exceeding one year.
2. The home institution will screen applications from its students and recommend students to the host institution for invitation.
3. While at the host institution, students will take courses in subjects equivalent to those required at their home institution. The exact program of each student will be determined by the student with the approval of his or her supervisors at the home institution and at the host institution.
4. Transcripts of results will be provided to the home institution as soon as practicable after completion of the exchange.
5. Each student will register and pay tuition and other required fees at his/her home institution. The host institution will waive tuition and other required fees for the exchange student.
6. Students enrolled in the host institution will be subject to the same rules and regulations as local students. Students will be eligible for all the services and rights normally provided to locally enrolled students.
7. Each student will be responsible for arranging necessary visa and the costs of accommodation, international travel in the host country, books, equipment, consumables, hospitalization, health insurance, civil liability insurance and other incidental expenses arising out of the exchange.

## **Article III: SPECIFIC AGREEMENTS**

The actions to be developed in the implementation of the present will be established through specific agreements by and between the parties. These agreements will be formalized in each case under the form of additional protocols to the present and will be subscribed by the same actors of the present or by members of equal rank.

## **Article IV: LIAISON**

Each institution will name an individual staff member to serve as the liaison officer with his/her counterpart at the other institution.

## **Article V: COMMENCEMENT AND DURATION**

1. This Agreement shall commence on the date of its signature.
2. The duration of the Agreement is for five (5) years from the commencement date.

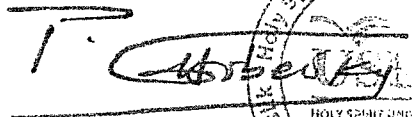

## Article VI: TERMINATION

Either party may terminate the Agreement by giving six months notice of termination in writing to the other party. Termination of the agreement will not affect the exchange of students accepted for participation in the exchange program pursuant to this agreement or the obligations of each party to the exchange balance where such acceptance or obligations arise prior to the date of receipt of the termination notice. In the event of termination both parties agree to protect the interests of those students currently participating in the exchange program and to provide the support necessary to allow them to complete the courses in which they are enrolled.

## Article VII: REVIEW

The parties will review the Agreement annually on a date to be agreed between the parties.

For the HOLY SPIRIT UNIVERSITY OF  
KASLIK (USEK)

Fr. Prof. Georges Hoboka  
President

For the UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI  
NAPOLI "L'ORIENTALE" (UNIOR)



prof. Elda Morlicchio  
Rector



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