



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**  
**BETWEEN**  
**UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI NAPOLI L'ORIENTALE, ITALIA**  
**and**  
**NARXOZ UNIVERSITY, KAZAKHSTAN**

The University of Naples L'Orientale (hereinafter referred to as "UniOr")

and the Narxoz University (hereinafter referred to as "Narxoz") enter into this Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") with the aim of strengthening, expanding and enriching cooperation in the field of higher education that will make possible collaborative programs and activities. Narxoz and UniOr are referred to individually as the "Party" and collectively as the "Parties".

Collaborative programs and activities may include the following:

- exchange of faculty and scholars for teaching, professional internships, including joint research and development projects;
- student exchange and academic mobility;
- exchange of research results and materials in fields of mutual interest;
- participation in joint international conferences, seminars, lectures, various forms of teacher training and development, and similar academic meetings;
- possibility of joint publications.

The specific terms of this MOU do not preclude the development of future collaborations or projects not mentioned herein.

This MOU provides that the activities to be undertaken to achieve the aforementioned objectives are determined in each case through specific Implementing Agreements, in accordance with the rules and regulations of each Party and according to the sources of funding available from each of the two Parties. Each Implementing Agreement shall be attached to this MOU as a scheme and the terms of such Implementing Agreements shall define the management of the activity described. To the extent that the MOU and the Implementing Agreements are inconsistent, the texts of the Implementing Agreements shall be deemed binding for the purposes of the activities described in each of them.

Representatives of the Parties to this MOU will consult, at periodic intervals to review the implementation of the collaboration programs and to propose other programs that benefit both. Any



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amendment or modification of the terms of this MOU may only be made by a written agreement signed by both Parties.

Both parties undertake to treat the information received from the other party as confidential and not to disclose it to third parties without the prior written consent of the other party, unless it has already been made public.

Both parties shall handle personal information appropriately and not use it for improper purposes.

In the event of the creation of intellectual property under this Agreement, the management of rights will be decided through consultation with the affiliated party. The two parties shall not violate the protection of intellectual property rights, confidentiality obligations or the legitimate interests of the owners of the products.

This MOU shall be effective on the day both Parties sign the document and shall remain in effect for five (5) years from such date or until the Parties terminate it in writing, whichever occurs first. The contract will be automatically renewed every five years, unless one of the Parties notifies the other of its intention to withdraw. In such event, any activity that may be commenced by either Party under an Implementing Agreement prior to the effective date of termination may be completed and the applicable terms of the MOU and Implementing Agreement will continue to govern the activity.

This MOU constitutes the entire agreement between the Parties and supersedes all prior discussions, agreements and understandings, whether oral or written.

Each Party shall designate a person or office to act as a contact for the implementation of this MOU. For Narxoz, the contact person will be Dariya Imadiyeva, Head of International Programs Office. For UniOr, the contact person will be Marina di Filippo, associate professor of Slavistics.

Any notice to either Party shall be made in writing and signed by the Party making it and shall be served in person or by registered or certified mail, or by overnight or expedited delivery service, addressed as follows:

At Narxoz University

International Programs Office

55 Zhandossov street,

Almaty, 050035, Kazakhstan



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At the University of Naples L'Orientale:

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International Relations and Mobilities Office

Via Nuova Marina 59

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or to another addressee who may be designated later by written communication. All notices will only be valid if received by the recipient.

The Narxoz University and the University of Naples L'Orientale have signed this MOU as of the day on which both Parties signed this document.

**NARXOZ UNIVERSITY**

**Dr. AIGERIM RAIMZHANOVA**  
**Vice President for Development**  
**& International Affairs**

**UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI NAPOLI**  
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**Prof. ROBERTO TOTTOLI**  
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