



UNIVERSITÀ DI NAPOLI  
**L'ORIENTALE**

**Memorandum of Understanding  
on Scholarly Exchange and Collaboration  
between  
University of Naples L'Orientale  
and  
Seoul National University Asia Center**



University of Naples L'Orientale, (Palazzo Corigliano, Piazza S. Domenico Maggiore, 12 - 80134, Via Chiatamone, 61/62, 80121 Napoli NA, Italy), represented by the Rector Prof. Roberto Tottoli, on the one side

AND

Seoul National University Asia Center, (Gwanak-ro 1, Gwanak-gu, Seoul, Korea), represented by its Director Prof. Suhong Chae, on the other side

desiring to promote cooperation in the field of academic research and education,

AGREE

- to encourage exchanges and visits for faculty members, researchers, and post-graduate fellows;
  - to organize joint conferences and research activities;
  - to enhance networking between University of Naples L'Orientale and Seoul National University for future potential research collaborations;
  - to implement KF Global e-School Program between University of Naples L'Orientale and Seoul National University, which is supported by the Korea Foundation.
1. The concrete implementation and administration of above joint activities will be subsequently discussed and agreed through the signing of specific framework agreements/implementation agreements governing the execution of activities, drawn up in accordance with the provisions of this memorandum of understanding, to which express reference must be made. Both parties shall provide necessary support to facilitate such activities.
  2. Each institution will be responsible for all its own costs incurred due to any collaboration, unless otherwise agreed in writing.
  3. Each party engaged in the exchange shall treat any information, documents, systems, software, methods and knowledge (hereinafter all under the generic name "confidential information"), directly or indirectly known, of the other party as confidential and shall not disclose any information to third parties. Confidential information is only to be used for the execution of the activities under this Agreement. Failure to adhere to this confidentiality clause will result in the termination of this Agreement. Each party must

take the necessary measures to ensure that the staff or the offices that have access to information and documents, comply with this obligation of confidentiality.

4. The parties undertake to respect and comply at all times with the regulations in force regarding the protection of personal data. If, as a result of the performance of this Agreement, access to the Personal Data takes place, the parties will use or apply the Personal Data only and exclusively in accordance with the purposes and instructions arising from this Agreement and will not disclose them or will not pass them on to other people or keep them. The parties will adopt security, technical and organizational measures to prevent the loss, misuse, alteration, unauthorized access and theft of personal data, taking into account the state of technology, the nature of the stored data and risks incurred, whether from human action or the physical or natural environment.
5. This Agreement will be in effect from the date of the latest signature below for a period of five years. It shall be extended automatically for an additional period of five years at each expiration date unless either party gives six months' advance notice in writing to terminate the Agreement without prejudice to the completion of ongoing activities. This understanding may be reviewed at any time and any modification concerning the present agreement can be carried out by mutual written consent expressed by authorized representatives of the parties.
6. This Agreement, written in English, is signed in two equivalent texts. Each Institution will keep one copy.

**University of Naples L'Orientale**

**Seoul National University Asia Center**

  
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Prof. Roberto TOTTOLI

  
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Prof. Suhong Chae

Rector

Director

Date:

23/01/2026

Date:

Dec. 5. 2025