



جامعة عجمان
AJMAN UNIVERSITY



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

Ajman University

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United Arab Emirates

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Represented by

Chancellor, Dr. Abdelkrim SEGHIR

and

University of Monastir

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Represented by

President Pr. Hédi BEL HADJ SALAH



Memorandum of Understanding

The Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is made by and between Ajman University, UAE, hereafter referred to as “AU” and University of Monastir hereafter referred to as “UM”. Each a “Party” and collectively the “Parties”.

WHEREAS the Parties consider the common interest in promoting mutual cooperation in the area of education and research and shared interests in pursuing academic and scientific goals and professional and cordial relations;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and representations set forth, the Parties have set forth the following MoU as follows:

Article 1 – Purpose

The purpose of this MoU is to develop academic and educational cooperation on the basis of equality and reciprocity and to promote sustainable partnerships and mutual understanding between both universities.

Article 2 – Scope of Activities

Both universities undertake to promote and develop academic cooperation through, but not restricted to, academic exchanges of students and faculty, scientific research, dual degree programs, scholar visits, short-term study tours, cultural exchange, exchange of academic materials, publications, and other scientific information, professional internships, and technical cooperation. In order to ensure the implementation of all the activities agreed up on within the scope of this agreement, privacy agreements and detailed appendices, especially with regard to student exchange, will be concluded for the purpose and presented to the ministry for an opinion before signing.

Article 3 – Financial Arrangement

Both universities agree that all specific arrangements and plans for activities are to be negotiated and agreed in writing. All agreements shall be made dependent on the availability of funds.

Article 4 – Activity Agreements

A detailed description of the scope of activities shall be defined in separate Activity Agreements for implementation (such as Student Exchange Agreements, Joint Research Agreements, Faculty Exchange Agreements, etc).

The Activity Agreements will include such terms as:

- 4.1 Elaboration of the responsibilities of each institution for the agreed upon activity
- 4.2 Schedules for the specific activity
- 4.3 Budgets and sources of financing for each activity
- 4.4 Any other items deemed necessary for the efficient management of the activity.



Article 5 – Intellectual Property Rights and Publication

Detailed management of Intellectual Property Rights and Publication shall be defined in specific Agreements.

Article 6 – Settlement of Differences

Differing viewpoints and interpretations of the MoU shall be settled amicably by mutual consultation or negotiation.

Article 7 – Duration & Termination

This MoU shall become effective on the date of final signing and will be for a period of three years or the date upon which the Parties sign the Activity Agreement, whichever occurs later, renewable on written mutual consent. Either university, may, in its absolute discretion, terminate the MoU by giving at least six months' written notice. Notwithstanding any such termination, all commitments already made in respect of particular Exchange Students or academics shall be carried out till completion.

Article 8 - Surviving Provisions

Clauses 5, 6, and 9 will survive indefinitely the termination or expiration of this Agreement.

Article 9 - Notices

Any notice, demand, offer, request or other communication required or permitted to be given by either Party pursuant to the terms of this Agreement must be in writing.

Article 10 - Counterparts

This Agreement is written in English only.

It is executed in two counterparts, each of which will be deemed an original, but all of which together will constitute one and the same agreement.

Article 11 - Assignability

This Agreement may not be assigned or otherwise transferred by either party to a third party without the prior written consent of the other party.

As witness to their consent to this MoU, the appropriate authorities hereunto provide their signatures.

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Dr. Abdelkrim SEGHIR
Chancellor

Date 22 May 2021

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Prof. Hédi BEL HADJ SALAH
President

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Date

