

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

I Signatory Parties:

UNIVERSITY OF SARAJEVO
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And

QATAR UNIVERSITY
PO Box 2713
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Preamble:

University of Sarajevo and Qatar University, a scientific entity having a legal personality (corpo morale), established in 1977 and organized under Law No. 34 of 2004, P.O. Box 2713 situated in Doha (hereinafter referred to as “Parties”) wishing to establish cooperation in promoting academic, educational, and cultural cooperation between the two institutions, in the terms stated henceforth, have concluded the present Memorandum of Understanding (“MoU”).

This MoU will be developed within the framework for institutional cooperation, and will facilitate further development and consideration of specific programs of cooperation of mutual interest for both Parties.

II Subject of the MoU:

1. Cooperation will be implemented through, but may not be limited to, the following activities:
 - Networking and mutual exchange of teachers, research personnel, students and other staff for lectures, visits and sharing of experiences;
 - Joint participation and applying for funds designated for education, research and artistic activities;
 - Joint educational, training and/or research activities
 - Joint organization of conferences, symposia, congresses, seminars, courses, summer schools, workshops and other forms of cooperation of mutual interest;
 - Exchange of professional literature, textbooks and other university publications.
 - Exchange of information in fields of interest to both Parties; and
 - Other activities of mutual interest.
2. In the implementation of specific cooperative programs, a written agreement covering all relevant aspects including funding and other obligations to be undertaken by each party will be negotiated, mutually agreed and formalized in writing, prior to the commencement of the program.

III Implementation of the MoU:

- 1. Each institution will appoint a contact person to coordinate the implementation of this MoU. Both Parties have committed not to execute activities related to this agreement without previous consultations.**
- 2. Both Parties agree that all financial agreements necessary to implement this MoU must be negotiated and will depend upon availability of funds. Neither institution shall have any financial obligation to the other institution based on this MoU.**
- 3. The Parties will jointly coordinate all publicity statements and other disclosures relating to the existence or substance of this MoU. Neither Party may carry out any such publicity activities without the prior written consent of the other Party.**
- 4. The terms with respect to title to and exploitation of all jointly generated creations of the mind and the rights in such creations, inventions and innovations (including but not limited to trademarks and service marks, copyright, patents, know-how, designs and confidential information on the subject of such intellectual property, inventions and innovations) will be negotiated in good faith and on a project-by-project basis in the specific project agreements and programmes of cooperation referred to in Article 1. Save as aforesaid, nothing in this MoU shall be construed as a license or transfer or an obligation to enter into any further agreement with respect to any intellectual property currently licensed to or belonging to either Party.**
- 5. Neither Party shall claim any rights in, seek to register, or, unless expressly permitted in writing, use the other Party's name or any of its trademarks, logos or designs in connection with this MoU or otherwise.**

IV Duration of the MoU:

- 1. This MoU will become effective upon the date of signature by representatives of the institutions and will be in force for five (5) years and may be renewed by the Parties for a further period. Amendments and changes will be possible only in a case of written consent by the rectors of both Parties and will be added to this MoU. This MoU may be terminated before the expiry of the five (5) year period only upon the written consent of the rectors of both Parties.**
- 2. Either party wishing to make changes or terminate the MoU shall notify the other institution in writing of such intention no later than six (6) months before the suggested changes or termination should come into effect.**
- 3. The MoU cannot be terminated if this action will jeopardize the implementation of any of the agreed activities, or before the deadline set for completion of such activities.**

V Legality of MoU:

- 1. The MoU shall be written and signed in two (2) copies, in English.**
- 2. All activities developed hereunder shall be in accordance with all applicable rules and regulations of both Parties, and all applicable national and local laws, rules and regulations.**
- 3. This MoU shall be governed and construed under the laws of the State of Qatar and the State of Bosnia and Herzegovina. The parties will consult with each other and attempt to resolve disputes or misunderstandings that arise in the administration of this MoU informally and amicably.**



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In witness whereof, the parties hereto affix their signatures below this

Qatar University
Dr. Hassan Rashid Al-Derham
President

Seal

Reference number and date:



University of Sarajevo
Prof. Dr. Rifat Škrijelj
Rector

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Reference number and date: 01.11.16.

