AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION BETWEEN "ALMA MATER STUDIORUM" - UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA – POLO SCIENTIFICODIDATTICO DI FORLÌ AND THE UNIVERSITY OF SARAJEVO

The University of Bologna, Polo Scientifico-Didattico di Forlì, represented by its President, Prof. Paolo Zurla, and the University of Sarajevo, represented by its Rector, Prof. Faruk Čaklovica, agree to the following:

ARTICLE 1

This agreement is made by the University of Bologna, Polo Scientifico-Didattico di Forlì and the University of Sarajevo, in order to promote cooperation in the field of research and teaching and to promote the mobility of the lecturers of the Master Degree in Interdisciplinary research in East European Studies (MIRESS).

ARTICLE 2

Co-operation between the two Universities may include:

- a) the conduct of research projects of mutual interest;
- b) exchange visits of faculty members and researchers in order to carry out research and consultations and to encourage the training of scientific personnel;
- c) the organization of joint seminars, symposia and discussions on topics of common interest;
- d) the exchange of students.

ARTICLE 3

The University of Bologna and the University of Sarajevo agree that each University will provide their own faculty members and researchers with travel funds while the Host University will provide them the cost of accommodation.

During their period of stay at the host University, the faculty members and the researchers participating in the said exchange will be considered as staff "on a mission" abroad.

ARTICLE 4

Visiting staff must have a personal and third party insurance policy for appropriate accident coverage valid for their period of stay in the host country and host university.

ARTICLE 5

Each University will appoint a co-ordinator for the exchange program.

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ARTICLE 6

The resolution of possible controversies on the interpretation and the performance of such agreement will be devolved to an arbitration board made by a member of each University and a third member chosen by mutual consent.

ARTICLE 7

The present agreement is valid for a period of three years. At every expiration date, the agreement will be automatically renewed for the same duration. Each of the two parties will be able to withdraw by giving a 6 months written notice to that effect.

Date 24/07/2001

The President of the Polo Scientifico didattico di

The Rector of the University of Sarajevo

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ADDENDUM TO THE AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION BETWEEN THE ALMA MATER STUDIORUM-UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA POLO SCIENTIFICO - DIDATTICO DI FORLÌ AND THE UNIVERSITY OF SARAJEVO FOR STUDENT MOBILITY

The University of Bologna, Polo Scientifico-Didattico di Forlì, represented by its President, prof. Paolo Zurla, and the University of Sarajevo, represented by its Rector, prof. Faruk Čaklovica, agree to the following:

ARTICLE 1

The two Universities undersign this agreement in order to promote the exchange of students and lecturers of the Master Degree in Interdisciplinary research in East European Studies (MIREES)

ARTICLE 2

The two Universities will promote the mobility of students each academic year from autumn 2006

ARTICLE 3

Provided they have paid the appropriate fees to their home institution, exchange students shall not be required to pay examination, matriculation or tuition fees to their host institution. Exchange students shall, however, be responsible for any other cost such as the cost of textbooks, field trips (if any) and other optional course charges.

ARTICLE 4

The minimum length of the study abroad period is one semester of five months, which may be extended if all parts agree, as a maximum length, to another semester of five more months.

ARTICLE 5

Exchange students shall continue as candidates for degree at their home University and cannot be candidate for degree at the host University. Exchange students, by the time and until the end of enrolment abroad, cannot get their final degree at their home University.

ARTICLE 6

The three exams passed at the host University, including an exam in language, shall be validated by the home University according to the annex 1 of this agreement.

ARTICLE 7

Each University shall appoint a co-ordinator for the exchange program. Exchange students will be selected initially by the home institutions, and the host institution will make the final admission decisions in each case.

ARTICLE 8

Each exchange student will have the possibility to plan the study program to be carried out at the host institution with the help of academic advisors of both the home and host institutions. Depending on the study course, language and/or other prerequisites may be imposed in accordance with the regulations of the host institution. Exchange students will normally be permitted to enter courses unless these courses are subject to limited enrolments

ARTICLE 9

Exchange students will meet all requirements of the host country with regards to immigration, including arrangements for their families and dependents, if necessary. Each institution agrees that the laws of the host country will be applied in relation to any matter concerning:

- 1) The parties obligations with regards to the exchange program defined by the present agreement
- 2) Provision of educational services to students by the Host institution
- 3) Privacy or protection of personal data of the exchange students

Exchange students will guarantee that they keep their host institution fully informed about their movements and their contact details during the period of their exchange. The host institution will act as a point of contact for the exchange students.

ARTICLE 10

Exchange students shall take out personal and third party insurance policy which must be valid for the period of stay in the host country and at the host institution. Exchange students shall be responsible for their own expenses, including travel expenses, food, accommodation costs, and health care fees. The host institution will assist the exchange student to find initial accommodation wherever necessary.

ARTICLE 11

If one of the parties wish to withdraw from the Agreement, the host institution will honour the terms of it with regards to student mobility that has been arranged before the interruption, as if the Agreement was still in force.

The terms of this Agreement may be revised or modified at any time through a joint review made by both institutions. No revision or modification shall come into effect until both institutions sign a letter formally approving the revision or modification.

Date. 24/07/2007

The President of the Polo Scientiff Regularities di Forlì - University of Bologna, di BOLOGNA

Prof. Paolo Zurla

The Rector of the University of Sarajevo

Prof. Faruk Čaklovica