

# **GENERAL AGREEMENT of ACADEMIC COOPERATION**

**between**

**CANAKKALE ONSEKIZ MART UNIVERSITY,  
TURKEY**

**and**

**HIGHER SCHOOL "AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE" - PLOVDIV,  
BULGARIA**

This Agreement is between Canakkale Onsekiz Mart University, Turkey represented by **PROF. DR. ALI AKDEMIR, RECTOR** and Higher School "Agricultural College", Bulgaria represented by **PROF. DR. ENG. DIMITAR DIMITROV, RECTOR**.

Both sides agree to work jointly in the following major **areas**:

- Development of scientific research projects with mutual interest in the fields of horticulture, fruit-growing, viticulture, animal sciences and aquaculture; establishment of joint research teams to undertake scientific ventures of mutual interest;
- Co-ordination in curricula and training programs development in the fields of agricultural sciences, business management, agricultural economics and tourism;
- Transfer of innovative educational technologies, development of projects for transfer of good practices, mutual exchange of pedagogically effective approaches;
- Organizing student, teaching and non-teaching staff mobility; exchange of students for practical training;

- Development of European integration, including joint projects financed by EU Programs in the fields of agricultural education and science and supporting agricultural producers;
- Organizing scientific conferences and scientific forums inviting participants from other European countries.

With reference to the above-mentioned items, the parties agree to form a joint team of researchers, professors and non-teaching staff for joint activities to be undertaken according to a preliminary program and schedule.

Done in duplicate in English and Turkish for both sides.

Prof. Dr. Ali Akdemir

On behalf of Canakkale  
Onsekiz Mart University

Date:.....



Dr. Ali Akdemir  
03.03.2009



Prof. Dr. Eng. D. Dimitrov

On behalf of the HS  
"Agricultural College"

Date: 03.03.2009