

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MARA

AND

ÇANAKKALE ONSEKİZ MART ÜNİVERSİTESİ

**ON FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION, PROMOTION OF MUTUAL
UNDERSTANDING, ACADEMIC, CULTURAL AND SCIENTIFIC THOUGHT
AND PERSONNEL EXCHANGE**

This **Memorandum of Understanding** is executed

BETWEEN

UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MARA (hereinafter referred to as “**UiTM**”), an institution of higher learning established under the Universiti Teknologi MARA Act 1976 whose address is at Chancellery, Universiti Teknologi MARA, 40450 Shah Alam, Selangor Malaysia and shall include its lawful representatives and permitted assigns;

AND

ÇANAKKALE ONSEKİZ MART ÜNİVERSİTESİ, ÇANAKKALE, TURKEY (hereinafter referred to as “**ÇOMÜ**”), an institution of higher learning established in 1992 under the Ministry of National Education Turkey whose address is at İzmir Yolu Terzioğlu Kampüsü, Terzioğlu Yerleşkesi, 17100 Çanakkale Merkez/Çanakkale, Turkey and shall include its lawful representatives and permitted assigns;

(hereinafter referred to singularly as “the Party” and collectively as “the Parties”)

WHEREAS

- A. UiTM is an established university with a track record of educational excellence and research and with a dynamic programme of collaborative arrangements with many international counterparts. The UiTM system is the largest university system in Malaysia. UiTM aspires to be world class in all its endeavours and forges ahead in a direction that is in tandem with the latest developments in the world.
- B. ÇOMÜ is an established university which strives to strengthen its research and educational abilities, and has entered into various collaborations arrangements with other to enhance its academic links and cooperation.
- C. The Parties are desirous of entering this Memorandum of Understanding to declare their respective intentions and to establish a basis of cooperation and collaboration between the Parties upon the terms as contained herein.

NOW THIS MOU WITNESSES AS FOLLOWS:

ARTICLE 1: OBJECTIVE

The Parties, subject to the terms of this Memorandum of Understanding and the laws, rules, regulations and national policies from time to time in force in each party's country, shall endeavour to strengthen, promote and develop academic, cultural and research co-operation between the Parties based on equality and mutual benefit.

ARTICLE 2: AREAS OF COOPERATION

- 2.1 Both parties agree to encourage the following activities to promote international academic cooperation in the following areas:
- a) institutional exchanges between faculty and staff from each partner institution;
 - b) acceptance of undergraduate and graduate students of each partner institution for periods of study and/or research;
 - c) organization of symposia, conferences, short courses and meetings on research issues;
 - d) exchange of information pertaining to developments in teaching, student development and research institutions;
 - e) mutually promote information and activities of partner universities within the MoU on their respective websites; and
 - f) cooperation in any other areas as agreed to by the Parties from time to time.
- 2.2 For the purpose of implementing the co-operation in respect of any areas stated in paragraph 2.1 the Parties shall enter into legally binding agreements subject to terms and conditions as mutually agreed upon by the

parties including clauses on “confidentiality”, “suspension”, “protection of intellectual property rights” and “settlement of disputes”.

ARTICLE 3: FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

- 3.1 This Memorandum of Understanding shall not give rise to any financial obligation by one Party to the other.
- 3.2 Each Party shall bear its own cost and expenses in the implementation of this Memorandum of Understanding.

ARTICLE 4: EFFECT OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding serves only as a record of the Parties' intentions and does not constitute or create, any legally binding or enforceable obligations, express or implied, under domestic or international law.

ARTICLE 5: NO AGENCY

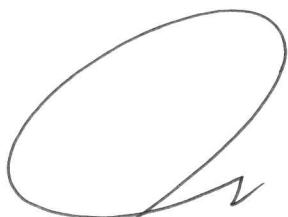
Nothing contained herein is to be construed to constitute a joint venture partnership or formal business organisation of any kind between the Parties or so to constitute either party as the agent of the other.

ARTICLE 6: ENTRY INTO EFFECT AND DURATION

- 6.1 This Memorandum of Understanding shall become effective as of the date of signatures of both parties, and if the dates vary, then the date of the later signature.
- 6.2 This Memorandum of Understanding shall remain in effect for a period of THREE (3) years.
- 6.3 This Memorandum of Understanding may be extended for such further period as may be agreed upon in writing by both parties.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF this Memorandum of Understanding has been duly signed in duplicate at GOMU on this 5 day of 2 in the year 2024.

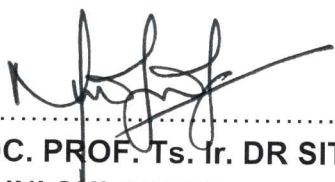
Signed By
For and on behalf of
UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MARA
40450 SHAH ALAM, SELANGOR
MALAYSIA



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PROF. Ir. DR. AHMAD RASHIDY BIN RAZALI
Rector

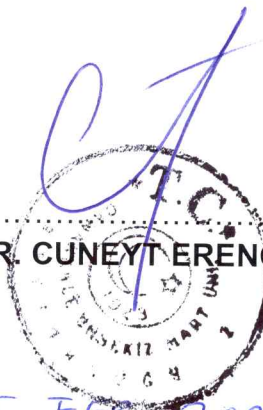
Date: 02 JAN 2024

Witnessed by:



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ASSOC. PROF. Ts. Ir. DR SITI NORAINI SULAIMAN
Deputy Rector of Academic Affairs and Internationalisation

Signed By
For and on behalf of
ÇANAKKALE ONSEKİZ MART
ÜNİVERSİTESİ, ÇANAKKALE,
TURKEY



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PROF. DR. R. CÜNEYT ERENOĞLU
Rector

Date: 05 FEB 2024

Witnessed by:



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ASSIST. PROF. DR MEHMET YILDIZ
Head of International Relation Office