

M. O. U. of Cooperation

Between

University of Basilicata, Italy

And

Ferdowsi University of Mashhad, Iran

PREAMBLE

Whereas University of Basilicata, Italy, and Ferdowsi University of Mashhad, Islamic Republic of Iran, hereinafter referred to as Parties, are interested in developing scientific cooperation and knowledge exchange, the Parties agreed to compile their cooperation program as follows:

ART.1

The Objective of Memorandum of Understanding

Recognizing the importance of academic, research and technological cooperation between universities and research centers for active engagement of academic members and researchers and in order to expand the academic relationships, University of Basilicata and Ferdowsi University of Mashhad have agreed as follows:

1. To facilitate the exchange of academic members, researchers and experts for conducting research, teaching or exchange of ideas.
2. To provide opportunities for professors and researchers to participate in conferences, symposia, and international meetings of both universities.
3. To provide necessary facilities to exchange professors to spend their sabbatical leaves in each other's universities.
4. To collaborate in holding joint scientific, research and technological exhibitions and conducting joint research projects.
5. To exchange students in the areas of mutual interest consistent with regulations of both countries.

6. To exchange information, books, academic publications, scientific and research documents, student theses, micro-films and computer software in the educational, research and technological areas.
7. To facilitate the visit of academic members, researchers, students of both universities.
8. To provide the facilities for participation of students in sport competitions.
9. To support the establishment of the chair of the languages and literature in the universities of both countries.
10. University of Basilicata voices its readiness to admit the students of FUM in short-term Italian language programs.
11. FUM voices its readiness to admit the students of University of Basilicata in short-term Persian language programs.
12. Within the framework of this M.O.U of Cooperation, both Parties will set another executive programme to agree upon the execution of the mutual agreement.

ART.2

Financial Commitments

Agreement of financial and administrative affairs shall be done by direct contact of the parties and financing any of the above-mentioned activities shall be subject to mutual agreements and in detailed information.

ART.3

Extension & Cancellation

This present M.O.U shall remain valid for 2 years and shall be automatically extended for a similar term, unless each Party notifies the other, six months in advance, its written intention to terminate it.

For the University of Basilicata

Prof. Aurelia Sole

Rector

Date:

23 MAR. 2016



For Ferdowsi University of Mashhad

Prof. Mohammad Kafi

President

Date:

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