

ACADEMIC COOPERATION PROTOCOL BETWEEN İSTİNYE UNIVERSITY AND UNIVERSITY OF ISFAHAN

Purpose

ARTICLE 1- (1) Hereby this protocol was contracted between İstinye University, Turkey, and the University of Isfahan, Iran, to promote and improve the cooperation and mutual understanding within the framework of the below-mentioned provisions.

Scope

ARTICLE 2- (1) İstinye University and the University of Isfahan will cooperate on the below-mentioned issues within the boundaries of country legislation and facilities.

- a) Common research studies consisting the exchange of teaching assistants and instructors,
- b) Developing student exchange programs under the legislation of each two countries and introducing dual degree programs,
- c) Exchanging academic research data and technical materials,
- d) Organizing academic and scientific activities such as conferences, seminars, symposiums, congresses,
- e) Publication and cooperation in cultural activities.

(2) Any exchange within the scope of common research will be planned and performed according to the facilities and conditions of both universities. The procedures and principles of the exchange program will be defined in a supplementary protocol and signed by the two parties.

Program and activity

ARTICLE 3- (1) Programs and activities may be actualized after the written approval of each two universities.

(2) Expenses of all activities subject to the supplementary protocol signed between the parties will be according to the regulations of the two universities.

The obligation of the protocol

ARTICLE 4- (1) This protocol does not bind any of the two parties, financially.

(2) The above-mentioned academic exchanges are limited by the legislation and budget sources of the two countries.

(3) Signing this protocol does not impose an obligation to accept any specific agreement.

(4) Because of the common activities carried out within the scope of this protocol, the parties regulate intellectual property rights before starting a common project study.

(5) The Parties shall comply with all laws, regulations, and other legal requirements applicable in the countries of both parties in connection with this Agreement.

Period of the protocol

ARTICLE 5- (1) This protocol will be valid for the following 5 years as of the signature date; this period may be extended with the written consensus of the parties.

(2) When needed, amendments can be done to this protocol and supplementary protocols with the common and written consensus of duly authorized representatives of two

universities. Supplementary protocols and amendments will not be valid unless they are written and signed.

(3) If one of the universities intends to terminate the protocol, it shall write and communicate the termination to the other party at least six months in advance in writing. In such a case, existing projects will be continued until they are accomplished, and students involved in these programs complete their education within the scope of this protocol.

(4) This protocol has been prepared in two original copies with equal validity, in Turkish and English languages. In case of discrepancy between the parties, the English text shall prevail.

Termination of the protocol

ARTICLE 6- (1) In case of contradiction of one party to the protocol, another party may immediately terminate the protocol.

(2) In case of termination, Article 5-3 of this protocol is followed.

(3) In case of termination, all kinds of loss with its accessories shall be reimbursed by the causative party.

Applicable law and competent court

ARTICLE 7- (1) Any dispute that may arise shall be settled through amicable negotiations of the Joint Committee composed of members appointed by both Parties, according to the laws of Turkey and Iran.

Contact information


ARTICLE 8- (1) The parties will designate one person or department/unit to be contacted in implementing this protocol.


(2) Contact information for Istinye University: International Relations Directorate, Tel: +90 850 283 61 57/58/59, E-Mail: international@istinye.edu.tr

(3) Contact information for University of Isfahan: International Office, Tel: +98 313 793 2040, E-Mail: int-office@ui.ac.ir

Enforcement

ARTICLE 9- (1) This Agreement, was drafted as of 2 (two) copies and consisting of 9 (nine) articles, 2 (two) pages, and signed and executed by the parties on April 20, 2022.



Signatory: Prof. Erkan İbiş
Position: Rector

Date: 05.04.2022

Signatory: Prof. Hossein Harsij
Position: President

Date: April 20, 2022
