



ARISTOTLE
UNIVERSITY OF
THESSALONIKI



جامعة الأمير محمد بن فهد
PRINCE MOHAMMAD BIN FAHD UNIVERSITY

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF ACADEMIC COOPERATION

Between

ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY OF THESSALONIKI

And

**PRINCE MOHAMMAD BIN FAHD UNIVERSITY
AL KHOBAR, SAUDI ARABIA**

In furtherance of their mutual interests in the field of education and research and as a contribution to increased international cooperation, Aristotle University of Thessaloniki and Prince Mohammad Bin Fahd University, have agreed that:

1. The two institutions will:
 - i) cooperate in the exchange of information relating to their activities in teaching and research in fields of mutual interests;
 - ii) promote appropriate joint research projects and joint courses of study, with particular emphasis on internationally funded projects;
 - iii) endeavour to encourage students and staff to spend periods of time in the host institution. The exchange of students will be dependent upon the execution of a formal Student Exchange Agreement mutually agreed between the parties in writing prior to commencement of this activity;
 - iv) conduct cultural projects, as mutually agreed in writing between the parties, prior to commencement of this activity;
 - v) conduct study tours, as mutually agreed in writing between the parties, prior to the commencement of this activity;
 - vi) provide Study Abroad opportunities at undergraduate and graduate level as mutually agreed in writing between the parties prior to the commencement of this activity;

- vii) provide student articulation opportunities at undergraduate and graduate level as mutually agreed in writing between the parties prior to the commencement of this arrangement.
- 2. The aim of the Memorandum of Understanding shall be to achieve a broad balance in the respective contributions and benefits of the collaboration, and this shall be subject to periodic review by both Institutions.
- 3. The coordinators from the two institutions will prepare an annual joint report on activities in the areas of cooperation under this Memorandum of Understanding.
- 4. In the implementation of specific cooperative programs, a written agreement covering all relevant aspects including funding and the obligations to be undertaken by each party will be negotiated, mutually agreed and formalised in writing, prior to the commencement of the program.
- 5. This Memorandum of Understanding will take effect from the date of its signing and shall be valid for a period of five years from that date unless sooner terminated, revoked or modified by mutual written agreement between the parties, and may be extended by mutual written agreement.

Either party may terminate the Memorandum of Understanding at any time during the term by the provision of one year written notice to the other party.

6. SIGNATURES

Signed for and on behalf of
**Aristotle University of
 Thessaloniki**

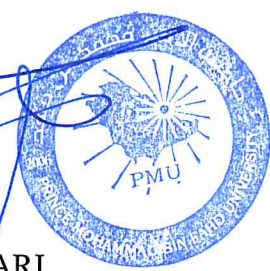


Prof. YANNIS MYLOPOULOS
 Rector

Thessaloniki, 3.4.2013

Date

Signed for and on behalf of
**Prince Mohammad Bin Fahd
 University**



Prof. Dr. ISSA H. AL - ANSARI
 Rector

Al Khobar, 8/05/2013

Date