



AGREEMENT FOR ACADEMIC COOPERATION

between Northeastern University and Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

Northeastern University by means of the State Key Laboratory of Synthetical Automation for Process Industries and Aristotle University of Thessaloniki by means of Laboratory of Computer Science and Numerical Analysis of the School of Mathematics recognize that cooperating would be of mutual benefit and would serve as an indication of continued interest in joint activities. It is agreed the institutions will explore:

- 1. Collaborating on intelligent manufacturing especially in developing data-driven optimization and control including intelligent data modelling, learning algorithms for smart decision-making for complex process industries.
- 2. The exchange of faculty for joint teaching and research programs,
- 3. Encouraging the enrollment of qualified students in the other's academic programs, and
- 4. Co-supervising graduate students and publishing joint papers.

This Agreement for Academic Cooperation will become effective on the final date of signing and will be valid for a period of five years. It will thereafter be automatically renewed every five years subsequently unless either university notifies its intention of termination at least three months prior to the expiration date.

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