



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

NANCHANG UNIVERSITY, PRC

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(Herein called "NCU")

And

ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY OF THESSALONIKI, GR

UNIVERSITY CAMPUS, 54 124 THESSALONIKI, GREECE

(Herein called "AUTH")

This agreement is made between NCU and AUTH. The two parties to this agreement wish to establish inter-institutional cooperation and interaction, scholarly and cultural exchanges, and to promote mutual understanding. This document provides a preliminary agreement in relation to further collaboration between the two institutions. Listed below are a number of activities and initiatives intended to commence the development of the collaboration between the two institutions.

1. Areas of Cooperation

The two parties may explore cooperation in the following areas:

- Exchange of Faculty and Administrative/Professional Staff;
- Transfer Student Program (hereinafter referred to as TSP);
- Summer Schools;
- Individual and Joint Research Programs;
- Joint Education Programs at both the undergraduate and postgraduate levels; and
- Application for the construction of a joint laboratory.

2. Coordinators

To guarantee the fulfillment of conditions under this Agreement, each Party appoints a coordinator with the partner University. The coordinator guarantees that the other Party shall have all information necessary for cooperation.

• On the part of NCU:

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3. Commencement, Duration, and Termination of the Agreement

This agreement will become effective on the date of signing between the legal representatives or their trustees of NCU and AUTH. It is understood by NCU and AUTH that the agreement will be modified in writing from time to time based on our partnership experiences, and that subsequent agreements will be made between the two institutions, detailing the specific terms relating to each of the activities listed above.

This agreement is not intended to be a legally binding document. It is meant to describe the nature and to suggest the guidelines of the cooperation described above. Nothing therefore shall diminish the full autonomy of either institution, nor will any constraints be imposed by either upon the other in carrying out the agreement.

The agreement will remain in effect for five years. It will be automatically extended at the end of the three-year period by mutual written agreement of both institutions. It may be terminated by either party upon at least six months written notice, by either the signers of this document or their successors.

On behalf of NANCHANG UNIVERSITY	On behalf of ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY OF THESSALONIKI
Signed:	Signed
Prof. Nie Shaoping Vice President	Prof. Apostolos Apostolidis Acting Rector
Date: 2023. 12. 21	12-12.2023 Date: