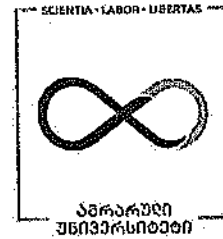




ARISTOTLE
UNIVERSITY OF
THESSALONIKI



AGREEMENT FOR ACADEMIC COOPERATION

between the

ARISTOTLE UNIVERSITY OF THESSALONIKI, GREECE

and the

AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

The contracting parties: 1) Aristotle University of Thessaloniki, represented by its Rector, Prof. Haralambos N. Feidas and 2) Agricultural University of Georgia represented by its Rector, Prof. Vakhtang Lejava, agree on the following:

ARTICLE I

Aristotle University of Thessaloniki and Agricultural University of Georgia are establishing this agreement in order to encourage cooperation in teaching and research in areas of mutual interest, as well as exchange of students, faculty and staff between the two institutions. Details for each cooperation will be specified in a working program, prepared in the year before the realization of the program.

ARTICLE II

1. Exchange of academic staff

The home institution shall bear travel expenses for its faculty member(s), on the provision that related funds will be available.

The host institution shall bear the expenses of accommodation, meals, and basic health insurance, on the provision that related funds will be available. The host institution will supply the visiting Faculty with access to library, working space and technological facilities.

2. Common research programs

Members of the academic staff, serving at each University, can collaborate in common research projects. The results will be jointly published to the mutual benefit of both Institutes.

3. Publications etc.

Collaboration in publications and scientific events between the two Universities is desirable.

4. Working program

For the realization of the activities mentioned above, a Working program covering a whole academic year will be prepared each year.

The Working program will include the names of faculty students and/or research associates, who will visit the two Universities respectively, the specific academic purpose of the visit (e.g. detailed teaching schedule and content, description of research program, description of program of study etc.), the time and terms of stay in the host country on a reciprocal basis.

ARTICLE III



No financial commitment whatsoever on either signatory to this document is intended or implied. Both Institutions will actively seek in National and International programs (i.e. Erasmus+ International) opportunities aimed at the provision of funds to carry out activities that will promote the development of cooperation. For visiting exchange faculty members, both Institutions will explore the possibility of providing free accommodation.

ARTICLE IV

This contract will be valid immediately after the authorized representatives of both Universities have signed it. The agreement is valid for five (5) full years but it may be renewed upon mutual decision of the two parties.

The contracting parties declare that they have read the present document and have agreed on all terms and conditions herein. The agreement issued in two (2) copies in English is signed by both contracting parties.

For the
Aristotle University of Thessaloniki



Professor Haralambos V. Feldas
Rector

Thessaloniki, 28.8.2024

For the
Agricultural University of Georgia



Professor Vakhlang Lejava,
Rector

Tbilisi, 16.09.2024