



IN THE NAME OF GOD

Memorandum of Understanding

Between:

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Recognizing the importance of academic, research, and technological cooperation between universities and research centers the two above mentioned universities agreed as follows:

1. To provide opportunities for professors and researches to participate in conferences, simposia, and to serve on desertation advisory committee of the universities and serves as external examiners or joint supervisors. If the required documents are in the original languages the proper translation should be provided. It worth mentioning that because of the properties inherent in the technical thesis exact translation are not so complicated and can be implemented by the ordinary translation agencies either in the form of original languages or in English.
2. To provide the necessary facilities to exchange professors who wish to spend their sabbatical lives in each other universities (to be negotiated on a case by case basis).
3. To offer and provide short courses for the industries in order to train engineers of respectable countries of both sides.
4. To collaborate in holding joint scientific, research and technological exhibitions and conduct joint research projects.
5. To exchange postgraduate students in the areas of mutual interest consistent with regulations of both universities. Students must show academic excellence and English proficiency. Research topics and thesis will be jointly agreed upon case by case basis.
6. To exchange public information in the form of books, academic publications, scientific and research documents, student's thesis, and computer software in the educational, research and technological areas.
7. To set up laboratories based on both parties requirements and train technical staffs relevant to the labs (to be negotiated on a case by case basis).



8. To establish a working committee in order to follow up on the above agreed items. The committee will be responsible for gathering detailed information to bring the above agreed items into operation. Any financial aspect involved in the implementation of the MOU will be delta with by the above defined working committee.

The both parties hope that the above agreement would lead to scientific, technical and educational progress for both universities in specific and their respected countries in general (Enshalah).

President of Damascus University

President of Amir Kabir University

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