

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between Teesside University of Middlesbrough TS1 3BA and Komar University of Science and Technology ("the Parties")

Dated this Memorandum is to take effect: 21 January 2020

- 1. This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") recognises the intention of the Parties to establish and build a relationship, co-operate in a broad range of areas and to work together to gain a mutual benefit. The Parties may seek to encourage and develop collaborative activities in various ways, including but not limited to; the exchange of scholarly ideas/expertise and research; the support of specific discipline interaction; the development of programmes, student exchanges; and advance entry from one institution to the other where the students are appropriately qualified.
- 2. Separate agreements will be required for any definitive collaborations as articulated by the Teesside University's quality processes. The Parties understand that any financial considerations associated with any collaboration will be dealt with via a legally binding contract. In the course of discussions, the Parties may, before the entering of a legally binding contract, wish to document the understanding reached on financials. In such cases, the Parties agree to append any such understanding to this MOU in Appendix A.
- Both Parties recognise the value of this MOU in promoting its own programme and activities. However, any marketing material/activity which includes reference to the other party must be sent to that Party and be approved before use.
- 4. This MOU is for [2 years] in the first instance and will be reviewed thereafter. Each Party has the right to discontinue the arrangements subject to a period of [3] months' notice to be given. This MoU may also be terminated at any time by mutual consent of both Parties.
- In the event of termination, the Parties will honour any agreed commitments either via existing agreed arrangements or by suitable negotiated alternatives.
- 6. This MOU signifies a statement of intention to collaborate but is not a legally binding document and has no legal effect. The Parties agree that neither Party will make and claim against the other for any loss or damage including but not limited to any consequential damages or lost profits, arising from any discussions, actions taken in reliance on this MOU or for termination of the negotiations without reaching a comprehensive agreement.

Signatures to the Agreement

Professor David Bell Pro-Vice Chancellor International

Date: 30/01/2020
For and on behalf of Teesside University

Professor Kawis Faraj Vice President for Academic Affairs

For and on behalf of Komar University of Science

Date: 18/07/2020

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