



**AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION
BETWEEN**

**The University of Western Macedonia (Greece)
and
The University of Kragujevac (Serbia)**

This Agreement of Cooperation is entered into by and between the University of Western Macedonia, with a registered address at Parko Agiou Dimitriou, Kozani, 50100, Greece and the University of Kragujevac, with a registered address at Jovana Cvijića bb, Kragujevac, 34000, Serbia and are referred to collectively, as “Parties” or individually as “Party.”

Article 1

The purpose of this Agreement is to define the areas for increased collaboration, cooperation and interaction for further promotion of education, science and research in which the Parties desire to work together in the future for their mutual benefit to foster a collaborative and mutually beneficial framework between both Parties in related fields with a view to benefiting from each other’s initiatives and working procedures and to support collaboration among the academic staff and researchers associated with both Parties.

Article 2

The Parties intend to:

- Pursue collaboration on fundamental, academic research in respective academic fields. Cooperate in the exchange of information relating to their activities in teaching and research in fields of mutual interest(s).
- Promote appropriate joint research projects (e.g Erasmus+ Projects), co-organize scientific conferences and seminars on mutually agreed topics, co-edit publications in fields of mutual interest.
- Co-operate in the supervision of doctoral theses, according to the Internal regulation, valid at each University.

- Undertake initiatives related to Bilingual/Multilingual education, innovative approaches to early language learning and teaching. Also actions related to the field of intercultural dialogue will be carried out.
- Short -and long-term visits of students and academic staff under specific agreements or projects that parties will undertake.

Article 3

Any collaboration results obtained during a visit will be set forth in a report that will be accessible to both Parties. Both Parties may freely use any collaboration results for publication or other research purposes. Any such use by either Party must make explicit reference to the report as well as to both Parties involved in this Agreement.

Article 4

Members of the Universities shall, on the basis of this Agreement, define the type, scope and principles of realization of this Agreement in an Annex to this Agreement.

Article 5

All commitments, obligations and expenditures related to projects approved under this agreement shall be administered in accordance with each university's normal practices and policies and the specific terms and conditions of the funding agencies.

Article 6

By signing this Agreement the Universities assume no financial responsibility.

Article 7

Possible amendments and additions to this agreement shall be considered in writing and annexed to this agreement.

Article 8

The present agreement will become effective from the date the contract is signed by the representatives of the two parties.

Upon approval by each institution, this agreement shall remain in effect for a period of 3 years.

After the termination date, this Agreement may be extended by mutual agreement in writing.

This agreement may be terminated by either university giving six (6) months written notice to the partner institution.

This agreement is to be drawn up and signed in two copies in English.

The Parties to this Agreement of Cooperation hereby confirm their agreement to its terms by the following signatures:


The University of Kragujevac

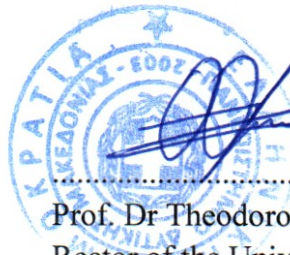
The University of Western Macedonia


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Prof. Dr.
Rector of the University of Kragujevac



Kragujevac,
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Prof. Dr Theodoros Theodoulidis
Rector of the University of Western Macedonia



Kozani,
27/1/2020
Date