



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ON JOINT RESEARCH PROJECTS AND JOINT DOCTORATES

OF TECHNISCHE UNIVERSITÄT BERLIN AND

SAMARKAND STATE UNIVERSITY NAMED AFTER SHAROF RASHIDOV (UZBEKISTAN)

- 1. Technische Universität Berlin and Samarkand State University named after Sharaf Rashidov have concluded this Memorandum of Understanding in recognition of the mutual benefits accruing to their academic communities from organizing and performing joint research projects in which students and doctoral student may be involved.
- 2. The two universities agree to promote and develop their cooperation by the following means:
- (a) Facilitating exchange of researchers and students with the aim of identifying the common research areas and the research partners.
- (b) Facilitating organization and search for funding of joint research projects.
- (c) Facilitating joint doctorates in the framework of Cotutelle procedure according to § 12 Joint doctoral process with foreign educational institutions of the "Doctoral regulations of the Technische Universität Berlin" from 24.05.2023.
- 3. This Memorandum will become effective from the date when representatives of both universities shall have affixed their signatures to it and shall be valid for an initial period of five years. The Memorandum may be extended beyond

that period as a result of discussion by representatives of both universities commencing not later than three months before the terminal date of the initial period.

4. The Memorandum may be revised or modified within its period of validity by mutual consent. It may also be terminated within that period by either party giving not less than three months in advance a written notice of the intention to terminate to the other party.

Technische Universität Berlin Samarkand State University
Talled after Sharaf Rashidov

Prof. Dr. Geraldine Rauch

President

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Prof. Dr. R.I. Khalmuradov

Rector

Samarkand State University named after Sharof Rashidov

(Date) 08.04.2024

(Date) <u>25,04,2024</u>