Memorandum of Understanding on Student Exchange Between Samarkand State University (Samarkand, Uzbekistan) and Kogakuin University (Tokyo, Japan)

In accordance with the Agreement of General Academic Cooperation concluded on 23/01/2019, Samarkand State University, Uzbekistan, (hereafter SamSU) and Kogakuin University, Japan, (hereafter KU) shall implement a program for exchanging undergraduate and graduate students (hereafter referred to as 'exchange students') under the following provisions:

- 1. The exchange students here are defined as those who study within one (1) year at the host institution. The exchange period shall not exceed one (1) year. The period of exchange shall be decided by prior consultation between SamSU and KU.
- 2. The host university will decide what status the students accepted will have.
- 3. Each university shall accept a maximum of four (4) students annually.
- 4. The students to be exchanged should have the academic and linguistic abilities sufficient for participating in this program. Each university will nominate exchange students appropriate for the purpose of the academic exchange.
- 5. Prior to the approval of the nominated students, the host university will be provided by the home university with the students' academic records and letters of recommendation.
- 6. The host university issues certificate of completion for the exchange student. Credits acquired by the student shall be transferable at the home institution.

 The home university may request the host university to issue the documents of credits.
- 7. The host university will waive entrance fee, tuition and examination fees.
- 8. The host university has no financial obligation for living expenses, accommodation, transportation fee and medical treatment for the exchange students. Exchange students must have health insurance. Exchange student must submit copy of his/her health insurance policy which covers all the required medical expenses while studying in each country.
- 9. This Memorandum of Understanding on Student Exchange is valid for the same period as the Agreement. The validity of this Memorandum of Understanding on Student Exchange shall be extended for another five (5) years unless either party declares its termination in written form, provided sixty (60) days in advance.
- 10. This MOU is made in two identical copies with both texts being equally authentic. The parties will sign on each copy and retain a copy for themselves.

Date:

Prof. Rustam Khalmuradov, Rector

Samarkand State University

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Date: July 3, 2019

Prof. Dr. Mitsunobu Sato, President

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