



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
ON ACADEMIC CO-OPERATION
BETWEEN
SAMARKAND STATE UNIVERSITY
NAMED AFTER SHAROF RASHIDOV (UZBEKISTAN)
AND
KOOKMIN UNIVERSITY (KOREA)**

1. Kookmin University and Samarkand State University named after Sharof Rashidov have concluded this Memorandum of Agreement in recognition of the mutual benefits accruing to their academic communities from the establishment of strong international links.
2. The purpose of this Memorandum is to promote friendly relations through the development of academic collaboration between the two universities.
3. The two universities agree to promote and develop their co-operation by the following means:
 - (a) Facilitating admission of staff and students
 - (b) Exploring the possibility of staff and student exchanges
 - (c) Exploring the possibility of joint cooperative research projects
 - (d) The exchange of information and academic publications
 - (e) Such other ways as may be mutually acceptable
 - (f) Jointly organize Summer school
4. Members of staff of both universities will be encouraged to consult with each other and to develop specific plans for collaboration in any of the ways mentioned in Article 3 above.

5. Recognizing that the implementation of any form of academic collaboration depends on the availability of financial support both universities shall use their best endeavors to identify and gain access to suitable sources of funding to support the activities proposed in the Memorandum.

6. 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.

7. 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 written notice of the intention to terminate to the other party.

**Samarkand State University
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