**Agreement of Cooperation**

**between**

 **(*name of faculty/school and partner university, city*)**

**and the**

 **(*name of faculty/school*) of the Technische Universität Dresden**

In order to further the effective and mutually beneficial cooperation and develop academic and cultural exchange in education, research and other areas, the Faculty of ... (*name of faculty/school and partner university*) and the Faculty of (*name of faculty/school*) of the Technische Universität Dresden hereby agree to co-operate toward the internationalisation of higher education.

Article 1

The cooperation includes all departments agreed upon by both Faculties/Schools and covers joint research as well as the exchange of information in the respective academic programs.

Article 2

Both faculties/schools agree to the exchange of faculty and students. Both will dispense with students and faculty as far as possible in order to enable their participation in teaching and research programs.

Article 3

The number of exchange students and scientists, the financial conditions for the accommodation of the visitors and related questions are to be decided on a case by case basis.

Article 4

No tuition fee is required from incoming students who are participating in the reciprocal student exchange program. Modest student service fees may apply.

Article 5

The agreement is made with the reservation that both parties have the necessary financial means at their disposal.

Article 6

Both parties agree to undertake appropriate initiatives to find sufficient funding for all forms of cooperation, in particular to make use of all means of scholarships and grants.

Article 7

Both parties agree to further the publication of important research papers in scientific journals or academic periodicals as well as the exchange of academic publications.

Article 8

The co-operating academic institutions of both universities commit themselves to inform each other of congresses, colloquia, conferences and seminars held at either faculty and to exchange the results.

Article 9

This agreement may be altered or amended based upon mutual arrangement.

Article 10

The agreement is concluded for a period of () years. Prior to the expiry of this agreement, the Parties may mutually agree to renew this agreement for additional consecutive periods of () years. Either Party may terminate this Agreement of Cooperation by giving the other Party 6 months’ prior written notice. Faculty members taking part in ongoing projects will not be concerned by a termination.

Article 11

Each faculty/school nominates a member of staff as coordinator of the Cooperation between the two faculties.

*Place and date Place and date*

*Name of Faculty/School and University* *Name of Faculty/School*

*Name of Partner University* Technische Universität Dresden

*Dean/Chairperson of the School* *Dean/Chairperson of the School*