



COOPERATION AGREEMENT

BETWEEN THE

UNIVERSITY OF ALGARVE

AND

SAINT-JOSEPH UNIVERSITY

The University of Algarve, hereinafter referred to as UAlg, established at *Campus da Penha*, in Faro, Portugal, with the legal person identification number 505 387 271, represented by the Rector, Professor António Manuel da Costa Guedes Branco, as the 1st Party Signatory,

and

Saint-Joseph University, (hereinafter referred to as USJ), established at Damascus Street, PO.Box 17-5208 Mar Mikhaël 1104 2020 - Lebanon, represented by the Rector, Professor Salim Daccache s.j., as the 2nd Party Signatory,

agree upon the present Cooperation Agreement under the following terms:

1st Article

Purpose

The primary purpose of this Cooperation Agreement is the development of joint initiatives that promote the scientific and technical cooperation between UAlg and USJ.

2nd Article

Context

This Cooperation Agreement is established in the interests of both institutions, namely concerning the:

- a) Exchange of faculty members;
- b) Scientific and technical cooperation in relevant areas;
- c) Cooperation in some areas of education and training, including (but not limited to) activities such as joint conferences, seminars, meetings and similar.



3rd Article Functioning

1 - The implementation of this Cooperation Agreement will be defined case by case, through the conclusion of Specific Cooperation Agreements or through written correspondence between those duly designated as Signatory in each institution.

2 - The Signatories may, whenever they so wish, nominate representatives and give them the powers of signature and execution of further Specific Agreements that are concluded under this Cooperation Agreement.

3 - Further agreements will take into account the specificities of each action, which must be properly outlined, in particular as regards the definition of objectives, the methodologies to be applied, the means of provision and the financial resources involved.

4th Article Obligation of the parties

In order to establish the intended cooperation correctly, each party, after consultation, undertakes to make available to the other the means necessary to implement the agreed measures, respecting the rules established between them and without prejudice to its normal operation.

5th Article Publications

All publications resulting from actions taken under this Agreement shall be properly referenced concerning their authorship and participating institutions.

6th Article Duration of the Agreement

1 - This agreement will remain in place for the period of five years, coming into effect upon the date of last signature, and may be reviewed at any time.

2- The agreement can be denounced after a six(6)-month-written notice by one of the parties, providing that the students' rights be preserved and without causing prejudice to ongoing actions.

7th Article
Litigation

Both parties undertake to solve between them any doubts, omissions or difficulties in the interpretation that may appear in the implementation of this agreement.

For UAlg
Date: 3.3.2017

For USJ
Date: 03 MARS 2017


Professor António Branco
Rector


Salim Daccache s.j.
Rector