**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (M.O.U)**

 **BETWEEN**

**UNIVERSITY OF MAZANDARAN**

**AND**

**UNIVERSITY OF ……………………….**

**Between**

**University of Mazandaran** (hereinafter referred to as “**UMZ**”), a comprehensive university located at Pasdaran St. Babolsar, Mazandaran, IRAN ([www.umz.ac.ir](http://www.umz.ac.ir/)).

**And**

**University of ----------** (hereinafter referred to as “**---------------**”) as a leading research university in ------name of the country------- which is located in --------------------------address of the university--------------------------------- ([www.---------------------](http://www.---------------------/))

**UMZ** and **----------** shall hereinafter be referred to singularly as “the Party” and jointly as “the Parties”.

Recognizing the importance of academic, research and technological cooperation between universities and research centers for active engagement of academic members and researchers in the field of science and technology, and in order to strengthen academic ties and exchanges, University of Mazandaran and the University of ……………….. have agreed:

1- To facilitate the exchange of academic members, researchers and experts for conducting research, teaching or exchange of ideas,

 2- To provide opportunities for professors and researchers to participate in conferences, symposiums and international meetings of both universities,

3- To provide necessary facilities to exchange professors for sabbatical leaves,

4- To collaborate in holding joint scientific, research and technological exhibitions and conducting joint research projects,

5- To exchange students in the areas of mutual interests consistent with the rules and regulations of both countries,

6- To exchange information, books, academic publications, scientific and research documents, students theses, and computer software in the areas of education, research and technology,

7- To facilitate the visits of academic members, and students of both universities,

8- To provide facilities for participation of students in sport competitions,

9- To support the establishment of the chair of languages and literature in both universities.

10- To cooperate in research fields and to facilitate the accessibility of laboratory equipment to the other party,

11- To share information and look for opportunities to collaborate in future,

12- University of Mazandaran announces its readiness to admit students of the University of ……………….. in short-term Persian language programs,

13- The Financing of any of the above-mentioned activities shall be subjected to mutual agreements,

Within the framework of this M.O.U, both parties will set an executive program to agree upon the execution of the mutual agreement. The present MoU shall remain valid for five years and may be renewed or terminated within six months of written notice to the other party.

This M.O.U is to be executed in two identical copies on …./…./…. and shall come into force upon the signature of both parties.

***This MOU contains 12Articles and signed on 00-00-0000 which corresponds to 00-00-0000 Iranian calendar.***

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| Prof. Kourosh NozariPresident ofUniversity of MazandaranDate: | Professor ……Chancellor/RectorUniversity of ……..Date: |