

COOPERATION PROTOCOL

between



ISPARTA UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES

and



UNIVERSITY OF PRIZREN





Isparta University of Applied Sciences (hereafter referred to as **ISUBU**, address: 32260 Çünür, Isparta, Turkey) and

University of Prizren (hereafter referred to as **UPZ**, Rruga e Shkronjave, nr. 1 20000 Prizren, Republic of Kosova) aim to establish and develop a strategic collaborative relationship in order to promote academic and cultural exchange between the two institutions based on the following provisions:

I. Areas of Cooperation

The Cooperation Protocol will serve as a general framework for institutional cooperation through a broad range of activities such as:

- a. Exchange of students for study and research;
- b. Short-term programs;
- c. Exchange of academic staff for teaching and research;
- d. Collaboration on research projects and publications;
- e. Organizing joint seminars, conferences and other scientific events;
- f. Development of joint and dual degree programs or articulation and progression agreements;
- g. The establishment of a Joint Baltic Turkish Centre for Studies, Research and Innovations in Antalya;
- h. Organizing joint cultural activities designed to promote international understanding

II. Principles of Cooperation

- The Cooperation Protocol as outlined in this document is meant to describe the cooperative intentions of the institutions involved and suggest guidelines for cooperation. Any specific program will be subject to availability of funds and the mutual agreement of the two institutions.
- 2. The terms of cooperation for each specific activity implemented under this Cooperation Protocol will be mutually discussed and agreed upon in writing by both parties in a separate agreement, prior to the initiation of that activity. Any such implementation agreements will form appendices to this Cooperation Protocol.
- 3. Financial and/or funding consideration shall become the subject of specific discussion and agreement within the framework of separate implementation agreement. No financial commitment, on the part of either signatory, is intended in or to be implied from this general document.

III. Management of Cooperation

- Each institution will designate an administrative office who will be the principal contact
 point for regular communications and the planning of activities for the implementation of
 this Cooperation Protocol.
- Each institution will do its best to identify areas of mutual interest and key academic staff in relevant departments in order to formulate concrete proposals for research and teaching activities.





Duration and Termination IV.

The Cooperation Protocol will remain in force for a period of 5 (five) years from the date of the last signature. The Cooperation Protocol may be amended, terminated or extended by mutually written consent of the authorities of the two parties.

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