



Sistership Agreement

This agreement is between Tajik National University and Tehran University of Medical Sciences (TUMS). The parties commit to actively participating in the agreement and confirm that they will adhere to the terms of this agreement. The aim of this agreement is to develop joint programs of study, exchange and cooperation in the areas of teaching, research and student training, in the terms stated henceforth. The agreement will be developed within the framework of cultural and scientific cooperation established between the two countries.

Communication

The parties commit that regular communication will take place between the partners who will share with each other all relevant information needed to further the objectives of the agreement. In addition, the parties agree that at least One meeting (whether physical or virtual) will take place every three months. Parties are encouraged to set the dates and times of such meetings in the collaboration plan.

Areas of Cooperation

1. Both sides will try to define at least one joint research project in related areas within an academic year.
2. Both sides will cooperate in holding one joint international conferences, exhibitions and workshops.
3. Both sides will collaborate in establishing one joint degree program in the area of mutual interest.
4. Both sides will facilitate the exchange of faculty members to spend sabbatical leave in respective institutions affiliated with the respective parties. Obviously, each party will undergo the expenses of exchange.
5. Both sides will cooperate in exchange of information and joint production of the publication of scholarly journals.
6. Both sides will cooperate in intensifying the cultural and academic relations.
7. Both sides will facilitate the exchange of procedures of accreditation.

Financial Support

The parties agree to each bear the costs associated with their respective participation in the agreement.

Effective Date, Duration and Termination

This Agreement shall be effective as of 11, 29 2014 and shall remain in force for three years.



Either party can terminate this agreement at any time and for any reason by giving the other party a written notice. Prior to providing notice under this clause, the party intending to terminate the agreement agrees to organize a meeting with the other party (either a physical or virtual meeting) to discuss its intention to terminate. The meeting will be held for the purpose of exploring possible solutions for continuing the agreement.

Coordinators

Both parties will appoint a coordinator to facilitate the communication between them.

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