## Agreement on the Bilateral Scientific Cooperation

## Faculty of Pharmacy, Tehran University of Medical Sciences (TUMS)

## and

## Hacettepe University University / Faculty of Pharmacy

- 1. Both sides will strive for cooperation in the areas of (continuing-) education and research. For this purpose, they will try to exchange of scientists, doctoral candidates, faculty members and students for information, study, and research work visits as well as for visiting lecturer positions, continuing education, and joint interests in teaching and research.
- 2. The partners support the education of doctoral and candidates within the framework of dissertation visits at the partner institution and the exchange of students.
- 3. They inform one another about scientific events and secure facilitation within the bounds of possibility in case of participation interest of the partner.
- 4. The themes of joint activities and the arrangements for exchange visits and other forms of cooperation will be negotiated separately for each specific case by the concerned parties. Both sides agree that all specific arrangements are to be negotiated and are dependent on the availability of funds. This will be agreed and specified in a separate signed additional protocol by each individual plan.
- 5. In case that research results impacting upon matters of intellectual property rights are expected to arise in the course of collaborative projects, the partners shall discuss in good faith and agree in a separate document the conditions regarding the treatment of intellectual property rights so arising, prior to the start of the collaborative project in question.
- 6. The persons involved in the exchange are responsible for sufficient insurance coverage, especially health insurance (including medical evacuation and repatriation). The partner institutions assume here no liability.

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- 7. In order to implement the goals of this agreement the parties will make use of own financial sources if they have them at their disposal. Besides these, they agree to seek financial support from national and international organisations for the cooperative activities to be undertaken. Neither partner enters into any financial obligation as a result of this agreement.
- 8. This agreement shall be effective from the date of signature for an initial period of three years unless either partner provides written notice to terminate the agreement a minimum of six month prior to the expiration date. Thereafter it shall be periodically re-evaluated and renewed subject to both partners' review and approval.

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