



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

SÜLEYMAN DEMİREL UNIVERSITY, TURKEY

AND

TEHRAN UNIVERSITY OF MEDICAL SCIENCES, IRAN

Süleyman Demirel University, Turkey and Tehran University of Medical Sciences, Iran hereby believe that mutual benefits can be derived by bridging their two institutions, achieving a closer relationship to develop academic and cultural interchange in the areas of education, research, and other activities.

Pursuant to the prevailing laws and regulations in their respective countries, as well as the procedures and policy of the Government of Turkey and the Government of Iran concerning academic and educational cooperation. The parties have agreed to cooperate in the field of:

- 1. Exchange of professors and researchers;
- 2. Exchange of students;
- 3. Coordination of joint research projects in mutual cooperation;
- 4. Organization of joint academic activities such as academic conferences, cooperative lectures, special short training courses, seminars and symposia;
- 5. Exchange of academic publications and instructional materials.

Any specific initiative developed under this Memorandum of Understanding shall be discussed and agreed upon in writing by both parties prior to the initiation of any particular program of activities. Details of any specific initiative and financial arrangements associated with the initiative shall be clearly outlined in a separate document (Letter of Intent or Activity Agreement), and will be signed by appropriate institutional officials.

Both universities understand that all financial arrangements shall be negotiated and will depend upon the availability of funds. Both universities will endeavor to obtain external funding to support collaborative efforts.

This MOU, signed for the purpose of reinforced cooperation of the Parties, will not incur any legally binding or obligations nor be interpreted to have any influence over each Party's rights or obligations pursuant to international agreements and domestic law. Any agreement with details shall be made in a separate contract.

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This agreement shall be effective upon approval by both parties and shall remain in effect for an initial period of five years with the understanding that it can be terminated by either party with six months notice, unless an earlier termination is mutually agreed upon. Revisions or modifications may be proposed at any time, effective from the date of the written agreement signed by both parties.

The signatures affixed below attest to the commitment of both institutions to the above paragraphs, as part of their respective commitment to the development of intellectual capital to its faculty and students, and to further foster international understanding, cooperation and goodwill.

For Süleyman Demirel University

Prod Dr. Iker Hüseyin ÇARIKÇI
Rector

For Tehran University of Medical Sciences

Chancellor

Date: 04 / 02 /2022

Date: 06 / 03 /2022