



**Memorandum of Understanding**  
**Between**  
**MUTAH UNIVERSITY/JORDAN**  
**and**  
**UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA/GREECE**

This Memorandum of Understanding (“MOU”) is between MUTAH UNIVERSITY, a public institution of higher education organized under the laws of Higher Education Ministry, Al-Karak, Jordan and UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA/GREECE, an institution of higher education located in Athens, Greece.

**WHEREAS**, MUTAH UNIVERSITY and UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA are institutions of higher education mutually interested in creating international partnerships to further the acquisition of knowledge and understanding of world cultures for their respective communities; and

**WHEREAS**, MUTAH UNIVERSITY and UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA have identified areas of commonality in mission and programs and agree that further discussions an affiliation between the institutions would yield benefits for the both institutions; and

**WHEREAS**, MUTAH UNIVERSITY and UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA desire to further explore the potential to engage in collaborative efforts for faculty and student research and learning experiences, including but not limited to the exchange of faculty and students; and

**WHEREAS**, this MOU memorializes the mutual desire of MUTAH UNIVERSITY and UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA to work cooperatively to develop and implement collaborative academic initiatives.

**NOW THEREFORE**, in consideration and acknowledgement of the mutual benefits to be derived from a formal partnership, MUTAH UNIVERSITY and UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA agree to enter into this MOU to explore the formation and composition of a potential academic relationship between the two institutions.

**A. Purpose.**

The purpose of this MOU is to facilitate cooperative educational and research activities for the benefit of both parties, which may include:

- Joint educational, training and/or research activities.
- Exchange of invitations to scholars for lectures, visits and sharing of experiences.
- Exchange of invitations to scholars for participation in conferences, symposia and seminars.
- Exchange of information in fields of interest to both parties.
- Exchange of faculty, research personnel, and graduate and undergraduate students for study and research.



Before proceeding with specific activities, the parties will discuss whether it is advisable to enter into a separate agreement that provides a detailed description of collaborative activities and includes additional terms and conditions regarding costs, intellectual property, liability, and other matters as the circumstances may require.

### B. Term.

The term of this MOU will commence on the date of execution by both parties and, if applicable, approval by appropriate authorities in their respective countries. The MOU will remain in effect for three years and may be renewed by the parties for subsequent terms. This MOU may be terminated by either party by giving the other party at least six months' prior written notice.

### C. Nonbinding Terms

This MOU shall not be construed as creating any legally binding rights or obligation on the part of either party and shall not be enforceable in law or equity in any court or tribunal for any purpose. The parties shall remain independent of one another and nothing herein shall be construed or interpreted, by implication or otherwise, to form a partnership, agency, joint venture or other formal business association. Each party shall bear its own expenses in connection with this MOU.

**MUTAH UNIVERSITY**

**UNIVERSITY OF WEST ATTICA**

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