

Memorandum of Understanding
between
The University of Jordan
and
Atatürk University

First Party: The University of Jordan, Queen Rania Street, Amman 11942, Jordan, represented by its President or designated officer.

Second Party: Atatürk University, Erzurum, Turkey, Represented by its Rector or designated officer.

Pursuant to their mutual recognition of the importance of establishing cooperative relationships between them, the two parties hereby enter into this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU).

ARTICLE (I): SCOPE OF THE COOPERATION

The fundamental objective of this MoU is to foster and develop cooperative relationships between the two parties that include, subject to mutual consent, the educational and research programs offered by either party.

ARTICLE (H): GENERAL AREAS OF COOPERATION

The cooperation shall be carried out, subject to availability of funds and the approval of the President of The University of Jordan and the Rector of Atatürk University or their designated officers, through:

- Joint educational, cultural, and research activities;
- Exchange of faculty members for research, teaching, and discussions;
- Exchange of advanced graduate students for collaborative or independent research;
- Participation in seminars and academic meetings;
- Exchange of academic materials, publications, and other information;
- Special short-term academic programs.

- Semester and year-long study abroad programs for degree-seeking students that provide academic credits and official transcripts. Such programs will be designed to satisfy the academic requirements of each party.


The terms of such mutual cooperation and necessary budget for each program and activity that is implemented under the terms of this MoU shall be mutually discussed and agreed upon in writing by both parties prior to the initiation of the particular program or activity, and such program and activity shall be renegotiated on an annual basis. Each party will designate a Liaison Officer to develop and coordinate specific activities or programs.

ARTICLE (III): RENEWAL, TERMINATION AND AMENDMENTS

This MoU shall remain in force for a period of five (5) years from the date of the last signature, with the understanding that it may be terminated by either party by giving written notice at least six (6) months prior to the effective date of termination. The MoU may be extended by mutual written consent of the two parties.

This MoU may be amended by the exchange of letters between the two parties. Such amendments, once approved by both parties, will become part of this MoU.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have offered their signatures:



Professor Hikmet Koçak

Rector

Atatürk University

16 / 11 / 2009



Professor Khaled Al-Karaki

President

The University of Jordan

5 / 10 / 2009