



GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR ACADEMIC COOPERATION

BETWEEN

**Sri Siddhartha Academy of Higher Education
BH Road, Tumakuru, Bangalore,
India 572107**

AND

**Technical University of Moldova
168 Stefan Cel Mare si Sfant blvd., MD 2004, Chisinau,
Republic of Moldova**

Sri Siddhartha Academy of Higher Education and Technical University of Moldova establish this General Agreement to foster international cooperation in education and research.

1. Both parties agree to encourage the following activities, in particular to promote international academic cooperation:
 - (a) Exchange of materials in education and research, publications, and academic information;
 - (b) Exchange of scholars and researchers;
 - (c) Exchange of students;
 - (d) Joint research and meetings for education and research.

Before these activities can be implemented, both parties shall discuss the problems involved to the satisfaction of each party and enter into specific activity agreements based on the mutually agreed objectives and outcomes of the relationship.

2. This General Agreement shall be applicable to educational and research organizations attached to each party.
3. This Agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties, and all prior discussions, agreements, and understandings, whether verbal or in writing, is merged in this agreement.

4. This Agreement is not considered to be a contract creating legal and financial relationships between the parties. Rather, it is designed to facilitate and develop a genuine and mutually beneficial exchange process/research relationship, and so forth.
5. This General Agreement shall become effective as of the date of signatures of both parties. The Agreement may be amended by the written consent of the parties.
6. This Agreement should be reviewed every five years to evaluate the progress and the quality of the mutual cooperation. The Agreement may be extended for additional five-year periods upon the written consent of both parties. If the Agreement is not renewed by mutual consent, the Agreement will conclude at the end of the specified time period, or after activities in progress have concluded.
7. This Agreement may be terminated by either party with a minimum of 120 days written notice. Activities in progress at the time of ending of this Agreement shall be permitted to conclude as planned unless otherwise agreed.
8. Both institutions subscribe to a policy of equal opportunity and do not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, age, marital status, ethnicity, religion, national origin or handicap.
9. Each party shall designate a person or office to serve as contact for implementing this Agreement. For Sri Siddhartha Academy of Higher Education, the contact person will be Dr K Sunil. Department of Chemistry, Sri Siddhartha Institute of Technology, Tumakuru, India, 572105, Tel 09480146151. E Mail: sunilk999@gmail.com. For Technical University of Moldova, the contact person will be Prof. Dr. hab. Larisa Bugaian, 168 Stefan cel Mare Av., Room 1-202, Tel.:373 233 705, e-mail: larisa.bugaian@adm.utm.md.
10. This Agreement is written in English and signed in two equally official copies.

Signing for
Sri Siddhartha Academy of Higher Education


Dr P Balakrishna Shetty
Vice Chancellor



Date 23. 09. 2019

Signing for
Technical University of Moldova


Prof. Dr. hab. Violeta BOSTAN
Rector



26. 09. 2019