

AGREEMENT ON ACADEMIC COOPERATION

between

Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Smetanova 17, 2000 Maribor, Slovenia

and

Faculty of Technical Sciences,
Trg Dositeja Obradovića 6, 21000 Novi Sad, Serbia

This agreement is concluded between the Faculty of Technical Sciences Novi Sad (hereinafter FTS), Serbia and the Faculty of Mechanical Engineering (hereinafter UM FME), Slovenia. FTS and UM FME, recognising the value of education, cultural and scientific cooperation between international universities, wish to establish the international academic cooperation. Therefore, considering the bilateral agreement, conditions, and terms hereinafter set forth, the parties hereby agree as follows:

Article 1.

Objective of this agreement is promoting the international scientific cooperation for the benefit of the academic education, training and research.

For this purpose the cooperating institutions shall:

- Exchange information necessary for the educational and research activities,
- Encourage educational and research activities involving other institutions,
- Conduct joint research and/or educational programs.

Article 2.

The exchange of academic materials will be made on a purely voluntary basis and will include the academic publications, pertinent research reports and will also be accompanied by lectures. Both institutions are required to maintain confidentiality with respect to institutions or individuals not included in this Agreement, until the results obtained jointly is published.

Commercialisation of the research results, patents and any other benefits arising from cooperation will be the subjects of negotiations between both institutions and defined with separate contract.

Article 3.

Both institutions will work on possibility for preparation of joint programs of study and on creating of possibility to making of joint diploma that will follow the guidelines of the Bologna process regarding the curriculum development on the undergraduate and postgraduate level. Exchange of experiences between undergraduate students, postgraduate students and university teachers in area of joint programs would be possible in accordance with modern information technologies in education and science.

Article 4.

Both parties will exchange the reports on the results of this cooperation likely every two years. These reports shall be signed by the representatives of both parties.

Article 5.

Annexes and amendments to this agreement shall be agreed by both parties in writing. This agreement has been made in two (2) equal copies in English, one for each party.

Article 6.

This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of signing and shall remain in force for a period of four (4) years. Each institution may terminate this agreement, with or without explanation by giving a written notice to the other institution six (6) months in advance. A serious violation of the contract by one party gives the other party the right to terminate it.

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