



**ACADEMIC COOPERATION AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
KYRGYZ-TURKISH MANAS UNIVERSITY  
AND  
Public Foundation “OSCE ACADEMY IN BISHKEK”**

Kyrgyz-Turkish Manas University and Public Foundation “OSCE Academy in Bishkek” have agreed to enter into this Academic Cooperation Agreement (hereinafter “Agreement”) to pursue the future establishment of a formal collaborative relationship between the two institutions, hereafter referred to as “KTMU” and “OSCE Academy”, “Party” or “the Parties”.

**ARTICLE 1**

1. The Parties agree that in the event of technical, financial and operational capacity, cooperation is carried out in: joint research activities among scholars of the two Parties;
2. Exchange of academic staff, researchers and fellows of the two Parties for periods up to one year or longer periods to be determined by mutual consent;
3. Exchange of students for periods to be defined by the two Parties;
4. Cooperation in organizing seminars, courses, workshops and other scientific meetings;
5. Co-edition of scientific publications, scientific journals and other materials for education and research purposes.
6. Exchange of information, publications, scientific journals and other materials for education and research purposes.

**ARTICLE 2**

Cooperative projects under this general Agreement may include any of the academic disciplines represented at both of the institutions.

### **ARTICLE 3**

This Agreement is a declaration of intent and does not impose any legal or financial obligations onto any of the Parties. Nothing in this Agreement infringes any of the powers of any of the Parties. Any provisions of this Agreement apply only to the extent not contrary to the national legislation of each of the Parties. Any issues that may require any financial costs for the implementation of joint activities are subject to prior approval in the additional protocol to this Agreement, signed by authorized representatives of the Parties.

### **ARTICLE 4**

The Parties undertake to keep confidential any information received from the other Party under this Agreement, which constitutes a trade secret. This Agreement does not give any of the Parties the right to use the logo, trademark or name of the other Party without the corresponding written consent of the other Party except for the purposes specified in this Agreement.

### **ARTICLE 5**

Any disputes, disagreements or claims that may arise between the Parties related to or in relation to this Agreement and / or individual protocols concluded by the Parties under and / or pursuant to this Agreement, the Parties will endeavor to resolve out of court through negotiations.

### **ARTICLE 6**

This Agreement is written in English in 2 (two) identical copies and signed by the administration of both universities.

### **ARTICLE 7**

This Agreement will be automatically extended for a period of 5 (five) years unless one of the Parties notifies the other Party in writing form at least 6 (six) months prior to the expiration date of the termination of the protocol.

### **ARTICLE 8**

In the case of the termination of this Agreement, it is guaranteed that the programs and activities that have been started and are being carried out will be continued and completed in accordance with the current terms of the Agreement.

**EXECUTIVE**

**ARTICLE 9**

**This Agreement is executed by Rectorate of the Kyrgyz-Turkish Manas University and the Director of the OSCE Academy in Bishkek.**

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**for Kyrgyz-Turkish  
Manas University**

**for OSCE Academy in Bishkek**

**Prof. Dr.  
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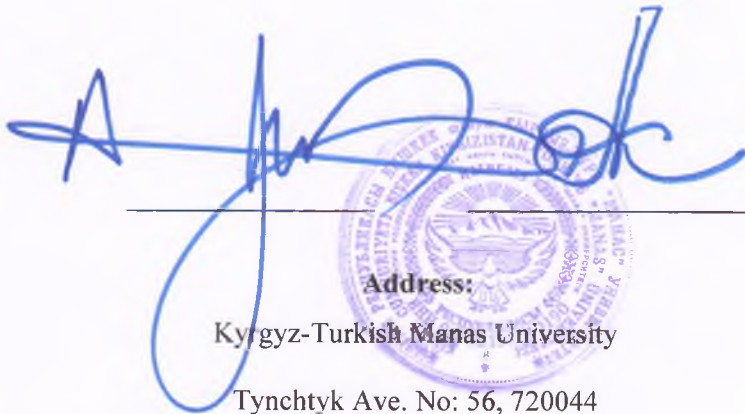
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