

# AGREEMENT ON COOPERATION BETWEEN THE AZERBAIJAN NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES AND THE KYRGYZ-TURKISH MANAS



THE KYRGYZ-TURKISH MANAS UNIVERSITY

The Azerbaijan National Academy of Sciences and the Kyrgyz-Turkish Manas University (hereinafter referred to as the Parties) to pursue the future establishment of a formal collaborative relationship between the Parties,

have agreed as follows:

## **ARTICLE 1**

Cooperation between the Parties under this Agreement shall be implemented in the following forms:

- Promotion of joint research activities and development of research projects;
- Exchange of academic staff, researchers and fellows of the two Parties for the periods determined by mutual consent;
- Organization of seminars, courses, workshops and other scientific meetings;
- Co-edition of scientific publications, journals and other materials for education and research purposes.
- Exchange of scientific information and publications.

# **ARTICLE 2**

Joint projects under this agreement may include any of the academic disciplines represented at either of the institutions.

## **ARTICLE 3**

Exchange of staff will be carried out in conformity with the person/month quota to be agreed by the Parties. Staff will be selected on the basis of mutual agreement. Candidates proposed by one Party will be presented to the other Party in due course, before the beginning of the budget year.

## **ARTICLE 4**

Parties agree to look into the possibility of exchanging publications, including academic journals, educational materials and research results. Parties may provide mutual academic and educational support and assistance, including obtaining relevant information, equipment and resources for research and online education.



### **ARTICLE 5**

All disagreements that may arise in connection with the interpretation and application of this Protocol shall be resolved by the Parties through consultations and negotiations.

## **ARTICLE 6**

Protection of intellectual property rights to results created on the basis of joint research in framework of this Protocol and the regulations of their use shall be additionally defined further in accordance with the legislation of the countries of both Parties.

### ARTICLE 7

This Protocol shall enter into force on the date of its signing by both Parties and shall be active for a period of five (5) years. This Protocol is automatically extended for next five (5) years unless either of the Parties notifies the other Party in a written form at least six (6) months prior to the expiration date of its intention the termination of this Protocol. The expiration and early termination of this Protocol shall not affect the validity and duration of arrangements and/or programs and activities already initiated under this Protocol until their completion.

Signed in Bishkek on April 17, 2025 in two copies in English language.

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