

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

TAIZ UNIVERSITY, YEMEN

AND

UŞAK UNIVERSITY, TURKEY

This is a Memorandum of Understanding between Taiz University of Yemen (hereinafter referred to as "Taiz University") and Usak University of Turkey (hereinafter referred to as "Usak University").

This MoU sets out the terms and conditions under which the two institutions have agreed to work together to promote academic and research co-operation as well as the exchange of staffs, students, and information. The spirit of this initiative is intended to develop a closer understanding, greater cooperation and durable friendship between the two institutions.

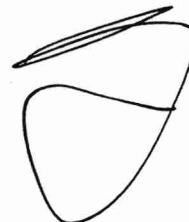
In pursuance of this aim, both parties hereto agree as follow:

1. Terms and Conditions:

- 1.1. The Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) essentially sets out general nature of the co-operative agreement between Taiz University and Usak University. It is not intended that the agreement shall give rise to any legal rights nor obligations between the two institutions.
- 1.2. Neither party shall assume any financial obligations arising from the MoU, except as mutually agreed under separate schedules jointly established from time to time.
- 1.3. Specific, projects which are encompassed by this MoU will be mutually agreed upon by both parties and will be subject to separate agreements.

2. The Goal:

The intended goal of this MoU is to develop and maintain an ongoing relationship between the two institutions. The relationship will provide opportunities for institution members -academic, administrative, and professional staffs -as well as students to participate actively in the academic programs of the two institutions.



3. **Scope of Activities:**

Possible activities may include, but are not limited to, the following:

- (1) Exchange of students,
- (2) Exchange of faculty members and/or staffs,
- (3) Exchange of visiting-professors,
- (4) Joint research activities and publications,
- (5) Joint participation in seminars and/or academic meetings, and
- (6) Joint academic programs (*joint* degree or double degree program).

This MoU shall become effective on the date of signature by the representatives of the two institutions, and will be effective for a period of 5 (five) years. The period of validity may be extended upon mutual agreement of the two institutions. Amendments to this MoU may be made upon mutual agreement of the two institutions. It is agreed that any decision to cease this MoU will take into consideration the time needed for completion of any ongoing projects or any exchange visitors completing courses.

Date: 15. 01. 2014

Prof. Mohammed Al shaiby

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