

# Graduate School of Computer Science

## **VISITING FACULTY AGREEMENT**

This agreement is made by and between *Graduate School of Computer Science of John Naisbitt University*, Belgrade, Serbia (hereinafter "*JNU*") represented by its Dean, Professor Milan Tuba, and the **Professor AmirHossein Gandomi**, **BEACON - An NSF Center for the Study of Evolution in Action, Michigan State University, East Lansing, MI, USA**, (hereinafter "*Professor*"). The term of this Agreement is effective as of the later of 01.10.2016 or the date fully executed by both parties.

WHEREAS, **JNU** has need for the academic services of Professor in the field of Computer Science, particularly in **lecturing, research, and advising PhD candidates**.

NOW, therefore, in consideration of the mutual promises and consideration recited herein, the parties agree as follows:

### Article 1.

Professor agrees to occasionally **carry out lectures** as a **visiting professor** to **JNU's** graduate students. The exact number of teaching hours is to be determined on the bases of **availability and good will** between the **JNU's** representative and Professor. Parties also agree that Professor contributes to **JNU's research efforts** as well as in the field of **co-supervising of doctoral and master students**. For these and other supporting purposes Professor may participate in the **official lectures** organized or recognized by **JNU's** academic agenda, **seminars**, **consultations** and any other supporting activities aimed at achieving the above mentioned goals.

## Article 2.

JNU agrees to financially compensate Professor for any possible actual travel and lodging expenses occurred in relation to Professor's presence at the above stated activities at JNU. JNU agrees to also compensate Professor for any and all of Professor's activates according to JNU's official pricing sheet, given such agreement was first properly and successfully communicated in writing between Professor and JNU's representative.

### Article 3.

**JNU** will provide Professor with access to its relevant facilities during Professor's stay in Belgrade, Serbia, and take any and all necessary measures to provide assistance with Professor's **accommodation**, **transportation** and other possible arrangements necessary for Professor's optimal functioning whilst in Belgrade.



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## Article 4.

All particularities and details about **planning each and every** Professor's visit are to be communicated between Professor and **JNU's** representative in advance and in due time. Parties agree that every visit of the Professor in regards to **academic agenda**, travel **logistics** and **financial compensation** should be communicated and agreed upon **via email** not later than at least **two weeks prior the visit**.

## Article 5

Parties agree that any relevant information regarding this cooperation, except for the details regarding the financial arrangements, may be used for promotional purposes and published through JNU's official communication channels, such as the JNU's website and JNU's official publications, given the prior explicit consent by the Professor for each and every such public acknowledgement.

#### Article 5

The duration of this agreement is **two years from the day of signing**. This agreement may be terminated at any time by either party upon **30 days written notice** to the other. Any such termination will be without prejudice to any obligations or liabilities of either party already accrued prior to such termination.

This agreement constitutes the general agreement between the parties with respect to the subject matter and additional agreements, preferably in writing, will be used to define the terms hereof to a greater detail. No amendment to this agreement will be valid or binding unless reduced to writing and signed by the parties. Neither party may assign its interest under this agreement without the written consent of the other party. This agreement will be governed by, and interpreted in accordance with, the laws of the State of Serbia.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this agreement as of the Effective Date.

PROFESSOR	for JOHN NAISBITT UNIVERSITY, Graduate School of Computer Science
Prof. AmirHossein Gandomi	Prof. Milan Tuba, Dean