

Cooperation Agreement

between

Faculty of Computer Science, Megatrend University, Belgrade, Serbia

and

Faculty of Sciences, University "Lucian Blaga" of Sibiu, Romania

The Faculty of Computer Science of Megatrend University (Serbia) and the Faculty of Sciences, University "Lucian Blaga" of Sibiu (Romania) hereby agree to establish and mutually support co-operative relationships, which will emphasize the development of collaborative scientific and educational projects. Both institutions will encourage direct contact and co-operation between their faculty members, departments, institutes and other research centres subject to the provisions of this agreement.

Within the fields of Computer Science and Mathematics, the Faculty of Computer Science (Serbia) and the Faculty of Science (Romania), agree to the following general forms of co-operation:

1. Faculty exchanges for research and teaching.
2. Study and research by the the Faculty of Computer Science (Serbia) and undergraduate and graduate students at the Faculty of Science (Romania).
3. Study and research by the Faculty of Science (Romania) and undergraduate and graduate students at the Faculty of Computer Science (Serbia).
4. Joint sponsorship of courses, study tours, conferences and seminars, and joint participation in each other academic events.
5. Joint research projects, including applications for governmental and EU foundation funding.
6. Administrative and professional staff internships, exchanges.

With a special focus on international relations, both institutions will stress the importance of organising and participating in joint conferences, seminars and other forms of co-operation related to these fields.

Both universities will define an Annual Work plan, which will include the actual modules and fields of co-operation.

Other areas for collaboration may be identified in the future and co-operative projects related to them may be developed between the Faculty of Science (Romania) and the Faculty of Computer Science (Serbia) in the spirit of institutional friendship and cultural, educational

and scientific co-operation. Prior approval of both institutions is required for the initiation of any project developed under the terms of this agreement.

A liaison person who will be responsible for co-ordinating activities related to this agreement for the Faculty of Science (Romania) will be Prof. Dana Simian, PhD and for the Faculty of Computer Science (Serbia) Prof. Milan Tuba, PhD. On behalf of the Faculty of Science (Romania), the International relations office and the Erasmus office shall be the co-ordinating body. On behalf of Faculty of Computer Science (Serbia), the Office for International Cooperation shall be the co-ordinating body.

Terms of joint activities, the conditions for utilising the results achieved, and arrangements for specific visits, exchanges and other forms of co-operation will be negotiated for each specific activity. It is also understood that any financial arrangements will be negotiated and agreed to in writing for each specific case and will depend upon the availability of funds.

Travel expenses will be paid by the sending institution, food and lodging will be covered by the host institution.

This agreement will become effective upon the date of signature by the representatives of the two institutions. Amendments may be incorporated with the mutual consent of both Universities. This agreement shall be subject to review and re-negotiations at three-year intervals. Shall such a review not take place, the agreement shall lapse without further notice.

The representative of either institution may terminate the agreement by written notice. Such notice must be given at least six months before it becomes effective. Such termination shall not affect the rights of anybody exchanged under this agreement prior to receipt of such notice.

It is understood that this Agreement of Co-operation does not confer any legal right or obligations on either party. Both institutions subscribe to the policy of equal employment opportunity and do not discriminate on the basis of race, colour, religion, sex, sexual orientation, age, national origin, marital or veteran status, or physical or mental handicap. The Faculty of Computer Science (Serbia) and the Faculty of Science (Romania) shall abide by these principles in the administration of this agreement and neither institution shall impose criteria for exchanges of scholars or students, which would violate the principles of non-discrimination.

Date, October 31, 2014.

Faculty of Computer Science (Serbia)

Faculty of Science (Romania)

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