

Memorandum of Understanding

between

**the National University "Zaporizhzhia
Polytechnic" (Ukraine)**



and

**the University of Debrecen
(Hungary)**



UNIVERSITY of
DEBRECEN

I. Preamble

With 60 departments organized in 13 faculties, the National University "Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic" is a leading state higher education institution in the South-East of Ukraine with huge number of various specialties, which seeks to expand its international relations.

With 13 faculties and 24 doctoral schools, the University of Debrecen is the largest and most diverse higher educational institution in the region of Eastern Hungary, which is committed to fostering international relations by accepting foreign students from almost every country of the world.

II. The purpose of the cooperation

1. The National University "Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic" and the University of Debrecen sign this Memorandum of Understanding in order to promote and further develop international cooperation in the fields of higher education, research and development.

2. Nothing in this Memorandum of Understanding shall be construed as legal or financial commitment. This Memorandum shall be construed as a statement of intent to promote mutually beneficial cooperation.

III. Areas of cooperation

1. The specific areas and forms of cooperation, depending on the professional priorities and financial resources of the institutions, shall be fixed in a separate document. The details of this cooperation shall be agreed by the Parties in separate working programs.

2. The working programs shall include the areas of cooperation, the coordinators, the details of the exchange programs and the financial conditions, taking into account the principles of this Memorandum of Understanding.

3. The National University "Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic" and the University of Debrecen primarily shall focus on cooperation in the following areas:

- a. Cooperation in research activities and development projects;
- b. Cooperation in the spheres of education and other higher educational spheres;
- c. Teacher and staff exchange /which is subject to mutual free capacity/;
- d. Student exchange /which is subject to mutual free capacity/;
- e. Arranging of joint courses, conferences and other programs;
- f. Joint publication of scientific and educational materials;
- g. Other mutually agreed activities:

4. Each institution shall designate the coordinators of the various initiatives and working programs fixed in this Memorandum of Understanding and shall inform the other Party about the contact details of the contact person.

IV. Miscellaneous and final provisions

1. Issues related to the implementation of cooperation not covered by this

Memorandum shall be subject to the Annexes to this Memorandum.

2. The initiatives and projects covered by this Memorandum shall be implemented on the conditions, that both Parties provide the necessary financial resources.

3. The Memorandum of Understanding shall be valid for a period of five years from the date of its signature and may be extended by mutual agreement for a further specified or indefinite period, taking into consideration the evaluation of the experiences and results.

4. Any dispute and disagreement which may arise between the Parties shall be settled by mutual consultation and/or negotiation, through diplomatic channels, without the involvement of a third party or an international tribunal, in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

The Rector of the University of Debrecen and the Rector of the National University "Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic" accept and acknowledge this Memorandum of Understanding in accordance with their will. This Memorandum is signed in two original copies in each language: Hungarian and English. In case of any linguistic inaccuracy in the Memorandum, the English language version shall prevail.

Venue of signing:

Debrecen, Hungary

Date: 03 / May / 2023



Prof. Dr. Zoltán Szilvássy
Rector
University of Debrecen



Venue of signing:

Zaporizhzhia, Ukraine

Date: 28 / 04 / 2023



Prof. Dr. Viktor Greshta
Rector
National University
"Zaporizhzhia Polytechnic"