



In the name of Allah

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
between  
Quaid-i-Azam University  
and  
Damghan University  
on



SCIENTIFIC AND EDUCATIONAL CO-OPERATION

**1. Preamble**

Damghan University, represented by **Dr. Ali Haghghi Asl (Associate Professor)**, and the Quaid-i-Azam University represented by **Prof. Dr. Masoom Yasinzaï**, hereby enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for scientific and educational cooperation.

This MoU is to provide for the exchange of staff, scholars, students, academic information and materials in the belief that the research and education processes at both universities would be enhanced and that mutual understanding between their respective staff, scholars and students would be increased by the establishment of such exchange programs.

**2. Objectives**

The objectives of the MoU are to enable both parties to explore and discuss:

- a) The exchange of scholars and staff.
- b) The exchange of undergraduate and graduate students.
- c) The exchange of academic information and material.
- d) The joint research activities and publications.
- e) The sponsoring of cooperative seminars, workshops and other academic meetings on matters of mutual interest.
- f) Other academic exchanges that both universities agree to.

**3. The Understanding**

- a) The implementation of each exchange program based on this MoU shall be separately negotiated and agreed upon in writing by both universities. Any such exchange program entered into, as outlined above, will form appendixes to this MoU.
- b) The exchange programs are not intended to be legally binding documents. They are meant to describe the nature and suggest the guidelines of the exchange program. Nothing, therefore, shall diminish the full autonomy of either institution, nor will any constraints be imposed by either upon the other carrying out the agreement.

**4. Commencement and Duration**

- a) This MoU commences on the date of signature by the appropriate officer of both Universities.
- b) The MoU shall be in effect for five years. This period may be extended by written consent of both universities.
- c) It is also understood that either university may terminate the MoU at any time, giving the other not less than 6 months notice of its wish to terminate, in order to avoid any possible inconvenience to the other university.

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