



**Memorandum of Understanding
on
CULTURAL, EDUCATIONAL AND SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION**

Between

The UNIVERSITY OF JORDAN, JORDAN

and

UNIVERSITY OF DURHAM, UK

1. In accordance with a mutual desire to promote friendly relations between The University of Jordan, Jordan and the University of Durham, UK, both Universities agree to join in the following Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on cultural, educational and scientific cooperation.
2. Both institutions will encourage direct contact and cooperation between their faculty members, departments, institutes, and research centres subject to the provisions of this MoU.
3. Both institutions agree to explore the possibility of cooperation in fields of teaching and research to be agreed upon. Cooperation in other areas may be arranged by mutual consent.
4. Within the agreed fields of study, both institutions agree to explore the possibilities of cooperation in one or more of the following:
 - 4.1 Exchange of information in fields of mutual interest;
 - 4.2 Joint research activities;
 - 4.3 Exchange of invitations to scholars for lectures, talks and sharing of experience;
 - 4.4 Exchange of invitations to scholars to participate in conferences, colloquia and symposia;
 - 4.5 Exchange of faculty members;
 - 4.6 Exchange of postgraduate and undergraduate students for study and research subject to terms to be outlined in a separate Student Exchange Agreement.

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5. Themes of joint activities and the conditions for utilizing the results achieved and agreements for specific visits, exchanges and other forms of cooperation will be negotiated for each specific case by means of an exchange of letters or separate agreements.
6. Both institutions understand that all financial arrangements will have to be negotiated and will depend on the availability of funds. Both institutions agree to cooperate in actively seeking external funding for activities of mutual interest, for example for joint research, staff visits and student exchanges.
7. Should any collaborative research activities under this MoU result in any potential for intellectual property, both institutions shall seek a fair understanding as to ownership and other property interests that may arise.
8. This MoU will take effect on the date of signature by the representatives of both institutions. It will be valid for three years in the first instance and may be renewed for a further period of three years by mutual consent. The Agreement may be terminated by one party giving six months' notice in writing to the other of its desire to terminate the agreement.

Signed: 

Professor Stuart Corbridge
Warden and Vice Chancellor
Durham University

Date: 22 October 2015

Signed: 

Professor Ekhleif Tarawneh
President
The University of Jordan

Date: 22/11/2015