



### Memorandum of Understanding between the National University «Yuri Kondratyuk Poltava Polytechnic» (Ukraine) and

University of Business Engineering and Management Banja Luka (University PIM), Bosnia and Herzegovina

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National University «Yuri Kondratyuk Poltava Polytechnic» represented by the rector, acting based on the University Charter, and University of Business Engineering and Management Banja Luka, represented by the rector, in accordance with the Statute of the University have entered into this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) as follows:

### 1. Objective of an MoU.

Ensuring a high level of scientific and methodological developments, the quality of training at the level of state requirements through the effective use of the pedagogical, methodological and scientific potential of the two leading institutions of higher education: University of Business Engineering and Management Banja Luka (University PIM), Bosnia and Herzegovina and National University «Yuri Kondratyuk Poltava Polytechnic» (Ukraine).

## 2. Key areas of cooperation.

- 2.1. In developing curricula for undergraduate, specialist, graduate and doctoral studies;
- 2.2. In teaching and research and developing of joint degree programs (based on scientific methods and scientific literature, bibliographic units and scientific works of mutual interests);
- 2.3.In developing novel teaching methods via e-learning, m-learning and distance learning;
- 2.4. In the field of exchanging students, teachers and personnel in the framework of formal mobility programs (with a view to learning, lecturing, consultations and participating in scientific and research work of mutual interest and to work placement and praxis);
- 2.5.In publishing the themes of mutual interest, write textbooks and publish repertories. They will also organise scientific conferences, seminars, symposia, round tables and public discussions with the topics agreed in advance;
- 2.6.In organising and carrying out joint research projects and mutual exchange of information on research results and publishing scientific papers in the local, national and international scientific journals (or the contracting parties bind themselves to mutual





publishing of scientific and expert papers in English, in the local, national and international scientific journals);

- 2.7.In the development of institutional relationships to improve the quality of higher education;
- 2.8. In cooperation of students and student organisations in the field of academic and cultural activities, thus enriching students' intercultural awareness crucial for successful business communication on a global, national and local level;
- 2.9. Other areas where mutual interest in cooperation is established (other sorts of exchange within the scope of the contracting parties' incidence).

# 3. The organisation of joint work, duties and responsibilities of the parties.

- 3.1. The implementation of this MoU has to be by current legislation of Ukraine and Bosnia and Herzegovina, which regulates the activity of higher educational institutions.
- 3.2. Coordination of joint activities of the parties that address specific issues must be effected by agreement between the leaders, executed by the corresponding additional agreements or protocols.
- 3.3. The Parties undertake to make reasonable efforts to implement the provisions of this MoU, including providing necessary information, organising creative teams of teachers for making the general academic teaching materials, ensuring the sharing of the required information, financial and logistical resources by the agreements between the rectors about the implementation of joint projects.
- 3.4. Each contracting party seeks their own financial and other resources to implement this MoU. Financial transactions between the parties may follow supplemental agreements concerning specific projects.
- 3.5. This MoU does not restrict the parties' rights concerning the conclusion of other treaties and agreements.

## 4. Term and changes to the MoU.

- 4.1. The MoU shall enter into force upon signing and remain in force until terminated by mutual agreement of the parties.
- 4.2. MoU may be terminated by mutual consent or at the initiative of one of them after the completion of joint projects that are running.
- 4.3. Separate agreements between the heads of higher educational institutionspartners shall establish mechanisms for implementing specific activities within this MoU.
- 4.4. Changes to this MoU must be made by mutual agreement of the parties and shall appropriate additional agreements or protocols.





#### 5. Requisites of the Parties.

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