

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

**Between**

**The Curators of The University of Missouri for the University of Missouri (MU)**

**And**

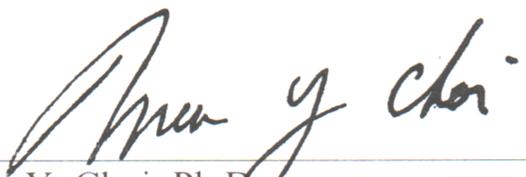
**International University named after K.Sh.Toktomamatov (MNU)**

Whereas the above-named institutions recognize that a Memorandum of Understanding would be of mutual benefit and would serve as an indication of continued interest in cooperation, it is understood that:

1. Each institution will encourage the exchange of faculty for joint teaching and research programs.
2. Each institution will encourage the enrollment of qualified students in the other's academic programs. Each student involved in these programs will be subject to the admission requirements and tuition and fees of the host university, or the admission requirements enumerated in supplements to this agreement.
3. Data and research findings relating to this MOU, and ownership of any patent rights, copyrights, and other intellectual property rights to any discoveries, inventions, and products resulting from this agreement will be determined based on the contributions of the participants.
4. Faculty and staff from each institution will collaborate in producing proposals for external funding as appropriate.
5. Any expenses incurred by each institution under this agreement will be the sole responsibility of the divisions of the institution, as enumerated in supplements to this agreement.
6. The point of contact for the University of Missouri will be Mary Stegmaier, Vice Provost for International Programs ([stegmaierm@missouri.edu](mailto:stegmaierm@missouri.edu)). The point of contact for International University n.a. K.Sh. Toktomamatov will be Zhibek Abdykalykova, Head of International Office ([j.abdykalykova@gmail.com](mailto:j.abdykalykova@gmail.com)). These individuals will monitor collaborative activities and provide occasional reports to university officials upon request.
7. This agreement shall remain in effect for an initial period of five years from the date of signature. It may be modified through the mutual discussion and consent of each institution, and either party may terminate or propose revisions of the agreement by giving a six months' written notice of such intent.
8. In the event that either party terminates the agreement, the host institution shall honor the terms of the agreement for participants whose programs have been approved prior to termination, as if the agreement remained in force for the period of each program.

SIGNATURES OF THE PARTIES:

For the University of Missouri:

  
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Mun Y. Choi, Ph.D.  
President, University of Missouri

06/28/2021  
Date

For International University n.a.  
K.Sh.Toktomamatov:

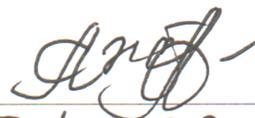
  
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Omurzakov Satybaldy Ashimovich, Doctor  
of Economics, Professor, Rector of MNU

July 22, 2021  
Date

  
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Mary Stegmaier, Ph.D.  
Vice Provost for International Programs  
University of Missouri

July 22, 2021  
Date

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Zhibek Abdykalykova  
Head of the International Office  
MNU

  
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Date July 22, 2021

  
Approved by OGC 6/22/21