Both Universities will provide assistance to visiting exchange students, for finding lodging, which will be covered by the students.

Exchange students who participate in courses, training programs or other activities can receive academic credits for their studies at the host University, subject however, to prior approval by the authorizing administrative bodies.

3. Common research programs

Members of the academic staff, serving at each University, can collaborate in common research projects. The results will be jointly published to the mutual benefit of both Institutes.

4. Publications etc.

Collaboration in publications and scientific events between the two Universities is desirable.

5. Working program

For the realization of the activities mentioned above, a Working program covering a whole academic year will be prepared each year.

The Working program will include the names of faculty students and/or research associates, who will visit the two Universities respectively, the specific academic purpose of the visit (e.g. detailed teaching schedule and content, description of research program, description of program of study etc.), the time and terms of stay in the host country on a reciprocal basis.

ARTICLE III

No financial commitment whatsoever on either signatory to this document is intented or implied. Both Institutions will actively seek in National and International programs (i.e. Erasmus+ International) opportunities aimed at the provision of funds to carry out activities that will promote the development of cooperation. For visiting exchange faculty members, both Institutions will explore the possibility of providing free accommodation.

ARTICLE IV

This contract will be valid immediately after the authorized representatives of both Universities have signed it. The agreement is valid for three (3) full years but it may be renewed upon mutual decision of the two parties.

The contracting parties declare that they have read the present document and have agreed on all terms and conditions herein. The agreement issued in two (2) copies in English is signed by both contracting parties.

For the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

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