



**COOPERATION AGREEMENT
BETWEEN THE
UNIVERSITY OF ALGARVE
AND**

UNIVERSITY OF SIDI MOHAMMED BEN ABDELLAH

The University of Algarve, succinctly hereinafter referred by UALG, established at *Campus* of Penha, in Faro, with the legal person identification number 505 387 271, represented by his Rector, Professor João Pinto Guerreiro, as the 1st Granter,

And

The University of Sidi Mohammed Ben Abdellah, succinctly hereinafter referred by USMBA, established at Rte d'Imouzzar, P.O.Box: 2626 – 30000 FEZ, represented by his President, Professor Esserrhini FARISSI, as the 2nd Granter;

The Grantors agreed upon, the present Cooperation Agreement and under the following terms:

1st Article : Purposes

The primary purpose of this Cooperation Agreement is the promotion of initiatives that promote the scientific and technical cooperation between UALG and USMBA.

2nd Article: Ambit

The cooperation will be established for the interests for both institutions, namely concerning the:

- a) Exchange of faculty members;
- b) Scientific and technical cooperation, namely in laboratorial terms in areas with appropriate valences;
- c) Cooperation in some education areas and in the promotion of specific actions of training, including their joint conferences, discussions, seminars and similar activities.



3rd Article : Functioning

1 – The implementation of this Cooperation Agreement will be defined case by case, through the celebration of Specific Cooperation Agreements or through the simple correspondence between the responsible of both institutions.

2 – The Rector of UALG and USMBA could, whenever they wish, nominate representatives and give them the powers of signature and execution of Agreements that are celebrated under this agreement.

3 – These agreements will take into account the specificities of each action that must be properly framed, in particular as regards the definition of objectives, the methodologies to be applied, the means to provide and the financial resources involved.

4th Article : Obligation of the parties

In order to establish the intended cooperation correctly, any party, after consultation, undertakes to make available to the other the means necessary to implement the agreed measures, respecting the rules between them and without prejudice to its normal operation.

5th Article : Management Committee

1 – The coordination of the activities under this Agreement shall be the responsibility of a Management Committee, constituted by a representative of each Granter, designed in a term of 30 days after signing it.

2 – The Committee administers the Agreement, by promoting the celebration of specific agreements, managing globally his implementation and informing regularly the parties about the activities in operation.

6th Article : Publications

All publications resulting from actions taken under this Agreement shall be properly referenced concerning its authorship and participating institutions.



7th Article : Duration of the Agreement

1 – This agreement will remain for a period of five years, coming into force upon his signature, and may be reviewed at any time.

2 – The agreement may be rescinded at any time, by agreement of both parties, or terminated by either party, by registered letter sent to the other party with at least 30 days.

3 - In case of rescission or terminus of this agreement, both parties are obliged to fulfil the obligations under his agreements.

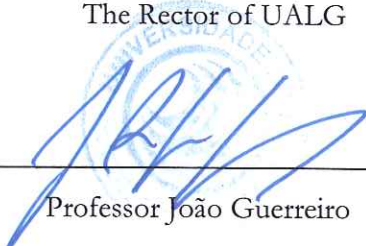
8th Article : Litigation

Both parties undertake to solve between them any doubts, omissions or difficulties in the interpretation that may appear in the implementation of this agreement.

Faro, *24* of *February* of 2012

Fez, April, 27, 2012

The Rector of UALG



Professor João Guerreiro

The President of USMBA




Professor FARISSI Esserrhini