



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM

AND

IVAN FRANKO NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF LVIV

THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING IS DATED 28TH DAY OF JUNE 2022

AND MADE BETWEEN:

- (1)** THE UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM, Edgbaston, Birmingham, B15 2TT, United Kingdom ("UoB") and
(2) IVAN FRANKO NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF LVIV, 1 Universytetska Street, Lviv, 79000, Ukraine ("IFNUL")

1. Introduction

- 1.1. UoB and IFNUL wish to enter into a co-operative relationship for the general purpose of promoting mutual beneficial relations.
- 1.2. This Memorandum of Understanding ("MoU") sets out below the principles by which UoB and IFNUL can establish a formal arrangement regarding such activity.

2. Principles

- 2.1. UoB and IFNUL propose the following:
- 2.1.1. To develop opportunities for incoming and outgoing student and staff mobility;
- 2.1.2. To explore the possibilities for students of the parties to obtain dual certification in their studies;
- 2.1.3. To promote mutual applications for joint grant projects;
- 2.1.4. To encourage joint participation in the editorial board of scientific journals and joint scientific publications;
- 2.1.5. To develop exchange of scientific literature and cooperation between libraries;
- 2.1.6. To find suitable joint conferences, summer schools and other forms of scientific and educational engagement to host together.
- 2.2. Any activity carried out within the broad framework of this MoU shall be subject to the mutual consent of both parties, taking into account any constraints of time, funding and other relevant resources.

3. Subsidiary Agreements

In addition, it is envisaged that each activity that the parties wish to pursue in accordance with the purpose of this MoU will be governed by terms and conditions to be separately negotiated and mutually agreed upon by the parties through the signing of one or more subsidiary agreements.

4. Renewal Amendment and Termination

- 4.1. This MoU shall be effective for an initial period of three years from this date. Thereafter, this MoU may be extended for a further period of three years or

for any other period of time as deemed appropriate by both parties, subject to their mutual consent and any such extension to be made in writing and signed by their authorised signatories.

4.2. Either party may amend this MoU at any time, provided it is with the prior written consent of both parties.

4.3. Either party may terminate this MoU, and as a consequence any subsidiary agreements, at any time by giving six months' notice to the other party in writing.

5. **General**

5.1. The parties to this MoU shall not be deemed to be in breach of this understanding or otherwise liable to any other party in any manner whatsoever for any failure or delay in performing or initiating the activities proposed in this MoU.

5.2. Neither party shall be permitted to use the other's name, crest, logo or branding without first having obtained the other's written consent to such use and fully complying with the user guidelines and both parties shall immediately cease use of such name, crest, logo or branding upon termination or expiry of this MoU.

5.3. This MoU records the understanding between the parties and is not intended to be a legally binding document and shall not be enforceable in any Court of Law.

<p>Signed _____</p> <p>by Professor Adam Tickell</p> <p>Vice-Chancellor and Principal</p> <p>For The University of Birmingham</p>	<p>Signed <i>Billson</i> _____</p> <p>by Professor Volodymyr Melnyk</p> <p>Rector</p> <p>For Ivan Franko National University of Lviv</p>
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