











# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

# BETWEEN

#### THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KENYA

AND

### **EDUCATION TAMPERE CLUSTER STAKEHOLDERS & PARTNERS**

Tampere University of Applied Sciences Tampere Adult Education Centre Tampere Vocational College Varala Sports Institute Business Tampere MaxGlobal Ltd

- 1. THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF KENYA and EDUCATION TAMPERE CLUSTER STAKEHOLDERS & partners, agree to enter this Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as MOU).
- 2. The purpose of this MOU is to promote and expand international cooperation, commercial activities, stimulate and support educational, professional and intercultural activities and projects between the parties, and their respective communities.

The objective of this MOU is to provide a legal framework through which the Parties shall cooperate and determine specific working arrangements between them as well as to establish a communication channel, with a view to effectively co-operate in matters of common interest, particularly in promoting and enhancing educational cooperation.

This MOU also sets forth the general and specific aspects of the agreement, with the understanding that on the basis of a regular review of activities, the document in both its general and specific content may be revised with mutual consent of all parties.

- 3. General activity areas of mutual interest and concern may include but are not limited to the following:
  - Various educational programs
  - Distance learning programs
  - Consultation
  - Summer-school programs
  - Commercial activities

# The form of each cooperation act must be agreed separately by signed agreement of both parties.

4. Parties understand that this MOU is not exclusive and each institution is permitted to enter into such agreements as it deems fit with other partners and institutions.

#### Duration

5. This MOU shall be valid for a period of two years from the date of signature and may be renewed for additional periods by written agreement of the institutions, signed by the duly authorized parties. During the initial two-year term (and subsequent extensions, if any), the parties shall consult at least annually to discuss the program, any problems that have arisen and opportunities for improvement.

#### Termination

6. Either party may terminate this MOU at any time by giving a written notice 60 days before, signed by the President/Rector of the terminating party.

#### **Contact Person**

7. Because of the desirability of the implementing MOU activities in a systematic manner, both parties will designate a contact persons assigned the responsibility of coordinating MOU activities in general terms.

Signature page to follow.

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