

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

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Section 1: Purpose /Objective

Fundación Chile and The City of Tampere, Tampere Vocational College Tredu, Tampere, Finland (hereinafter referred to as "The Parties") agree to enter this Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as MOU).

The purpose of this MOU is to promote and expand international cooperation, stimulate and support educational, professional and intercultural activities and projects of the two institutions, and its respective communities within the framework of the vocational education, sustainability and innovation.

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 both **Fundación Chile** and **The City of Tampere, Tampere Vocational College Tredu**.

Section 2: Areas/Scope of co-operation

Within the context of this MOU, the Parties will have the possibility of sharing their experience and expertise. General activity areas of mutual interest and concern may include but are not limited to the following:

- Joint projects
- Institutional level staff exchange
- Educational programs
- Consultation
- Innovation experience.

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

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

Section 3: No legal or financial obligations

Each Party will bear its own costs resulting from its participation in this MOU, and will fund the activities referred in this MOU with the resources subject to their respective budgets and their legislation. In addition to the MOU, the Parties may conclude separate and more specific agreements on concrete cooperation activities.

This MOU is not legally binding and is not intended to supersede national law or international obligations by which the Parties are bound. The Parties will notify each other in case of any conflict arising from this MOU. Nothing in this MOU shall be construed so as to affect the juristical responsibility of either party or to impose any financial obligations on them.

Section 4: Disputes

Any dispute about the interpretation or application of this MOU will be resolved by consultations between the Parties, and will not be referred to any national or international tribunal or third party for settlement.

Section 5: Amendments

This MOU may be amended at any time by the mutual written consent of the Parties.

Section 6: Duration

This MOU is valid for two years and takes immediate effect upon signing. The continuation of the MOU requires mutual consent and a separate decision by the Parties.

Section 7: Evaluation

During the initial two-year term (and subsequent extensions, if any), the Parties shall consult at least annually to discuss the MOU activities, any problems that have arisen and opportunities for improvement.

Section 8: Termination

Either Party may terminate the MOU, provided that a written notice of at least 3 months in advance is given.

Section 9: Contact Person

Because of the desirability of the implementing MOU activities in a systematic manner, both **Fundación Chile** and **Tampere vocational College Tredu** will designate a contact person assigned the responsibility of coordinating MOU activities in general terms. For, **Fundación Chile** this will be Manuel Farias, Director of Technical Education and Training-Working Paths, and for **Tampere Vocational College Tredu**, this will be Mrs. Virpi Heinonen, Head of Education Export and Competence Acquisition.

Section 10: Signatures

Signed in duplicate in _____ on _____ April 2025.

Mr. Hernán Araneda
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