



University
of Exeter



King Danylo
UNIVERSITY

(1) UNIVERSITY of EXETER, UNITED KINGDOM

(2) KING DANYLO UNIVERSITY, UKRAINE

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
(TWINNING)

Parties

- (1) University of Exeter, of Northcote House, The Queen's Drive, Exeter, EX4 4QJ, United Kingdom.
- (2) King Danylo University, Yevgena Konovaltsya street 35, Ivano-Frankivsk 76000, Ukraine.

1. Background and Status

- 1.1 The objective of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is to underpin relations between The University of Exeter and King Danylo University, in relation to the UK/UKR Twinning project. It is not considered to be a contract creating legal and financial obligations between the parties.
- 1.2 Twinning is aimed at creating a long-term partnership between the universities, the initial focus will be on identifying ways the UK university can support their Ukrainian partner during the current Russian aggression. Following this the partnership will provide a framework for both institutions to potentially work together on academic collaboration activities.

2. Principles of Collaboration

- 2.1 Areas of activity may be proposed by either party.
- 2.2 Potential areas of activity of mutual interest and concern may include, but are not limited to, the following:

Initial Phase

- i. Providing support to the UKR partners academics and students
- ii. Support in developing online materials
- iii. Opening up of research groups to UKR partners researchers.
- iv. Hosting summer schools/island programmes etc
- v. Providing equipment

Second Phase

- vi. Collaborative academic provision;
 - vii. Faculty/staff or student exchange programs;
 - viii. Visiting scholar activities;
 - ix. Exploring feasible potential collaborative research projects where synergies exist between the institutions.
- 2.3 The terms of any activity relating to areas identified will be agreed on an individual basis and will be subject to a separate memorandum of agreement between the two parties which will detail the respective obligations of each party.

3. Management of the Collaboration

- 3.1 The University of Exeter will nominate a member of staff to act as liaison for this collaboration who will be responsible for overseeing the Collaboration on its behalf.
- 3.2 King Danylo University will nominate a member of staff to act as liaison for this Collaboration who will be responsible for overseeing the Collaboration on behalf of King Danylo University.

4. Confidentiality

- 4.1 The Parties agree that all information and material appertaining to the MoU and all activity pursuant to it remains confidential at all times and will not be shared with any

third parties without the prior written consent of the other party.

5. Publicity

- 5.1 Any publicity material produced which mentions this Collaboration and uses the name or logo of the parties must be approved in advance by the appropriate authority of the party concerned.

6. Funding

- 6.1 This MoU does not create any financial obligations for either of the parties.
- 6.2 Each Party will be responsible for their own costs in relation to activity pursuant to the MoU.
- 6.3 Any costs associated with the provision of any specific products or services by any Party will be subject to separate negotiation and agreement.

7. Term and Termination

- 7.1 The commencement date for the MoU is the 15 February 2023.
- 7.2 The duration of the MoU is for a period of five years from the commencement date.
- 7.3 During the validity of the MoU, either party may terminate the MoU by giving three months written notice to the other party.

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