



AGREEMENT on Cooperation between

St. Elizabeth University of Health and Social Work in Bratislava and State University 'Uzhhorod National University' (Ukraine)

State university 'Uzhhorod National University' represented by rector Professor Volodymyr Smolanka MD, DSc., which acts on the bases of Statute from one side and St. Elizabeth University of Health and Social Work in Bratislava, represented by rector Dr. h. c. prof. MUDr. Vladimír Krčméry, DrSc., from the other side agree to stimulate and mutually support cooperative relations, which will

1. Within the mutually agreed fields of study, St. Elizabeth University of Health and Social Work in Bratislava and the State university 'Uzhhorod National University' agree to the following general forms of cooperation:

emphasize the development of collaborative educational and research projects.

- the exchange of academic staff;
- the exchange of students within undergraduate and graduate studies;
- joint organization of courses, study tours, conferences and seminars;
- organization of Joint Master Programmes and Doctoral Studies;
- mutual publication of scientific research, scientific and methodical literature;
- joint research projects, including applications for governmental and foundation funding;
- other forms of university cooperation of mutual interest.
- 2. Terms of joint activities, the conditions for utilizing the results achieved, and arrangements for specific visits, exchanges and other forms of cooperation will be negotiated for each specific activity. It is also understood that any financial arrangements will be negotiated and agreed to in writing for each specific case and will depend upon the availability of funds.

Funding can be realized involving the financial resources of special funds, programs, grants or sponsors' financial support based on the separate contracts.

3. Exchange of academic staff, research scientists, yearly quotas, duration of their stay will be defined in a separately prepared working programme. This working programme can be rearranged every three years in accordance with the proposals of the parties to meet the new demands and requirements.

4. The student exchange will be regulated by the special agreement and/or the

working programme between the institutions.

5. The universities stated that the medical insurance expenses during the stay will be covered by participants in the exchange programme.

- 6. Responsible Persons for the organization of the work on the performance of the Agreement Provisions are the responsible persons assigned according the competense of the Parties.
- 7. This Agreement shall become valid after signing by both Parties and shall remain in force without any term limit. Each party reserves right to terminate this Agreement upon three months written notice to the other party.

8. The agreement drew up in two original copies in Ukrainian and English languages, which have the same juridical force.

Rector of State University 'Uzhhorod National University'

Rector of St. Elizabeth University of Health and Social Work in Bratislava

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