

**Agreement of Partnership**  
**between**  
**Saint Petersburg State University/ Russia**  
**and the**  
**Ernst-Moritz-Arndt-University of Greifswald/ Germany**

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In order to further an effective and mutually beneficial partnership and to develop academic and cultural exchanges in education, research and other areas, the **Saint Petersburg State University/ Russia** and the **Ernst-Moritz-Arndt-University of Greifswald/ Germany** hereby agree to co-operate toward the internationalisation of higher education.

**Article 1**

The Agreement of Partnership includes all academic fields agreed upon by both universities and covers joint research as well as the exchange of information in the respective academic programs.

**Article 2**

Both universities agree to exchange faculty and students. Both parties will do their utmost in order to facilitate the participation of students and faculty in teaching and research programs.

**Article 3**

The annual exchange quota for research work will be limited to a total of 90 days. The subjects of the research exchange will be laid out in three-year action plans (see *Arbeitsprogramm 2008-2010*).

**Article 4**

The student exchange will take place on a reciprocal basis, details are regulated in the appendix *Student Exchange* attached to this agreement. This agreement is valid only in connection with the attached appendix (*Student Exchange*).

**Article 5**

This Agreement of Partnership is concluded with the understanding that both parties have the necessary financial means to execute the partnership programme. As a rule the home university will cover travelling costs, while the host university will cover living expenses.

**Article 6**

Both parties agree to support the publication of important research papers in scientific journals or academic periodicals and to exchange academic publications.

Article 7

Both universities agree to inform each other about colloquia, conferences and seminars held at either university and to exchange the proceedings of these events.

Article 8

This Agreement of Partnership may be altered or amended by mutual consent.

Article 9

This Agreement of Partnership becomes effective on the date of signing. It shall remain valid for an initial period of five years as of the date of signing. Thereafter, it shall automatically be renewed for another year unless either party decides to terminate it. Termination must be initiated no later than six months prior to the beginning of an academic year.

(Saint Petersburg, *28.06.2004* )

Saint Petersburg State University

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Ernst-Moritz-Arndt-University  
of Greifswald



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