

FRAMEWORK AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATION**between****SAINT-PETERSBURG UNIVERSITY,
RUSSIAN FEDERATION****and****UNIVERSITY OF TROMSØ THE ARCTIC UNIVERSITY OF NORWAY,
NORWAY**

Federal State Budgetary Educational Institution of Higher Education «**Saint-Petersburg State University**» (hereinafter referred to as SPbU), duly represented by its Deputy Rector for International Affairs Professor ALEXANDER V. GOGOLEVSKY, acting on the basis of proxy dated 11.01.2016 № 28-21-9, and **The University of Tromsø The Arctic University of Norway** (hereinafter referred to as UiT), represented by its Vice-Rector for Research, Professor, KENNETH RUUD, acting on the basis of the University Charta, hereinafter together referred to as the “Parties” and solely to as the “Party”, enter into prolongation of General Agreement for Cooperation (signed 25.11.2010) (hereinafter referred to as “Agreement”) and agree to the following:

1. OBJECTIVES OF THE AGREEMENT

1.1 This cooperation shall include but not be limited to:

- a) the development of collaborative research projects;
- b) the organisation of joint academic and scientific activities, such as courses, conferences, seminars, symposia or lectures;
- c) academic and scientific exchange;
- d) students exchange;
- e) the exchange of publications and other informational materials of common interest.

2. GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 2.1 In order to carry out and fulfil the aims of the Agreement, the Parties will work out and sign the annexes to this Agreement.
- 2.2 Either Party may initiate proposals for activities under this Agreement.
- 2.3 Specific details of any activity can be set forth in the annexes to this Agreement upon signing by the authorised representatives of each Party.
- 2.4 The annexes may include such items as number and period of student and staff exchange, budgets and sources of financing, the responsibilities of each Party for the agreed upon activity and other items necessary for the efficient achievement of the activity.

3. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

- 3.1 The Parties agree to abide by intellectual property rights of each Party created before the conclusion of the present Agreement.
- 3.2 The intellectual property rights created under the present Agreement will belong to the Party created the intellectual property.