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Ms Julia Medvedeva and Ms Veronica Koytova  
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**Subject: Signed Memorandum of Understanding**

Dear Ms Medvedeva and Ms Koytova,

enclosed to this letter there are two signed copies of Memorandum of Understanding.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Kind regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'M. Šmídlová', written over a faint, larger version of the signature.

Mgr. Monika Šmídlová  
International Officer

Входящий СПбГУ

от 18.09.2018

№ 01-124-2649

# **Memorandum of Understanding**

**Between**



**Saint-Petersburg University**

and



**University of Ostrava**

The Parties, Federal State Budgetary Educational Institution of Higher Education “Saint-Petersburg State University” (hereinafter referred to as SPbU) and University of Ostrava (hereinafter referred to as UO) enter jointly into a memorandum of understanding to establish a basis for collaboration and exchange in areas of interest and benefit to the respective institutions.

## I.

The Purposes of this Memorandum of Understanding between SPbU and UO are as follows:

- promote institutional exchange through mobility of academic, research and administrative personnel of the partner institutions to participate in a variety of teaching, research and professional development activities;
- promote interest in the teaching and research activities of the respective institutions;
- seek opportunities to receive students on exchange of the partner institution
- seek opportunities for joint research projects;
- seek to develop double-degree programmes between the respective institutions;
- seek to develop training for respective students and academic staff;
- organize symposia, conferences, short courses and meetings on research and academic issues.

## II.

This general Memorandum of Understanding shall be identified as the parent document of any further agreements executed between the Parties. Further agreements concerning any program shall provide details concerning the specific commitments made by each signatory Party to the further agreement, and shall not become effective until they have been reduced to writing and executed by the duly authorized representatives of the concerned Parties.

## III.

This Memorandum of Understanding implies no financial obligation on either signatory Party. The scope of the activities under this Memorandum of Understanding shall be determined by the funds regularly available at the respective institutions for the respective type of collaboration undertaken and by financial assistance, which may be obtained by the respective Party from internal or external sources.

Except as may be stipulated in any specific program agreement, each Party shall be responsible for expenses incurred by its employees under this Memorandum of Understanding.

#### IV.

Upon approval by each Party, this Memorandum of Understanding shall remain in effect for a period of five (5) years unless terminated earlier by a Party, and will renew automatically unless terminated. Such termination by one institution shall be effected by giving the other institutions at least ninety (90) days advance written notice of its intention to terminate. If such notice is given, this Memorandum of Understanding shall terminate: (a) at the end of such ninety (90) days; or (b) when all students enrolled in a course of study under the Memorandum of Understanding have completed that course of study, whichever event occurs last. Termination shall be without penalty. If this Memorandum of Understanding is terminated, neither SPbU nor UO shall be liable for the other's losses that may result.


EXECUTED by SPbU and UO in two copies, in English.

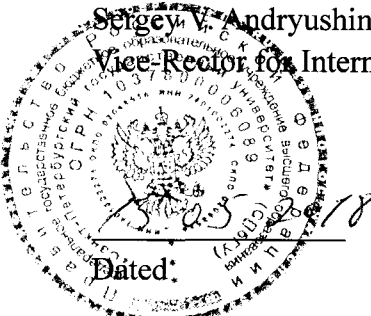
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#### Signatory Parties

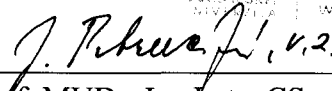
**On behalf of  
Federal State Budgetary  
Educational Institution of Higher Education  
"Saint-Petersburg State University"**

**On behalf of University of Ostrava**

  
Sergey V. Andryushin  
Vice-Rector for International Affairs

  
Dated: 20.8.2018

  
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20. 8. 2018  
Dated