

**Agreement  
on cultural, educational and scientific cooperation  
between  
L.N. Gumilyov Eurasian National University  
(Astana, Republic of Kazakhstan)  
and  
Xinjiang University Of Finance And Economics  
(Urumchi, the People's Republic of China)**

**Astana, Kazakhstan**

**2007**

On behalf of the L.N. Gumilyov Eurasian National University, the Vice-Rector of the University Professor Serik M. Shaikhin and on behalf of the Xinjiang University Of Finance And Economics, the Vice-President of the University Professor Li Zhongyao (hereinafter the "Parties"), desiring facilitate academic cooperation, to expand scholarly and cultural ties, and to establish mutually beneficial relationship have agreed to sign the present Agreement according to the following terms:

**I**

According to their Charters and within the frame of their possibilities the Parties are to foster collaboration between both universities and encourage direct contact and cooperation between their faculty members, departments, institutes and other research centers.

**II**

The Parties agree to cooperate on the following:

- a) Joint research activities and publications;
- b) Exchange of invitations to scholars to participate in conferences, colloquia, symposia and sharing of experience;
- c) Exchange of information in fields of interest to both universities;
- d) Exchange of faculty and staff members and undergraduate and graduate students for study and research;
- e) Cooperation in the field of training for Master's degree and PhD degree;
- f) Cooperation between the libraries, including exchange of scientific and academic literature.

**III**

To develop the activities, the Parties shall prepare jointly and advance work programs in each particular case, for the purpose of establishing the limits of obligation for each party.

**IV**

Both institutions understand that all financial arrangements will have to be negotiated for each specific case and will depend on the availability of funds.

**V**

This Agreement shall remain in force for five years. The terms of this Agreement may be modified by mutual consent. The present Agreement is automatically prolonged for the following 5 years after expiry of the term if the Parties wish to continue cooperation and have no mutual claims. Each of the Parties may denounce the Agreement by addressing a written notification to the other Party six months ahead of the expiry date.

**VI**

This Agreement shall enter into upon the date of signature by the representatives of the Parties.

**VII**

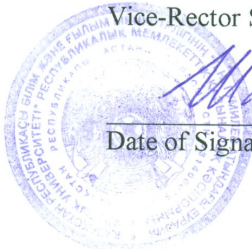
The Agreement shall be executed in English and Kazakh both equally authentic. Each party shall keep one copy thereof.

**For the L.N. Gumilyov Eurasian National  
University**

**For the Xinjiang University Of Finance And  
Economics**

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Vice-Rector Serik M. Shaikhin

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Vice-President Li Zhongyao



Date of Signature

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26.05.2007

Date of Signature

*Li Zhongyao*  
2007. 5. 26.