

COOPERATION AGREEMENT
between
STATE UNIVERSITY "UZHGOROD NATIONAL UNIVERSITY" (UKRAINE)
and
FOREST RESEARCH INSTITUTE,
(IBL POLAND),

To further the development of the cooperation in accordance with a mutual interest in a research and employee's exchange, and for the purpose of establishing a long-term mutually beneficial association, subscribe to the following Agreement.

ARTICLE ONE

The Parties agree to promote research cooperation between the two parties on the basis of mutual respect for each other's autonomy, in conformity with the laws and regulations in force in each country and institution, and within their respective available resources. Each of the subscribing parties commits itself, to search funds to carry out the activities foreseen by this agreement.

ARTICLE TWO

The Parties agree to appoint the contact persons for both Institutions:

For Uzhhorod National University : Dean of the Faculty of Geography, Dr. Ivan Kalynych (address: ivan.kalynych@uzhnu.edu.ua)

For Forest Research Institute : Prof. Tomasz Oszako, (address: t.oszako@ibles.waw.pl)

ARTICLE THREE

The Parties agree to exercise their best efforts to develop the following forms of cooperation:

1. Exchange of professors, research personnel, and/or students for the purposes of teaching, research, coursework, or program development. Each exchange activity shall be approved in advance by both institutions.
2. Exchange of publications, scientific materials, scholarly paper and research information available for such circulation;
3. Development of joint projects, modules and collaborative research programs;
4. Joint publications, meetings, and conferences;
5. Provision of official documentation, signed by sending institution's Rector/Director, about registered students and alumni for the purpose of:
 - a) verifying their identity,
 - b) verifying their qualification for admission to a degree program or for recognition of their foreign qualification;
6. Consonant with the terms of ARTICLE ONE, access to each other's laboratories, research facilities, and libraries as may be necessary to fulfil the spirit and intent of the forgoing purposes

ARTICLE FOUR

Both parties affirm their commitment to the principles of equal opportunity and non-discrimination. Participation in the exchange activities described in this Agreement, shall be based solely on the scholarly or academic level of ability and performance of the candidates.

ARTICLE FIVE

The Parties will facilitate the entry to, stay in, and exit from the host country for the participants in the programs within the framework of this agreement.

ARTICLE SIX

The Parties shall collaborate in developing specific programs of cooperation under this Agreement to be embodied in and implemented. Furthermore, The Parties shall coordinate their actions and make every effort, individually and cooperatively, to pursue the financial resources necessary to maintain a substantive exchange.

ARTICLE SEVEN

This Agreement becomes effective on the date of its signing by the authorized representatives of both

institutions. This agreement is concluded for an indefinite period of time. This Agreement may be terminated by either party after giving three months written notice to the other party. This agreement is written in English.

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Prof. Dr. Jacek Hilszczański
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Date

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