



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN

ACADEMY OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION INSTITUTE FOR TURKEY AND THE MIDDLE EAST

1.

GENERAL DISPOSITIONS

The Academy of Public Administration (hereinafter referred to as APA) located in MD 2070, Chisinau, 100, Ialoveni street, and represented by Prime-prorector Andrei GROZA, Ph.D., associate professor and The Public Administration Institute for Turkey and the Middle East (hereinafter referred to as TODAIE) located in 85. Cadde No. 8 06100 Yucetepe Ankara, and represented by General Director Prof. Dr. Onur Ender ASLAN, hereinafter referred to as "the Parties", agreed on the cooperation in the fields of education and science, on the basis of mutual benefit, in correspondence with the national legislations of the Parties and within their rights and jurisdictions.

ARTICLE !

SCOPE OF COOPERATION

This Memorandum of Understanding aims to the education of the Academy's staff in the field of public administration and the development of measures for in-service-training and increasing their specialization. This Memorandum of Understanding is made with a view to enhancing and developing cooperation between TODAIE and AAP and does not constitute an agreement binding upon the Parties under international law. Also, this Memorandum of Understanding doesn't enforce obligations and rights for the institution's staff.

ARTICLE II

METHODS OF COOPERATION

The cooperation between TODAIE and AAP shall be conducted as follows:

- Provision of master degree scholarships to the Academy staff,
- o Provision of PhD scholarship in the field of Public Administration and/or Local Governance in the host institute,
- Organization of short-term training programs for the Academy staff at TODAIE,
- Collective researches and analyses on the issues which are to be considered as mutually useful,
- o Exchange of expertise and knowledge through conferences, training programs and seminars on the issues which are determined by the Parties.

Other forms of cooperation in the field of Public Administration which are mutually agreed upon by the Parties.

The order, manner and financial resources of the activities in the present Memorandum of Understanding will be established by each Party separately.

ARTICLE III

COORDINATION OF COOPERATION

In order to coordinate the cooperative activities, each Party shall designate a Coordinator who shall be responsible for the specific arrangements and implementation of the cooperation programs under this Memorandum of Understanding.

Each year, the Coordinator shall make through consultations about annual implementation plan of the cooperation programs.

Each Party undertakes to finance its participation in the realization of this Memorandum of Understanding within its own means and from its own resources. Neither Party hereto is entitled to represent the other Party or to incur financial obligations on behalf of the other Party.

ARTICLE IV

VALIDITY

This Memorandum shall enter into force upon the signature hereof by the Parties for <u>five</u> years. It will be expended automatically unless either Party will not notify with the written consent to the other Party at least <u>three</u> months before the expiration of this Memorandum of its intention to cancel it.

Through the mutual understanding of the Parties can be introduced modifications and completions to this Agreement that will be compiled in an additional agreement, which will become a part of the Agreement upon the signature by the representatives of both Parties.

Any dispute or difference arising out of this Memorandum or its implementation will be solved by mutual negotiations between the Parties.

Cooperation under this Memorandum does not have any commercial grounds and imposes no financial liabilities upon the Parties.

This Memorandum of Understanding is duplicated in English and signed on ______2015.

Each Party retains one (1) copy of this Memorandum.

For			
Academy	of	Public	Administration

For

Public Administration Institute for Turkey and the Middle East

General Director

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