



Universidade do Minho



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In the Name of God
Memorandum of Understanding
between
University of Minho, Portugal,
and
Tabriz Islamic Art University, Iran

This memorandum of understanding (MoU) is made between

Tabriz Islamic Art University, hereafter **TIAU**, having its registered office at Azadi Blvd, Tabriz, Iran, represented by its Rector, Professor Mohammad Ali Kaynejad,
and

the **University of Minho**, hereafter **UMinho**, having its registered office at Largo do Paço, 4704-553 Braga, Portugal, represented by its Rector, Professor António M. Cunha.

All parties, which have so declared their adhesion, are hereinafter referred to individually or collectively as the "Party(ies)".

ARTICLE 1

The Parties agree to promote cooperation between the two institutions in areas of mutual interest by:

1. Exchange of faculty and researchers;
2. Exchange of undergraduate and graduate students;
3. Development of joint research projects;
4. Development of joint graduate programs;
5. Other actions of common interest, including specialized services to the community.

ARTICLE 2

In each specific case of cooperation, the Parties must prepare an Addendum to this MoU, through the respective Educational and Research Units (Schools / Faculties), which contain the terms of application of the first article of this MoU.

ARTICLE 3

Any subsequent addendum entered into force shall be borne between the legal authorized representatives of the Parties.

ARTICLE 4


This MoU shall enter into force as from the date of its signature and shall be valid for a period of 4 (four) years, renewable upon agreement of the Parties.

ARTICLE 5

Changes, denunciations, as well as modifications to this MoU shall be given in writing with a notice of 90 (ninety) days. Any amendment or termination shall be made without prejudice of any action in progress, which must be concluded in full.

This MoU shall be signed in two copies, in English language.

For Tabriz Islamic Art University,

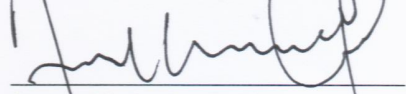


Mohammad Ali Kaynejad, Rector

Date

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For University of Minho,



António M. Cunha, Rector

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