



# **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

between the

# OTTO VON GUERICKE UNIVERSITY MAGDEBURG

represented by the Rector, Universitaetsplatz 2, 39106 Magdeburg Germany

and the

# UNIVERSIDAD NACIONAL AGRARIA LA MOLINA

represented by the Rector, Av. La Molina s/n District La Molina, Province Lima-Department of Lima Peru



### I. PREAMBLE

The Universidad Nacional Agraria La Molina (UNALM) and the Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg (OVGU) intend to engage in academic exchange. The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding is to develop cooperation on the basis of equality and reciprocity and to promote relations and mutual understanding between the two institutions.

#### II. TERMS FOR THE COOPERATION

Co-operation shall be carried out subject to the availability of funds and may include the following activities:

- a) Exchange of faculty members, undergraduate students and research experts for short-term visits.
- b) Development and implementation of joint research projects.
- c) Organization of joint academic and scientific activities such as courses, lectures, symposis, etc.
- d) Exchange of scientific materials, publications and other relevant information, other forms of academic exchange subject to mutual consent.





#### III. FUNDING

The implementation of these activities may be arranged by individual agreements (specific agreements) which will be added to the present Memorandum of Understanding subject to mutual agreement between the parties. In case of student exchange a specific student exchange agreement will be necessary. In these agreements the financial details shall be arranged in particular. Both institutions shall undertake efforts to raise funds. For all activities appropriate external funding must be secured. The university submitting a project proposal is in charge of ensuring that sufficient funds are available for its completion.

#### IV. SPECIFIC AGREEMENTS

In principle, cooperation may involve all faculties of the OVGU and all faculties of the UNALM. However, it will concentrate initially on the Faculty of Sciences (UNALM) and the Faculty of Mathematics (OVGU). Other departments or units can participate by mutual agreement at any time.



Exchange participants must have a comprehensive health insurance policy valid for the entire duration of the internship which must cover essentially any risk of illness, hospitalization and accident insurance, this policy must also cover potential risks of the intern during the possible trips made by the country where is doing the internship. If necessary, additional host country insurance has to be obtained. Furthermore, visitors are solely responsible for sufficient insurance coverage with regard to third party liability.

#### V. APPOINTMENT OF COORDINATORS

Each university will designate a responsible person who will coordinate the activities arranged within this agreement and support all concerned individuals in the operation of their tasks.

For the UNALM: Javier Ñaupari Vásquez, Head, Office of Inter-Institutional Management and Global Affairs, ORI.

For the OVGU: Thomas Richter, Professor of the Faculty of Mathematics.

#### VI. TERMS OF VALIDITY AND RENEWAL

a) This Memorandum of Understanding will be valid for an initial of 5 years. It automatically becomes ineffective in the absence of any projects as outlined in II. Otherwise both parties would have to discuss an extension of the cooperation and bring about a written consent.





b) This Memorandum of Understanding may be amended or terminated at any time by an exchange of letters between mutually agreeing representatives of both universities. However, it is understood that every effort shall be made to complete the activities of the ongoing academic year.

#### VII. DISSOLUTION



Any matter not expressly provided in this agreement and / or any discrepancies in its application and / or interpretation, will seek to be resolved in writing by direct agreement between the universities on the basis of rules of good faith and common intention of the parties, seeking for this purpose maximum cooperation for the settlement of differences. Failure to find a solution the parties submit their dispute to arbitration law, to the effect that they designate.



## VII SIGNING OF THE AGREEMENT

This Memorandum of Understanding is produced in English. It is effective upon signature by the representatives of the partner institutions.

For the Otto von Guericke University Magdeburg

Prof. Dr.-Ing. Jens Strackeljan

Date: 06.03.2018

For Universidad Nacional Agraria La Molina

Enrique Flores Mariazz

Rector

Date: July 23, 2018