

Contract on Cooperation

August 26, 2005

Tbilisi, Georgia

We, on the one hand, the Georgian University of Social Sciences, represented by the Rector **Ms. Manana Sanadze** and, on the other hand, the Birmingham College of Professional Education and training, represented by **Dr. Govind Desai**, agree to cooperate for the achievement of common goals.

The parties confirm that they act upon their own free will without any illegal pressure.

1. The Goal of Cooperation

1.1. The aim of cooperation of the two institutions is the delivery of education on an integrated basis.

2. Responsibilities of the Sides

2.1. The University takes upon the obligation to:

- Announce openings for the admission of students to the **Nursing and Care** programs. The applicants are accepted from the pool of qualified nurses, students and graduates of medical institutions and individuals with a higher secondary school education with or without working experience in medical institutions
- In coordination with the College criteria for admission, provide testing, preparatory programs for each specific program and criteria for student evaluation.
- In compliance with the college, train and provide certification for the students having failed the entrance tests within the frames of the special preparatory course.

2.2. The College takes upon the responsibility to:

- Issue the invitation letter and all other supportive documents to successful graduates of aforementioned preparatory programs who have passed the IELTS (5.5 and above) and have covered the tuition fees to apply for British visa.
- Ensure further education and acceptance to Care and Nursing programs at Birmingham College for the students who meet admission criteria.
- Provide opportunities for the part-time employment of the students while they are engaged in the theoretical course.
- Guarantee that the students engaged in the practical course receive the due salary during the internship.
- Award Birmingham College Professional School diplomas to students who've completed the program and successfully passed evaluation.

3. The Partner Activity Program

3.1. The partners set the common activity program and the perspective for developments in cooperation.

3.2. Upon mutual agreement the partners determine the cost of the educational programs. At the same time each side reserves the right to allocate and use the financial resources it gains from the common program - at its own discretion.

4. Contract Abortion / Cessation of Common Activities.

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4.1. The partners stop mutual work:

- after the expiration of the contract
- upon the mutually reached decision
- after the complete fulfillment of the obligations
- In other cases, as determined by the law.
- In case of violation of the terms and conditions set above in this agreement the sides can apply to the court.

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5. Other Provisions

5.1. The contract is in force from the day it signed, i.e. from 26. 08. 05 to 26. 08. 06.

5. 2. All the amendments made to this agreement are in force in case if they are accepted by both sides, if they are presented documentary and signed by the authorized representative of each party.

5.3. The contract is made in two copies having equal force, with the signatures of both sides on each copy.

Signatures of the Parties:

Georgian University of Social Sciences

Birmingham College of Professional Education and Training

Manana Sanadze
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Govind Desai
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Rector

Principal



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