

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

between the University of Georgia and the University of Münster

The UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA and the UNIVERSITY OF MÜNSTER (hereinafter referred to as „the parties“) with this Memorandum express their interest to coordinate and collaborate in academic activities pertaining to effective and mutually beneficial cooperation, to develop academic and cultural exchange in education, research, and other areas, and to extensively cooperate towards the internationalisation of higher education.

The parties strive to encourage direct contact between students and staff of their various faculties and institutes. Possible forms of co-operation are:

- I. Exchange of graduate and undergraduate students for study and research
- II. Exchange of faculty members for research, lectures and discussions
- III. Joint research activities
- IV. Exchange of academic materials and academic publications and information
- V. Co-organisation and participation in lectures, seminars and conferences
- VI. Co-operation in administrative issues
- VII. All other relevant activities of mutual interest

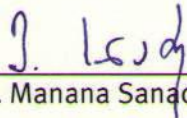
The themes of joint activities, the conditions for utilising the results achieved and the arrangements for specific visits, exchanges and other forms of co-operation will be negotiated separately for each specific case by the concerned parties and will be agreed upon in writing prior to the initiation of the particular programme or activity. Activities to be implemented can be formally incorporated as an addendum to this Memorandum.

It is understood that all financial arrangements between the two Universities will be negotiated individually on a project-by-project basis and will be detailed in the respective addendum to this Memorandum.

It is also understood that the implementation of any agreement will commence upon its signing by both parties, and that it will be valid for five years subject to revision or modification by mutual consent. The possibility and terms of renewal of any agreement will be discussed by the representatives of both Universities within six months prior to its termination.

FOR UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

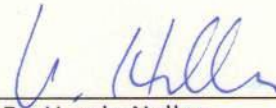
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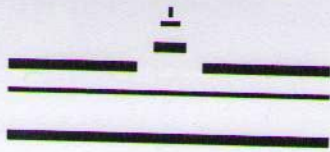
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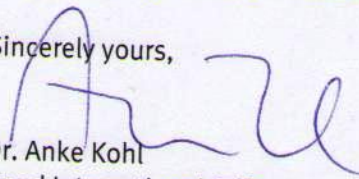
Dear Rector, dear Prof. Sanadze,

further to your visit in Münster in July this year and your meeting with our Rector, Prof. Dr. Ursula Nelles, we are pleased to present to you a Memorandum of Understanding between the University of Georgia and the University of Münster.

Enclosed please find two identical copies of the Memorandum, signed by our Rector, Prof. Nelles. We kindly request you to send a signed copy back to us (or hand it to Prof. Griebhaber while he is staying at your university).

We are looking forward towards a successful cooperation between our universities.

Sincerely yours,


Dr. Anke Kohl
Head International Office