MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
between
V.N. Karazin Kharkiv National University
and
Friedrich Schiller University Jena
Faculty of Theology and Faculty of Humanities

V. N. Karazin Kharkiv National University, having its legal address at 4, Maidan Svobody, Kharkiv 61022, Ukraine, represented by **Rector Professor Tetyana Kaganovska**, acting on the basis of the University Statute,

And,

Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Faculty of Theology, having its legal address at Theologische Fakultät, Friedrich-Schiller-Universität, Fürstengraben 6, 07743 Jena, Germany, represented by its **Dean Professor Christopher Spehr**, including the **Jena Center for Reconciliation Studies (JCRS)**, represented by **Director Professor Martin Leiner**, acting on the basis of powers available to both of them,

And,

Friedrich Schiller University Jena, Faculty of Humanities, having its legal address at Philosophische Fakultät, Friedrich-Schiller-Universität, Fürstengraben 27, 07743 Jena, Germany, represented by its **Dean Professor Christoph Demmerling**, acting on the basis of powers available to him

Hereinafter collectively referred to as the Parties and individually as a Party,

Willing to establish collaborative relations to develop academic and cultural engagement in learning, teaching and research activities, have entered into the Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as the MoU) on the following:

1. Both Parties shall encourage co-operation in academic sphere.
2. Both Parties shall seek to promote activities, such as:
    2.1. Exchange of academic and administrative staff;
    2.2. Exchange of bachelor, master, doctoral and postdoctoral students;
    2.3. Joint academic programmes (including double degree programmes);
    2.4. Joint research projects and common scientific initiatives, such as seminars, lectures etc.;
    2.5. Exchange of publications, reports and other academic information;
    2.6. Use of research equipment and free access to the facilities of either Party;
    2.7. Other activities as mutually agreed.
3. The details of co-operation and the associated financial arrangements for each specific area of activity shall be settled through consultations between the Parties and shall be spelled out in separate Appendices which should be attached to this MoU and form its integral part.

4. This MoU shall take effect upon approval by both parties and shall remain in effect for an initial period of three years. This MoU does not form any legally binding obligations between the Parties, nor does it place financial responsibility or funding commitments on either Party.

5. If a dispute arises from any part of this MoU or related addenda that cannot be resolved to the satisfaction of either Party, this MoU will be terminated. At any time, either Party may terminate this MoU by providing at least six (6) months' advance written notice. Such termination will permit the completion of activities in progress under the terms of the related addenda, unless agreed otherwise between the Parties.

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7. The MoU is entered in English in two (2) identical counterparts having the same legal force, one copy for each Party.

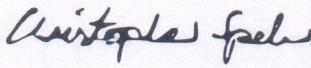**Signed for and on behalf of:**

Friedrich Schiller University Jena

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Prof. Dr. Walter Rosenthal
President
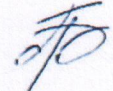
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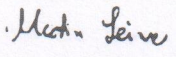**Faculty of Theology**

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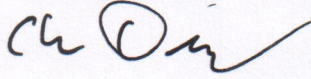
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