



International Association
"Sustainable Development"



**DNIPRO UNIVERSITY
of TECHNOLOGY
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AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION

between

International Association "Sustainable Development"

(Bulgaria)

and

Dnipro University of Technology

(Ukraine)

**Varna – Dnipro
2021**

International Association "Sustainable Development" (IASD, Bulgaria), hereafter referred to as **IASD**, represented by its President, Doct. of Tech. Sc. Prof. Hristo Krachunov, acting on the basis of the Charter, on the one hand, and **Dnipro University of Technology (Ukraine)**, hereafter referred to as **DUT**, represented by its Vice-Rector for International Affairs, Doct. of Tech. Sc. Prof. Oleksandr Shashenko, acting on the basis of the Charter, on the other hand, collectively referred to as the "PARTIES", on the basis of equality and mutual benefit, compliance with applicable laws and regulations in order to further increase of the efficiency of their scientific activity, have entered into this AGREEMENT about the following:

ARTICLE 1 MAIN PROVISIONS

1.1. The PARTIES have agreed to establish mutually beneficial cooperation in accordance with the clauses and conditions stated in the text of this document.

1.2. The PARTIES undertake to apply all efforts for successful implementation of the AGREEMENT terms.

1.3. This AGREEMENT does not contain any obligations being enforceable on the basis of national or international law, as well as intentions of the PARTIES will not be subject to legal proceedings and will not be considered as the warranty, either expressed or implied.

1.4 None of the clauses of the Agreement will be interpreted as authorizing the Parties to establish joint partnerships or companies of any type or to represent one Party as an agent of the other Party.

ARTICLE 2 AREAS OF COOPERATION

2.1. Each of the PARTIES undertakes to establish interaction concerning the development of cooperation in the field of scientific activity on the basis of direct ties, understanding under direct ties the first-hand cooperation in the development of scientific sphere.

2.2. The PARTIES determined the main areas of cooperation:

- conducting joint coordinated research in the field of information and measuring technologies to develop effective methods for studying the biological properties of water, aqueous solutions, exchange of information available to the PARTIES;

- joint participation in scientific seminars and conferences;

- joint publication of scientific monographs and articles;

- exchange of scientific journals and collections.

ARTICLE 3 FINANCIAL CONDITIONS

3.1 Parties to the Agreement do not bear any financial obligations to each other.

3.2 Each Party shall independently bear all financial expenses for the implementation of cooperation programs under this Agreement.

3.3 Mutual accounts and financial agreements of the PARTIES, that envisage the conclusion of an additional document, will be negotiated in a separate agreement.

ARTICLE 4 PROTECTION OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

4.1 Protection of intellectual property rights should be provided by acts and regulations of the national legislation of the Parties.

4.2 The use of the name, logo and official emblem of one of the Parties in any printed document or publication is prohibited without the prior written consent of the other Party.

4.3 Intellectual property Rights to any invention, product or service elements performed jointly by both Parties or otherwise, the results of scientific research obtained in the course of joint activities of the Parties will be the property of both Parties in accordance with the paragraph on mutual agreements;

4.4 Research results obtained exclusively in the course of individual studies performed by IASD or Dnipro University of Technology will be the exclusive property of this subject of the Agreement.

ARTICLE 5 INFORMATION RESOURCES AND CONFIDENTIALITY

5.1. The Parties undertake to take appropriate measures provided for in the regulations of the national legislation of the Parties to protect confidential information.

5.2. By confidential information, the Parties understand any information related to cooperation under this Agreement that is not publicly available, is not intended for wide distribution, use by an unlimited number of persons, and is of actual or potential commercial value.

ARTICLE 6 RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES, MAKING MODIFICATIONS AND AMENDMENTS

6.1 Any Party may in writing declare a revision of the clauses of the Agreement, changes in the conditions for their implementation and amendments to the text of the entire Agreement or its part.

6.2 Any amendments and changes adopted by both Parties must be made in writing in the text of the Agreement and become an integral part thereof.

6.3 Adopted amendments and changes to the Agreement shall enter into force on the date specified by the Parties in additional mutual agreements

6.4 Adopted amendments, modifications or changes to the Agreement shall not prejudice the rights and obligations of the Agreement prior to the date of such revision, modification or amendments.

6.5 Any differences or disputes between the Parties regarding the interpretation and/or application of the terms and conditions of this Agreement shall be governed by mutual agreements and negotiations between the Parties, without recourse to third Parties.

ARTICLE 7 DURATION AND TERMINATION

7.1 This Agreement shall enter into force on the date of its signature and shall be valid for 5 (five) years with the right of its prolongation. If the PARTIES have not notified each other about the termination of further cooperation prior to agreement expiration term, then the agreement is considered automatically prolonged for each subsequent year.

7.2 Any Party has the right to terminate this Agreement by sending the other Party 30 (thirty) calendar days prior to the date of completion of the Agreement, a notification of the intention to terminate the Agreement. There are no penalties for this clause of the Agreement.

ARTICLE 8 OFFICIAL ADDRESSES OF THE PARTIES

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All correspondence under this Agreement must be conducted in writing in English and Russian and sent by e-mail, Fax, or postal message to the following addresses of IASD and Dnipro University of Technology or to another address that either PARTY will provide to the sender:

We hereby certify that this Agreement is signed by authorized persons:

The Agreement of Cooperation has been prepared and signed in English and Russian, in 4 (four) copies, 2 (two) copies for each PARTY.

On behalf of:
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Development" (IASD)

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On behalf of:
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Vice-Rector for International Affairs,
Doct. of Tech. Sc. Prof. **Oleksandr Shashenko**

Date:

