

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
ON COLLABORATION**

**between**

**THE CENTER FOR ASIAN AND AFRICAN STUDIES, EL COLEGIO DE  
MÉXICO**

**and**

**THE FACULTY OF ORIENTAL STUDIES, YEREVAN STATE UNIVERSITY**

The Center for Asian and African Studies at El Colegio de México and the Faculty of Oriental Studies at the Yerevan State University, wishing to promote cooperation between the two institutions in education and in academic research, agree to the following:

- a. to develop joint research activities;
- b. to support mutual visits by faculty members;
- c. to exchange graduate and undergraduate students;
- d. to explore collaboration in education;
- e. to invite each other to participate in seminars and conferences organized by the respective institutions;
- f. to exchange scientific information in the form of publications, instruction materials and other results of teaching and research.

The terms of cooperation for each specific activity implemented under this cooperation agreement shall be mutually discussed and agreed upon in writing by both parties prior to the initiation of that activity.

Each institution shall designate a liaison officer to develop and coordinate the specific activities agreed upon.

This cooperation agreement shall become effective for an initial period of five (5) years from the date when the representatives of both universities affix their signature to the agreement. At the end of five years, the agreement will automatically be renewed unless otherwise indicated. The agreement is subject to review, however, and may be terminated by either The Center for Asian and African Studies at El Colegio de México or the Faculty of Oriental Studies at the Yerevan State University by written notice signed by the presiding officer of the notifying party. To be effective, the notice of termination must be received by the other party three months before the termination is to become effective.

In witness whereof, the parties hereto have appended their signatures:





**Dr. Amaury García Rodríguez**



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Date 27/09/19



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