carrying out the agreement.

the full continuum of either institution, nor will any conditions be imposed by either upon the other in
and to suggest the guidelines of the cooperation described above, Nothing therefore shall clinch

3. This agreement is not intended to be a legally binding document. It is meant to describe the nature

agreement shall be separately negotiated and determined by both universities.

financial resources. Accordingly, the implementation of each exchange program based on this

the academic interests and expertise of individual faculty members upon the availability of

2. The parties recognize that the implementation of any exchange or support program will depend upon

and support programs agreeable to both universities

organization of joint research programs, joint conferences, and other academic exchanges

- exchange of periodicals and other publications

- exchange of academic information and materials

- joint supervision of graduate students

- exchange of faculty and of students (undergraduate and/or graduate)

based on their respective academic and educational needs.

the institutions agree to encourage the development of the following exchange and support programs.

respective scholars and students will be increased by the establishment of such exchange programs.

educational process at both the institutions will be enhanced and the mutual understanding between the

exchanging scholars, students, academic information and materials in the belief that research and

This agreement is based on the principle of reciprocity and expresses the interests of both parties in

implement this Memorandum of Understanding.

KADIR HAS UNIVERSITY

AND

BLACKSBURG, VIRGINIA, USA

VIRGINIA POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE AND STATE UNIVERSITY

ISTANBUL, TURKEY

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)
For Virginia Tech, Jordan Science, and for Kadir Has University, Ström Ackerman, shall serve as liaison officers for this agreement.

4. The agreement shall become effective on the day of its signature at both universities after mutual consultation and approval of any possible inconveniences to the other institutions. The agreement shall not be modified by mutual written agreement. It is also understood that other institutions may terminate signatures and seek to revise or amend this agreement at any time. Sections and/or parts may be subject to revision or amendment.

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