



# "一带一路"高校联盟合作备忘录

MEMORANDUM OF UNIVERSITY ALLIANCE OF BELT & ROAD



The memorandum is jointly formulated and will be implemented by the members of the Alliance of Universities along "the Belt & Road".

The member universities are in agreement on the contents of the memorandum.

### I. Principle

The memorandum aims to indicate that the member universities intend to cooperate in the fields listed in item II. If the member universities reach an agreement of cooperation on a certain field, another specific agreement stipulating the rights and obligations of the parties should be signed except this memorandum. Therefore the memorandum is to indicate cooperation intentions but legal binding effect or compulsive obligations of the parties.

# $\ensuremath{\mathbb{I}}$ . Fields of Cooperation

The main fields of cooperation themed by "the Belt and Road" are as follows.

1. Talent Cultivation.

Cultivate talents of all levels; construct courses of high levels; introduce advanced curriculum designing, teaching materials and evaluation methods; improve teaching approaches; promote mutual credit recognition and so on.

Scientific research

Research on the major theoretical and practical problems concerning economic and social development, basic scientific studies, and key technological know-hows.

3. Discipline Construction.

Construct first-class disciplines and courses of specific features; fill the gaps and strengthen the construction of weak subjects; carry out mutual discipline evaluation.

4. Teacher Training.

Organize teachers' communication, exchange and training programs.

- 5. Encourage sharing of knowledge and technology, promote the interests of all parties.
- 6. Other cooperation intentions concerning fields of common interests.

### III. Methods

In order to deepen educational cooperation, enhance exchange and improve academic and research capability among the member universities, the cooperation among the members will be strengthened through the following ways.

- 1. Exchange oversea students, mainly students for diplomas and degrees
- 2. Jointly apply for scientific research projects.
- 3. Jointly construct scientific research base, university think tank etc..
- 4. Build alliance of specific subjects.
- $5. Carry\ out\ joint-running\ programs\ such\ as\ dual-degree\ programs\ and\ joint-degree\ programs,\ etc..$
- 6. Promote key projects.

Strengthen the cooperation of scientific research, cultural communication and personnel exchanges among all parties to ensure a number of key cooperation programs.

7. Host the annual theme forum of the alliance and other forums and seminars when necessary.

# **IV.** Implementation

All parties understand and approve:

- 1. This Memorandum demands no charge from any member university. Any cooperation program should have financial support correspondingly.
- 2. Every intellectual property right belongs to its announcer. This memorandum does not require any party to sign an agreement with other parties on intellectual property rights, and does not grant any party the intellectual property rights of any other parties.
  - 3. The cooperation fields and patterns of the member universities include but are not limited to the contents of the memorandum.

# V. Effective Duration, Termination and Infringement

- 1. The memorandum takes effect since the day it is signed by the responsible persons of the member universities, with a validity period of 5 years.
  - 2. A written application is required to be submitted to the secretariat of the Alliance 45 days in advance for any party to apply for quitting.

# VI. Amendment

A written consent by the member universities of the Alliance is required for the memorandum to be amended.

# VII. Members and Would-Be Members

Either in written form or by annual meeting vote, the approval of a majority of members is required for a new member to join the Alliance.

 $Signature\ of\ the\ Secretary-general\ of\ UAB\&R:$ 

University:

Baikal State University

Signed by:

Date: 2021. 12.10