



KAZAKH NATIONAL
UNIVERSITY
OF SPORTS

COOPERATION AGREEMENT

Between

**National University of Science and Technology Politehnica Bucharest,
University Center Pitesti; Faculty of Science, Physical Education and
Informatics; Doctoral School Sport Science and Physical Education
(Romania)**

and

Kazakh National University of Sports (Kazakhstan)

signed on «21» 11, 2025.

This agreement is a general enabling document for inter-institutional cooperation between Faculty of Science, Physical Education and Informatics; Doctoral School Sport Science and Physical Education from University Center Pitesti, Romania and Kazakh National University of Sports.

Cooperative projects under this general agreement may include any of the academic disciplines represented at either of the institutions.

The Parties agree to develop collaboration in the following fields:

1. Joint Research Activities.

Implementation of joint fundamental and applied research projects, including interdisciplinary studies, preparation of joint applications for national and international research grants, and participation in international research consortia and academic networks.

2. Academic and Research Mobility.

Exchange of faculty members, researchers, doctoral candidates, and research fellows on a short-term or long-term basis, including online and hybrid formats, under terms and durations to be determined by mutual agreement of the Parties.

3. Student Mobility and Educational Exchange.

Exchange of undergraduate, graduate, and doctoral students, including participation in academic semesters, summer and winter schools, research

internships, and joint educational initiatives, on a tuition-free or otherwise mutually agreed basis.

4. *Joint Organization of Academic and Educational Events.*

Co-organization and implementation of international conferences, symposia, scientific seminars, workshops, professional development courses, and practice-oriented schools, including the use of digital and online educational platforms.

5. *Joint Publications and Scholarly Communication.*

Preparation and publication of joint scientific articles, special journal issues, monographs, educational and methodological materials, as well as the development of joint editorial and expert initiatives.

6. *Exchange of Knowledge and Research Infrastructure.*

Exchange of scientific, methodological, and analytical information, publications, and academic resources, and, where feasible, joint use of research infrastructure, laboratories, and digital research facilities.

7. *Innovation and Knowledge Transfer.*

Cooperation in the implementation of research outcomes into educational and professional practice, development of innovative and digital solutions, and support for knowledge transfer, commercialization of research results, and startup initiatives.

PART I: TERMS OF THE COOPERATION

Exchange of staff will be carried out in conformity with the person/month quota to be agreed by the two Parties. Staff will be selected on the basis of mutual agreement. Candidates proposed by one Party will be presented to the other Party in due course, before the beginning of the budget year.

The Parties will assure the visiting staff necessary assistance during their visit. The sending Party will cover travel costs and accommodation expenses.

The two Parties will exchange on a tuition-free basis undergraduate and post graduate students on a mutually agreed basis in scientific and academic fields of interest. The number of students and the fields of interest will be determined on the basis of mutually agreed Programs.

Exchange students will demonstrate their knowledge of the foreign language according to the regulation in force of the receiving Party. Exchanges will start after the final confirmation of the acceptance of the receiving Party.

Exchange students will cover their own travel costs. The Parties agree on finding appropriate accommodation for the students participating in the Programs. Students should pay in advance the accommodation costs according to local standards. Guest students will be exempted from tuition fees on a mutual basis.

Both institutions agree to look into the possibility of exchanging publications that are published by faculty including academic journals, teaching and educational

materials, and scientific research. It is also agreed that both institutions may, if convenient, render mutual academic and educational support and assistance, insofar as it might be possible, including obtaining relevant information, equipment and resources for teaching, and data for educational research. It is hoped that, with these increased items of cooperation, this cooperation will result in a greater number of joint scholarly publications and other evidence of productive research.

PART II: RENEWAL, TERMINATION AND AMENDMENT

This agreement is written in English in 2 (two) copies and will be entered into force after it has been signed by the administration of both universities and approved by the competent authorities.

This agreement will be automatically extended for a period of 5 (five) years unless one of the parties notifies the other party in writing form at least 6 (six) months prior to the expiration date of the termination of the agreement.

In the case of the termination of this agreement, it is guaranteed that the programs and activities that have been started and are being carried out will be continued and completed in accordance with the current terms of the agreement.

Bank and address details and signatures of the parties

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