31. Accordo Quadro tra l'Università di Catania (Di3A) e la University of Agronomic Sciences and vegeterinary medicine of Bucharest (ROMANIA)

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Il Direttore porta all'attenzione del Consiglio la richiesta pervenuta dalla prof.ssa Vittoria Catara in merito alla stipula di un Accordo di Cooperazione internazionale tra l'Università degli Studi di Catania (Di3A) e la University of Agronomic Sciences and Vegeterinary Medicine of Bucharest (Romania), con lo scopo dì promuovere un programma di scambio accademico bilaterale e di cooperazione culturale nell'ambito delle attività di didattica e di ricerca svolte dal Dipartimento al fine di promuovere la formazione e la ricerca scientifica. La collaborazione tra le due Università riguarderà le aree della docenza e della ricerca e comprenderà, in particolare lo scambio di docenti e ricercatori, la partecipazione a programmi congiunti di ricerca, lo scambio di informazioni, documentazioni e pubblicazioni scientifiche, visite di studio e partecipazione a seminari e corsi su temi di reciproco interesse sia per la docenza che per la ricerca. Il Direttore precisa che l'Accordo avrà valore effettivo dal momento della sottoscrizione dello stesso per un periodo di cinque anni e che i contenuti del presente contratto sono conformi agli schemi preposti dall'Ateneo.

Il Direttore invita il Consiglio a esprimersi in merito.

Il Consiglio,

AGREEMENT OF COOPERATION	
BETWEEN	
THE UNIVERSITY OF CATANIA, ITALY	
through the department of	
AGRICULTURE, FOOD AND ENVIRONMENT	
AND	
THE UNIVERSITY OF AGRONOMIC SCIENCES AND	
VETERINARYMEDICINE OF BUCHAREST, ROMANIA,	
represented by Rector Prof. univ.dr. Sorin Mihai	
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ART. 1	
The University of Catania and the University of	
Agronomic Sciences and Veterinary Medicine of	
Bucharest wish to promote scientific training and	
research in both countries.	
ART. 2	
The parties agree to support this collaboration in	
fields of mutual interest:	
- Joint didactical and scientific research	
projects;	
- Joint training courses;	
- Exchange of undergraduates, PhD fellows,	
postgraduates, professors or researchers;	

- Joint organisation of seminars, meetings or	
scientific workshops;	
- Mutual use of means for scientific research;	
- Joint scientific publications and exchange of	
information, publications and scientific	
journals.	
ART.3	
In order to fulfill this agreement, both parties	
shall prepare Joint Programs of Collaboration	
through meetings or correspondence of delegates or	
representatives of both institutions. By mutual	
consent, such joint programs may include the	
participation of other scientific groups, either	
Italian or foreigner.	
Means of financing will be incurred through	
research grants or grants donated by outside	
sources to the two institutions or their respective	
coordinators or members.	
ART. 4	
The topics of mutual interest shall be established	
as specific protocols agreed upon by the parties	
and must contain the following information:	
- The exact nature of the proposed research;	
- The names of the colleges, institutions or	
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research centres in which the research will take	
place, indicating the names of the participants	
and their positions within the respective	
institutions;	
- The names of the people in charge of the research	
at both institutions, and their CVs;	
- The positions and functions of the participants	
from both institutions;	
- The planned duration and financing of the	
research.	
With regard to the aforementioned, the scientists	
responsible for the joint projects shall submit an	
annual report to the academic authorities of their	
institution.	
The report must include the following information:	
- Joint publications issued, or a report of the	
projects in progress;	
- Accomplished exchange activities and the results	
obtained.	
- Other activities that were conducted;	
- A proposed plan of the projects for the following	
year.	
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ART. 5	
Both universities will exchange undergraduates,	
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professors, researchers, postgraduates and PhD	
fellows, in scientific and academic fields of	
common interest. The number of exchange people and	
the fields of interest will be defined within	
specific programes established by this agreement.	
ART. 6	
The researchers and PhD fellows may be proposed by	
either party and will be selected by mutual	
agreement. Candidates proposed by one party will be	
presented to the other with a reasonable time to	
allow review and agreement by both parties. The	
final approval of the proposed candidates will be	
decided no later than 120 days prior to the start	
of the visit.	
ART. 7	
The exchange of undergraduates will be possible	
only after the agreement of both parties.	
Undergraduates will demonstrate their knowledge of	
the foreign language according to the regulations	
of the host institution. The names of the	
undergraduates selected, their area of study and	
their estimated date of arrival will be given to	
the host institution six months prior to the	
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Stu	dents are subjected to the academic regulations	
of	the host university. The authorisation of	
equ	ivalent credit for courses and exams taken at	
the	host university will be granted according to	
the	requirements and regulations of the home	
uni	versity.	
	ART. 8	
Thr	ough their competent authorities, the parties	
wil	l assure the visiting professors, researchers	
PhD	fellows, postgraduates and students any	
nec	essary assistance during their visit in order to	
gua	rantee them a profitable and comfortable stay.	
Tra	vel, accommodation, living and insurance costs	
wil	l be defined separately for each joint project.	
Bot	h universities agree to seek financial support	
of	any kind for the participating students and	
pro	fessors.	
	ART. 9	
Thi	s agreement will be in effect from the date of	
rat	ification by both parties.	
	ART. 10	
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This agreement will be in effect for a period of	
five years and may be renewed by mutual decision of	
both parties. A possible termination will not have	
any effect on the projects or activities in	
progress unless otherwise agreed by both parties.	
ART. 11	
Any controversy on the interpretation and execution	
of the present agreement will be submitted to an	
Academic Commission composed of one representative	
from each party and one chosen by common consent.	
ART. 12	
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