



AGREEMENT

OF COOPERATION BETWEEN

Macomb Community College and Erebuni Medical Academy Foundation

Macomb Community College (hereinafter referred to as MCC), located in Michigan, The United States of America, and Erebuni Medical Academy Foundation (hereinafter referred to as EMAF) located in Armenia, enter into an agreement of cooperation to establish a program of exchange and collaboration in areas of interest and benefit to both institutions.

The purposes of the cooperation between MCC and EMAF are as follows:

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- 1. To promote collaborative interest in the teaching and research activities of the respective institutions,
- To deepen the understanding of the economic, cultural, and social environment of the respective institutions.

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To achieve these goals, MCC and EMAF will, insofar as the means of each allow:

- Promote institutional exchanges by inviting faculty and staff of the partner institutions to participate
 in a variety of teaching and/or research activities and professional development;
- 2. Receive undergraduate and graduate students of the partner institution for periods of study and/or research;
- 3. Organize symposia, conferences, short courses, and/or meetings on research issues;
- 4. Carry out joint research and continuing education programs;
- Exchange information pertaining to developments in teaching, student development, and research at each institution.

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Each institution shall designate a coordinator to oversee and facilitate the implementation of this Agreement of Cooperation. The coordinators, working with other appropriate administrators at the respective institutions, should have the following responsibilities:

- To promote collaboration in academic study and research between faculty and students at both institutions at the undergraduate and graduate levels;
- To serve as the principal contacts for individual and group activities, and to plan and coordinate all the activities within their institutions as well as in collaboration with the partner institution;
- To distribute information about the faculty, facilities, research, publications, library materials, educational resources of the other institution to each institution
- To meet periodically to review and evaluate activities conducted under this Memorandum of Understanding, and to investigate new areas for future cooperative agreements.

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All publications resulting from the collaboration between the two institutions must give recognition to the other institution for its contributions. Further, the relationship of the two institutions must also be mentioned in all courses and formal presentations that result from the collaboration under the terms hereof.

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Any faculty collaboration under the terms of this Agreement of Cooperation should result in any potential for INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, both institutions shall immediately make notice of such potential to the other institutions and shall immediately meet

through designated representatives to establish an equitable and fair understanding as to ownership and other property interests that may arise. Any such discussions shall at all times strive to preserve the harmonious and continuing relationship between the parties. This general Agreement of Cooperation shall be identified as the parent document for any program agreement executed between MCC and College Erebouni.

All further agreements between the two institutions shall be written, shall provide details concerning the specific commitments made by each institution, and shall not become effective until they have been executed by the duly authorized representatives of the respective institutions. The scope of the activities under this agreement shall be determined by the funds regularly available at both institutions for the types of collaboration undertaken and by financial assistance as may be obtained by either institution from external sources.

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Except as it may be otherwise be explicitly stated in writing in any specific future agreement, each institution shall be responsible for all expenses incurred by its employees under this Agreement of Cooperation.

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Upon approval by each institution, the Agreement of Cooperation shall remain in effect for a period of five (5) years, unless terminated earlier by either institution. Such termination by one institution shall be effected by giving the other institution at least ninety (90) days advance written notice of its intention to terminate.

If such notice is given, this Agreement of Cooperation shall terminate: (a) at the end of such ninety (90) day period; or (b) when all students enrolled in a course of study under this Agreement of Cooperation have completed their respective courses of study, whichever occurs last. Termination shall be without penalty. If this Agreement of Cooperation is terminated, neither MCC nor EMAF shall be liable to the other for any monetary or other losses which may result.

This agreement of Cooperation is EXECUTED by Macomb Community College and the Erebuni Medical Academy Foundation duplicate, all copies of which shall be deemed to an original document, on this the 2022.

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