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**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
KERMANSHAH UNIVERSITY OF MEDICAL SCIENCES
KERMANSHAH, IRAN
AND
HAWLER MEDICAL UNIVERSITY
ERBIL, KURDISTAN REGION, IRAQ
FOR ACADEMIC COOPERATION**

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is established and entered into by Hawler Medical University, Iraq and Kermanshah University of Medical Sciences (KUMS), Iran to foster mutual cooperation in higher education, teaching, scientific research, professional development training and the sharing of experience in using high-tech equipment.

1. The parties agree to establish the following activities, by mutual agreement, to promote mutual cooperation:
 - Exchange of publications, academic (educational and research) materials, sources and technology transfer information
 - Co-hosting, participating and promoting opportunities for academic collaboration through conferences, symposia, seminars, workshops and academic meetings
 - Development of study programs
 - Foster new avenues for research collaboration and joint teaching and research projects
 - Explore opportunities for the mobility of students
 - Promote scholarship programs
 - Promote academic cooperation and the exchange of academic staff
 - Promote international excellence in research and teaching in higher education
 - Exchange external medical examiners for the university's final exams
 - Exchange of medical equipment and facilities

Before these activities can be implemented, both partners shall discuss the issues involved to the satisfaction of each party and enter into specific activity agreements based on the mutually agreed objectives and outcomes of the relationship.

This MOU will be subjected to the laws and regulations in force of the respective countries and local governments.



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Please note that the Agreement does not come into effect until authorised officers from both parties duly sign it.