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GENERAL AGREEMENT FOR ACADEMIC COLLABORATION BETWEEN, ON THE ONE HAND, THE UNIVERSITY OF GUADALAJARA, MEXICO, HEREINAFTER CALLED "UDEG", REPRESENTED BY ITS GENERAL RECTOR, MSc. KARLA ALEJANDRINA PLANTER PÉREZ, ASSISTED BY THE GENERAL SECRETARY MSc. CÉSAR ANTONIO BARBA DELGADILLO AND ON THE OTHER HAND, LUTHER COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY OF REGINA, CANADA HEREINAFTER CALLED "LCUR", REPRESENTED BY ITS PRESIDENT, DR. TOM PHENIX; PURSUANT TO THE FOLLOWING DECLARATIONS AND CLAUSES:

STATEMENTS

"LCUR" declares:

- I. That it is an independent Federated College of the University of Regina, in the Province of Saskatchewan, as the university College of the Corporation Luther College, Regina, the latter of which was established by the Luther College Act, given Royal Assent in the Province of Saskatchewan on December 5, 2018.
- II. That its representative is authorized to enter into this type of contract, as established in the Luther College Act (2018), and the Luther College Bylaws (2018).
- III. That among its purposes is, according to Article 4 of the Act, to operate colleges, schools and institutes for the education of students, including:
 - a. to provide for the delivery of lectures, classes, courses, seminars, exhibitions, conferences and performances designed to directly or indirectly advance the cause of Education;
 - b. provide facilities for research and conduct or facilitate Research;
 - c. affiliate, federate or cooperate with other educational institutions for the benefit of students.
- IV. That responsibility for execution of this agreement lies with the President who, according to Article 17 of the Act, is the chief executive officer of the Corporation and shall supervise and direct the work of the Corporation, the teaching and the administrative staff and be responsible for the operation of the Corporation in a manner consistent with its objects, purposes and Powers.
- V. As legal address, the property located at 3829 Lee Gren Ave., Regina, Saskatchewan, S4S 0A2, Canada.



"UDEG" declares:

- I. That it is a Decentralized Public Body of the Government of the State of Jalisco, with autonomy, legal personality and its own assets in accordance with the provisions of article 1 of its Organic Law, published by the Local Executive on January 15, 1994, in execution of decree number 15,319 of the H. Congress of the State of Jalisco.
- II. As indicated in Sections II and III of Article 5 of the Organic Law of the University, the purposes of this University are to organize, carry out, promote and disseminate scientific, technological and humanistic research; to rescue, conserve, increase and disseminate culture.
- III. That it is the responsibility of the University of Guadalajara, in accordance with Section III, to carry out teaching, research and cultural dissemination programs, in accordance with the principles and guidelines provided for in Article 3 of the Federal Constitution.
- IV. That the General Rector is the highest executive authority of the University, its legal representative, in accordance with article 32 of the Organic Law of the University.
- V. That the Secretary General is responsible for certifying the acts and events in accordance with Article 40 of the Organic Law of the University.
- VI. That designates the head of the Internationalization Coordination, or the person to whom he delegates functions, as responsible for the execution of this agreement.
- VII. Which indicates as legal address, the property located at Avenida Juárez number 976, C.P. 44100 in Guadalajara, Jalisco.

CLAUSES

FIRST. The purpose of this agreement is to establish the bases and criteria on which "UDEG" and "LCUR" will carry out joint actions of academic, scientific and cultural collaboration to enrich the functions they perform.

SECOND. Both parties agree that they may carry out cooperative actions in the following areas:



- a) Student Exchange;
- b) Exchange of academic staff;
- c) Development of research projects;
- d) Virtual cooperation programs such as: Virtual Mobility; Mirror Classes; Collaborative Online International Learning (COIL) among others;
- e) Design and organize courses, conferences, symposiums, and training, among others, that are of interest and that provide an academic, scientific and cultural benefit to both parties;
- f) Exchange of publications and other materials of common interest;
- g) Any others agreed upon by the parties for the execution of this agreement.

THIRD. The parties agree that the work programs arising from this agreement will be elevated to the category of specific collaboration agreements, once signed by their institutional representatives, which will be considered annexes to this instrument.

FOURTH. The specific agreements shall describe, with complete precision and as appropriate, the activities to be developed, the responsibility of each of the parties, the budget for each activity, definition of sources of financing, personnel involved, facilities and equipment to be used, work schedule, as well as everything necessary to determine with precision the purposes and scope of each of said agreements that shall be the operational instruments of this agreement.

FIFTH. The parties agree to regulate in the corresponding specific agreement, the matters relating to the ownership of the copyright of the materials that they produce as a result of the joint activities that they develop, as well as the matters corresponding to the industrial property rights that may arise from the research work.

SIXTH. The parties undertake to financially support the work programs arising from this agreement, to the extent of their budgetary availability.

SEVENTH. The parties shall appoint members of their staff to be responsible for monitoring this agreement, who shall propose the signing of specific agreements.



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EIGHTH. Both parties shall jointly or separately seek, before other institutions, government agencies and national and international organizations, the necessary resources for the development of the programs related to the specific agreements, in the event that said resources cannot be provided by the parties in whole or in part.

NINTH. In the development of the work programs, both parties undertake to respect the current and applicable regulations of each of them.

TENTH. The parties shall not be liable for damages caused by force majeure or unforeseeable events that may prevent the continuation of this agreement. Once such events have been overcome, activities may be resumed in the manner and terms determined by the parties.

ELEVENTH. The personnel of each of the parties that is designated for the joint performance of any action for the purpose of executing this agreement, will continue to be under the absolute direction and dependence of the party with which it has established its employment relationship or that has contracted it, so there will be no relationship with the other party and in no case may they be considered substitute employers, and therefore, each of them assumes the responsibilities that correspond to them by said relationship.

TWELFTH. The parties agree to consider confidential information to be all information related to the activities of the "UDEG" to which the "LCUR" has access, and vice versa, by reason of this agreement and which is not public in nature.

THIRTEENTH. This agreement shall enter into force upon its signature by both parties. It shall be valid for five years and shall cease to have legal effect when the parties so determine by mutual agreement, or when one of them notifies the other three months in advance and in writing of its desire to terminate it. If there are ongoing collaborative actions, the agreement shall not be terminated until those actions are completed.

FOURTEENTH. This agreement may be renewed or modified by the parties during its validity, adhering to the applicable regulations, and through the corresponding legal instruments, the parties being bound by the new stipulations, as of the date of its signature.



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FIFTEENTH. The parties declare that the signing of this agreement and the commitments made herein are the result of their good faith, and that they will therefore take all necessary actions for its due compliance; in the event of any discrepancy regarding its interpretation, this will be resolved by mutual agreement.

Having read this instrument, the parties are informed of the content and scope of each of its clauses and indicating that in its declaration there is no fraud, bad faith, or any other reason that vitiates their consent, they sign it in duplicate, in Spanish and English, both versions with equal content and validity.

Place: Guadalajara, Jalisco, México.
Date: February 17, 2026.

Place: Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada
Date: February 23, 2026

UNIVERSIDAD DE GUADALAJARA

Msc. Karla Alejandrina Planter Pérez
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Dr. Tom Phenix
President

WITNESSES

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