



**Memorandum of Understanding**  
**between**  
**Gebze Technical University (GTU), Turkey**  
**and**  
**Nanjing Forestry University (NjFU), China**

In order to promote co-operation between Gebze Technical University and Nanjing Forestry University, the following memorandum of understanding has been agreed upon:

Whenever feasible, both universities will encourage direct contact and co-operation between their faculty members, departments, and schools.

The two universities will endeavor to co-operate in education and research areas of mutual interest. Within fields that are mutually acceptable, the following general forms of co-operation will be pursued:

1. Faculty member and student exchange/internship programs
2. Joint research and development activities
3. Professional language teaching and cultural exchange programs
4. Cooperative degree and certificate programs

Themes of joint activities and the most appropriate way of utilizing the results achieved, arrangement for specific visits, exchanges, and other forms of co-operation will be developed mutually in each specific instance. Agreements entered into by Gebze Technical University may be subject to review and approval by the Council of GTU.

Both parties understand that all financial arrangements will have to be negotiated and will depend on the availability of funds.

Hereupon the signatures of the representatives of both universities will follow in the hope of promoting mutual friendship and co-operation. This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) shall become effective once signed by both universities and remain valid for five years. At the end of this period, the MOU shall be subject to renewal or modifications by mutual consent of both parties. The agreement will remain in effect until one party notifies in writing the other of its wish to terminate the agreement at least ninety days before the end of each academic year starting from the signing of this agreement.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

President

Prof. Hao Wang, Ph.D.

Nanjing Forestry University

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Rector:

Prof. Muhammed Hasan Aslan, PhD

Gebze Technical University

Date: 27.05.2021