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Recognizing the opportunity for establishing a partnership, the parties intend to pursue common goals and interests in developing the Georgian Studies Programme to bring about more effective international knowledge exchange. The parties intend to exercise their best efforts to promote mutual understanding and academic collaboration to facilitate and develop a genuine and mutually beneficial exchange process and research relationship.

The parties are committed to working together to develop specific agreements on the points above. These agreements will provide logistical and management details, terms and duration appropriate to the successful operation of the programme. These agreements will fulfill the spirit and purpose of this general letter of intent.

This Letter of Intent is non-binding and does not impose any legal or financial obligations or liabilities on either party.

This Letter of Intent becomes effective upon signature of all parties, it will remain in effect for five years. After the completion of the contract period, an active extension is required from both sides. . A termination of the cooperation requires a written notice at least 30 days prior to the end of the relevant term.

For the Ministry of Education and Science of Georgia

Dr. Mikheil Chkhenkeli

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Signed in Tbilisi, Georgia on February, 2018









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Date: 15.02.2018

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Prof. Dr Carel Stolker

Rector Magnificus and President

Date:

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For Ivane Javakhishvili Tbilisi State University

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Date: 14.02.2018

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