

GENERAL AGREEMENT OF COLLABORATION

BETWEEN UNIVERSIDAD DE LAS FUERZAS ARMADAS ESPE (ECUADOR) AND THE NATIONAL AEROSPACE UNIVERSITY "KHARKIV AVIATION INSTITUTE" (UKRAINE)

UNIVERSIDAD DE LAS FUERZAS ARMADAS ESPE (Ecuador) and the National Aerospace University KHAI (Ukraine) hereinafter referred to as "the Parties";

ENCOURAGED by the desire of strengthening the friendly relations through the support of the academic, educational and technical cooperation development;

RECOGNIZING the fact that the establishment of broad and strong framework of relations in the cooperation will be mutually beneficial;

SHARING the desire to create and increase opportunities for collaborative efforts between the academic communities of both Parties;

Have agreed as follows:

ARTICLE 1

OBJECTIVE

The objective of the present Agreement is to establish the basis and mechanisms of collaboration between the Parties to achieve maximum effectiveness in use of their human, material and technological resources, for the joint development of projects, programs, agreements and other actions of mutual interest and benefits, in the education, science and research areas.

ARTICLE 2

MODALITIES OF COOPERATION

For the due fulfillment of the objective of the present Agreement, the Parties agree that cooperation activities shall be conducted in the following ways:

- a) To propose programs and to develop joint projects of scientific, technological or educational research based on the themes of mutual interest;
- b) To promote, organize, advice and conduct updating, specialization and post-graduate courses, as well as to coordinate development of teaching staff's competence and administration activity;

The operation of this Agreement is not conditional on the parties to establish projects in all forms of cooperation referred to in this Article.

The Parties shall not be obliged to cooperate in those activities for which there is internal or ban resulting from a law or institutional regulations.

ARTICLE 3

POWER

The Parties undertake to carry out the modalities of cooperation under this Agreement, with full respect for their powers, regulations, institutional directives and national legislation.

ARTICLE 4

SPECIFIC PROGRAMS OF COOPERATION

KHAI is ready to accept ESPE technologists who have graduated or have completed all study plans on CARRERA: MECÁNICA AERONÁUTICA, MENCIÓN: AVIONES and MENCIÓN: MOTORES to study the engineering at KHAI starting from the 3d year on the following majors (BCH studying):

- 1) Aviation Engines (after ESPE MENCIÓN: MOTORES)
- 2) Satellites Electric Propulsion Systems (after ESPE MENCIÓN: MOTORES)
- 3) Designing and Manufacturing of Composite Constructions (after ESPE MENCIÓN: AVIONES)
- 4) Nonconventional Power Sources (after ESPE MENCIÓN: AVIONES)

Tuition fees for international students training (English medium, group training, full-time):

- 1) BCH studying – 3000 USD per year (to be covered by the students)
- 2) MS studying – 3000 USD per year (to be covered by the students)

The Parties agrees that EUROESTUDIOS Company, as representative of KHAI in Ecuador will be responsible to draw up all documents necessary for this program as well as coordinate students and locate them in their student residences. KHAI will provide hostel accommodation to ESPE students. To enter KhAI students should have ESPE diploma with transcripts or academic transcripts which include subjects and credits during their 3 years of studying in ESPE. All academic documents including school certificates must have apostille upon arrival and during the first year of studying in KhAI these documents should be nostrified by Ministry