# AGREEMENT on cooperation

between

### The Ternopil Ivan Puluj National Technical University,

Ruska str., 56, 46001, Ternopil, Ukraine

and

#### National Centre of Robotics

Ilkovičova 3, SK 841 04, Bratislava, Slovak Republic

The Ternopil Ivan Puluj National Technical University (TNTU - part 1), represented in view of the signature of this agreement by Prof. Roman Rogatynskyy, Vice-Rector on Scientific Work, and

The National Centre of Robotics (NCR - part 2), represented in view of the signature of this agreement by Assoc. Prof. František Duchoň, Director, and

Enter into this Agreement (here in after "Agreement") and agree to the following:

## 1st Article

The purpose of this agreement on cooperation is to develop and extend the cooperation according to the principles of the Bologna Process, Magna Charta Universitatum and to enhance quality and efficiency of educational, research and academic mobility work at the Ternopil Ivan Puluj National Technical University and the National Centre of Robotics. This cooperation will be based on mutual assistance of both Parties in the areas of science and education. With this Agreement it will be possible to undertake activities of common interest in a more effective use of resources of each party.

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Article

All parties shall include information on this partnership agreement on each other's website as well as on any other publically disseminated media.

#### 3rd Article

All parties agree to develop the following cooperative activities, under the areas of mutual interest, namely robotics, automation, mechatronics, on a basis of equality and reciprocity:

- 1. Organization of the academic mobility, internship and training of the students, PhD students, teachers and researchers of both Parties;
- 2. Organization of the double doctoral diploma programs and fellowships for doctoral candidates and PhD students to study and carry out research;
- 3. Organization of scholarship for academic staff to carry out research and teaching in masters programs;
- 4. Establishment, development and support of the joint research programs and cooperation projects on EU programs (Horizon 2020, Erasmus+ etc.);
- 5. Joint or individual submission of research papers in scientific journals of both institutions:
- 6. Organization of the joint scientific and educational conferences, symposiums and seminars;
- 7. Other areas, in which mutual interest in cooperation is established.

#### 4th Article

The development and implementation of the activities mentioned will be determined by the supplementary work programs and agreements between all parties. All parties agree to undertake the activities according to the laws and regulations of the respective countries.

## 5<sup>th</sup> Article

All parties are obliged to carry out organizational arrangements for the studying of the students and internship of the scientific and academic staff of the Parties, i.e. to send invitations for the issuing of visas and travel documents, coordinate individual study plans and internship programs, assist the execution of the additional agreements and financial documents for organization of the studying, internship and stay at the receiving party. After the studies or internship is finished, the receiving party has to issue necessary documents that will confirm the fulfillment of the study plan of the student or the internship program of the academic staff.

## 6<sup>th</sup> Article

It is understood that the implementation of any of the mentioned cooperation in the 3rd Article as well as financial conditions are to be agreed in advance in the process of their planning and organization.

## 7<sup>th</sup> Article

The agreement shall become effective from the date of the last signature and remain in force for a period of ten years with the understanding that it may be terminated by either party giving three months notice to the partner university. Any changes or amendments to this Agreement will be valid only if made in writing and duly signed by both Parties. The Agreement is drawn up in English language, one copy for each party, all copies being authentic.

On behalf of

National Centre of Robotics, Bratislava, Slovak Republic

Assoc. Prof. František Duchoň, Director

Signature: Date:

Národné centrum robotiky, o.z. NÁRODNÉ CENTRUM ROBOTIKY IČO: 42365040 PIĚ: 2924155716 On behalf of

The Ternopil Ivan Puluj National Technical University, Ternopil, Ukraine

Prof. Roman Rogatynskyy, Vice-Rector on Scientific Work

Signature:

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