AGREEMENT FOR CO-OPERATION
among
THE UNIVERSITY OF NAPLES, FEDERICO II
(Department of Architecture DiARC),
THE UNIVERSITY OF PATRAS
(Department of Architecture)
and
THE ALMA MATER STUDIORUM - UNIVERSITY OF BOLOGNA
(Department of Cultural Heritage DBC).

The University of Naples, Federico II
Department of Architecture (DiARC)
Represented by the Manager pro-tempore Prof. Michelangelo Russo,

the University of Patras / Department of Architecture
represented by its Rector/Christos I. Bouras, Professor
and by Demetra Katsota, Professor of Department of Architecture

Alma Mater Studiorum - University of Bologna
Cultural Heritage Department (DBC)
Represented by the Director pro-tempore Professor Luigi Canetti

have decided to establish a co-operation relationship in the fields of teaching, scientific research and training.
With this aim in mind, the following points are agreed upon:

ARTICLE 1 - Co-operation activities
The co-operation will specifically involve:
- sending out teachers;
- an exchange of students, teachers-research assistants, graduate employees and/or office staff;
- organizing talks, seminars and scientifically-based reunions;
- an exchange of documents and scientific and pedagogical publications;
- developing programmes and teaching cycles which are considered useful for both parties.

ARTICLE 2 - Fields of Application
Both contracting parties foresee an active co-operation in the field of Architecture, and in particular in Urban Design and Planning, Architectural Design.

ARTICLE 3 - Regulations for the Exchange
Both contracting parties will carry out the exchange of personnel as set out in article 1 of this agreement:
- under the form of short visits (conferences, talks, seminars, workshops ........)
- under the form of medium-length visits (between 4 and 6 weeks).
Every year the number of personnel will be agreed upon reciprocally (up to a maximum of five) who will take part in the exchange, as well as the length of the mission.

With regard to the exchange students they will have to pay their university fees for their own country.

**ARTICLE 4 - Exchange of documents**

The two Institutions involved will reciprocally give information on their own publications as well as on their teaching and research programmes. They will exchange, in the fields defined in the agreement, scientific publications, periodicals and eventually non-periodicals.

**ARTICLE 5 - Resources**

The two Institutions in the agreement will aim at trying to find financial help and resources which will help in carrying out the objectives as defined in the present agreement.

**ARTICLE 6 - Length**

The present agreement will last for five years and, on its expiry, can be renewed for a further period, with the consent of the Structure(s) involved. Each of the parties will be able to withdraw from the agreement by giving notice six months beforehand. The present agreement will take effect after the signing of this agreement by the competent authorities of the two Institutions.

**ARTICLE 7 - Person Responsible**

For the Department of Architecture, University of Naples Federico II
The co-ordinator responsible for the agreement is:
- Prof. Michelangelo Russo, Department of Architecture
For the Department of Cultural Heritage, Alma Mater Studiorum – University of Bologna:
- Prof. Roberto Pasini, Department of Cultural Heritage
For the Department of Architecture, University of Patras the co-ordinator responsible for the agreement is:
- Prof. Demetra Katsota, Department of Architecture.

**ARTICLE 8 - Responsibility**

Each employee, teacher, agent or student of the various institutions will be obliged to respect the norms and the regulations of the institution where they are guests while they take part in the various programmes or activities during their stay there and they must respect the present agreement. These participants are to respect the laws of the country where they are guests during their participation in these activities or programmes.

**ARTICLE 9 - Disputes**

It is for the well-being of the Institutions of this agreement to resolve amicably any differences of opinion or disputes. Consequently each and every Institution undertakes to contact the appropriate
representative from the other Institution to discuss and work out any problems to resolve the disputes which could arise during the time scale of this agreement.
ARTICLE 10 - Personal Injury or Damage to Property

The Institutions agree that every Institute must pay back, defend or preserve the other party for any loss, damage or request, patrimonial damage to things or people which arise from their negligence or the negligence of their own employees, managers, agents, workers or sub-contractors. Special damage, whether as a consequence or paid off, can be vindicated against the other Institution.

ARTICLE 11 - Competent Legislation

This agreement will adhere to and be regulated by the laws of the countries who have signed the agreement, on the understanding, however, that no clause, disposition or object of the Agreement can be in conflict or bring into discussion, the laws of the Country of any part of this agreement. In this case, the parties agree to negotiate in good faith to ascertain the applicable law and ensure the legality and correct application of this agreement.

Drawn up in double form in Italian and in English, each of which represent an original document.

Bologna, __________________ Patras, ___________________ Naples, 28/03/2022

For the University of Bologna
Department of Cultural Heritage
The Director pro-tempore
Prof. Luigi Canetti

For the Department of Architecture, of the University of Patras
The Rector pro-tempore
Prof. Christos I. Bouras

For the Department of Architecture
of the University of Naples Federico II
The Director pro-tempore
Prof. Michelangelo Russo

Firmato digitalmente da

MICHELANGELO RUSSO
O = Universita' degli Studi di Napoli Federico II
C = IT

Digitally signed
by: Luigi Canetti,
on: 28 marzo 2022