

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

The National Library of the Kingdom of Morocco

And

**The Institute of Manuscripts
named after Mahammad Fuzuli of The Azerbaijan
National Academy of Sciences**

And

**The Azerbaijan National Library
named after M.F. Akhundzade**

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PREAMBLE

The Institute of Manuscripts named after Mahammad Fuzuli of the Azerbaijan National Academy of Sciences, the Azerbaijan National Library named after M.F.Akhundzade and the National Library of the Kingdom of Morocco (hereinafter referred to as the "Participants"),

- Desiring to promote the cooperation of Participants in collecting and protecting scientific and cultural heritage,
- Considering the importance of equal and mutually beneficial cooperation in the fields of the scientific and cultural heritage between the two countries, highly appreciating the intention and potential of the Participants in the mentioned fields,

Have reached the following understanding:

Paragraph 1

In accordance with national legislations of their States and within their competence, Participants will cooperate on the following significant fields:

- automation of library-bibliography processes;
- reciprocal use of electronic libraries and electronic catalogue;
- information exchange on rare books and manuscripts;

- protection of information sources, including rare books and manuscripts (restoration, conservation, electronic control and other technologies);
- promotion of book exchanges;
- organization of cultural and scientific activities;
- training of specialists;
- organization of trainings, seminars and conferences;
- exchange of experience and staff.

Paragraph 2

This Memorandum of Understanding may be amended on the basis of the mutual consent of the Participants by the separate protocols being integral part of the Memorandum.

Paragraph 3

Disagreements regarding the interpretation or application of the provisions of this Memorandum will be resolved amicably between the Participants.

Paragraph 4

This Memorandum of Understanding does not create any rights or obligations governed by international law.

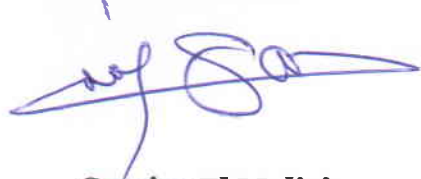
Paragraph 5

This Memorandum of Understanding will come into effect on the date of its signature by both Participants and will remain valid for a period of 3 (three) years. Memorandum of Understanding will be automatically extended for the next 3 (three) years unless either Participant, at least 6 (six) months prior of its expiration, notifies the other Participant in writing of its intention to terminate this Memorandum of Understanding.

Signed in Baku on 2 October in Arabic, Azerbaijani and English languages, in three original copies, and all texts being equally valid.

In case of discrepancy in interpretation of the provisions of this Memorandum of Understanding, the English text will prevail.

**The National Library of
the Kingdom of
Morocco**



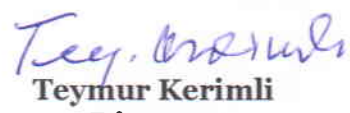
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