



**PROTOCOL FOR COOPERATION AND ACADEMIC EXCHANGE
BETWEEN
YILDIZ TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY
AND
TOWSON UNIVERSITY**

Yildiz Technical University and Towson University herein after referred to as "the Parties," agree to enter into a Protocol on Educational Cooperation, hereinafter referred to as "Protocol" in order to contribute positively to the strengthening of education and learning-related linkage, and have reached the following understanding:

ARTICLE 1

Both Parties will endeavor to carry out the following exchanges and cooperative activities:

- (a) The promotion of educational and academic exchanges to share experiences and ideas;
- (b) Exchange of academic information, materials and publications related to education and training;
- (c) Support and promote educational exchanging and visiting among universities for both sides;
and,
- (d) Any other academic and educational cooperative activities that may be jointly decided upon by the Parties

ARTICLE 2

Specific details of all activities concerning mutual cooperation will be subject to further discussions and agreement between Parties.

ARTICLE 3

Each party is responsible for the costs incurred in carrying out exchanges and other cooperative activities under this Protocol, unless otherwise agreed between the Parties

ARTICLE 4

This Protocol will come into effect on the date of signature. It will remain in effect for a period of 5 years and thereafter be automatically renewed for successive periods of 5 years, unless either party notifies the other in writing of its intention to terminate this Agreement at least (6) months prior to the expiration of this Agreement.

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ARTICLE 5

Each party shall designate a liaison to develop and coordinate specific activities or programs. The terms and necessary budget for each program and activity to be implemented under the term of this protocol shall be mutually discussed and agreed upon in writing by both Parties prior to the initiation of a particular program or activity; such program and activity shall be negotiated on an annual basis.

ARTICLE 6

This Protocol may be revised or modified by mutual consent of the Parties.

ARTICLE 7

The termination of this arrangement will not affect the duration and validity of any programs or activities which are in progress at the time of the notification of such termination.

This Protocol is hereby signed by the mandates of the Parties.

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Rector
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Interim President
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8 Ekim 2015

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ORIGINAL IMOU ROUTING SHEET

General International Memorandum of Understanding (IMOU)
International Initiatives / Academic Affairs

Memo:

A delegation from Towson University visited several institutions of higher education in Turkey, including Yildiz Technical University. AVP for International Initiatives, Dr. Saleha Suleman, would like us to proceed with an agreement for cooperation and academic exchange. Please see the following academic comparison report, which highlights many common academic disciplines.

College/Faculty	Yildiz Technical University	Towson University
Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer Education and Instructional Technologies • Educational Sciences • Department of Elementary Education • Turkish Language Education • Foreign Language Education 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer Science • Art Education • Early Childhood Education • Elementary Education • Integrated Early Childhood/Special Education: Infant/Primary • Integrated Elementary Education-Special Education • Middle School Education • Music Education • Physical Education • Secondary Education • Special Education
Electrical and Electronics/Computer Science & Technology	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer Engineering • Electrical Engineering • Electronics & Communications Engineering • Control and Automation Engineering 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer Science • Applied Information Technology
Arts and Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Western Languages & Literatures • Molecular Biology and Genetics Department • Physics • Statistics • Chemistry • Mathematics • Turkish Language & Literature 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English • Foreign Languages • Biology • Chemistry • Forensic Chemistry • Mathematics • Molecular Biology, Biochemistry and Bioinformatics • Physics



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Economics and Administrative Sciences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economics • Business Administration • Political Science & International Relations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Economics • Business Administration • E-Business • Political Science • International Studies
Civil Engineering	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Civil Engineering • Geomatics Engineering • Environmental Engineering 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geography and Environmental Planning • Geography and Land Surveying • Environmental Science and Studies
Architecture	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Architecture • City & Regional Planning 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Geography and Land Surveying • Metropolitan Studies
Art and Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arts • Communication Design • Music & Performing Arts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Art and Design • Art Education • Art History • Dance Performance • Communication Studies • Electronic Media and Film • Music • Music Education • Theatre Arts