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**AN ADDENDUM TO THE PROTOCOL  
BETWEEN  
THE UNIVERSITY OF PADUA – DEPARTMENT CHEMICAL SCIENCE  
AND  
YILDIZ TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY – DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING  
FOR THE ACADEMIC YEARS 2020 – 2025**

The University of Padua, with legal address in via VIII Febbraio n. 2, Padua, Italy, represented by the Director of the Department of Chemical Science and the University of Yildiz Technical University, with legal address in Davutpaşa Caddesi, 34220 Esenler- İstanbul, Turkey, represented by its Acting Dean of the Faculty of Civil Engineering Prof. Dr. Bahri Şahin, and by the Head of the Department of Environmental Engineering, Prof. Dr. Guleda Engin agree to establish this Agreement to implement and facilitate the mutual exchange of academic staff, researchers, technical-administrative staff and students (at bachelor's, master's and doctoral level) [and/or any other academic activities to be specified in the following article no. 1.2]. The expenses involved shall be borne by the individuals who are the subjects of the exchange activity.

Article I.

1- Mobility

For each of the academic years of validity of this Addendum, the Parties agree to exchange a max. no. of 4 guests (2 professors and 2 students) coming from each of the two Institutions; the max. duration of stay for each guest is established in the no. of 12 months per professor and the no. of 12 months per student.

The sending University shall select its own exchange participants, whose selection will have to be approved by the hosting University; the duration and the starting date of the visit shall be agreed by the Parties.

The participants' names, study/academic plan and arrival date shall be communicated to the hosting University by post, e-mail or fax at least two months before the starting date of the visit; the hosting University shall communicate its being available to host the selected guests within one month upon receipt of the information.

The hosting University shall not be considered responsible for the unfavourable effects arising from the delay of the communication or for any other inconvenience due to the sending University.

2 - Other activities

This Addendum shall cover the activities limited to academic exchange mobility.

Article II

Upon availability of funds, the university of origin will provide travel expenses and maintenance allowance aid for students abroad. In the case of unavailability of funds, all expenses connected to the mobility period will be in charge of exchange participants.

Article III

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This Addendum, which will have to be coherent with the rules of the connected Memorandum of Understanding, shall be effective as of the latest signature date below and shall remain in force for a period of 5 years following this date, unless written notice is given by either Party; it shall in any case not remain in force after the expiration date of the connected Memorandum of Understanding. The notice shall take effect three months after the date of notification to the other Party. Nevertheless, the activities in progress in the framework of this Addendum shall not be compromised by the notice and shall be normally concluded.

This Addendum is drafted in English. Each Party shall keep one original copy.

Place and date:

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Prof. Dr. Guleda ENGIN

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Engineering

07.08.2020

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