MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

between the

University of Ferrara, Italy

and the

University of Leicester, United Kingdom

- 1. The University of Ferrara and the University of Leicester subscribe to this Memorandum of Understanding in recognition of the mutual benefits accruing to their academic communities from the establishment of strong international links. The purpose of this Memorandum is to promote cooperation between the two institutions, in particular between the PhD programme of the Department of Cardiovascular Sciences, Division of Anaesthesia Critical Care and Pain Management, of the University of Leicester, and the PhD programme in Molecular Medicine and Pharmacology of the Department of Medical Sciences of the University of Ferrara.
- 2. The addresses and contact points for each party are given in the Appendix to this Memorandum.
- 3. The parties agree to promote and develop co-operation through the following;
 - a) Development of co-operative teaching programmes and research
 - b) Exchange of staff and students.
 - c) Exchange of information, academic materials and publications
 - d) The admission of students to take degree or other courses
 - e) Such other ways as may be mutually acceptable
- 4. Members of staff of the two institutions will be encouraged to consult with each other and to develop specific plans for co-operation.
- 5. For specific co-operative projects under this Memorandum there shall be appointed co-ordinators at each institution in charge of the operation of activities.
- 6. In relation to specific projects this Memorandum will be supplemented by additional agreements. Such agreements may be made by formal agreement or by an exchange of correspondence. In particular, the development of joint academic research and collaboration in teaching will require supplementary agreements to be reached between the departments concerned at each institution.
- 7. This Memorandum takes effect in April 2015 and will remain in force until terminated by either party giving at least six months' notice to the other.

Signed on behalf of the University of Leicester by David Hall, Registrar and Secretary

Signed on behalf of the University of Ferrara by Professor Pasquale Nappi, President

Date}

Date

15/05/2010

Appendix

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