

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Dated 15th February 2017

between

Sirte University

Main street. P.O. Box 674,

Sirte Libya

and

The British Council, incorporated by Royal Charter and registered as a charity (under number 209131 in England & Wales and number SC037733 in Scotland) operating through its local office at Hey El Wihda Al-Arabia, Siyahia, PO Box 6797 Tripoli, Libya, each a "**Participant**".

The University and the British Council have decided to work together in the spirit of friendship and cooperation in order to support and enhance the field of Higher Education in Libyan universities. The British Council will endeavour to assist with the following areas of cooperation:

- 1) Assisting the University with identifying UK experts and trainers to deliver professional development training in order to enhance the skills and capacity of the University's administrative, technical and other non-academic staff;
- 2) Assisting the University with identifying UK providers regarding the installation and maintenance of ICT services and other facilities and equipment;
- 3) Sharing guidance to the heads of colleges and faculties, in particular but not limited to, English language teaching and learning; and
- 4) Other areas of cooperation mutually decided upon between the Participants.

The primary point of contact between the University and the British Council shall be in the first instance the President of the University and the Country Director of the British Council.

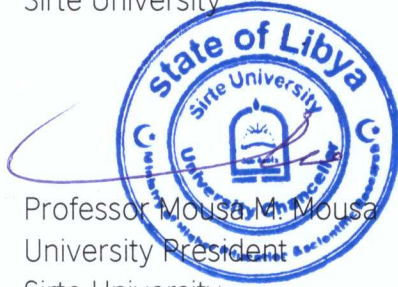
The Participants have decided that the duration of this Memorandum of Understanding will be 2 years from the date of signing. This Memorandum of Understanding will be extended by mutual agreement between the Participants. Either Participant may terminate this Memorandum of Understanding by giving six months' written notice to the other Participant.

This Memorandum of Understanding will in no way create legally binding obligations between the Participants but rather is intended as an expression of intention to collaborate for the mutual benefit of the two Participants. Any disputes about the interpretation or application of this Memorandum of Understanding will be resolved

between the Participants and not referred to any national or international court, tribunal or third party for settlement.

Neither Participant shall hold the other Participant accountable for any fees, charges or other costs incurred in relation to this Memorandum of Understanding.

Signed on behalf of
Sirte University



Professor Mousa M. Mousa
University President
Sirte University

Signed on behalf of
the British Council



Tony Calderbank
Country Director
British Council Libya