COOPERATION AGREEMENT

Between

Nanjing University of Information Science and Technology / Institute for History of Science and Technology, (IHST-NUIST)
Nanjing, China
represented by Jianqing Jian, President of NUIST

and

The National Hellenic Research Foundation / Institute for Historical Research,
Vassileos Constantinou 48, 11635, Athens
Represented by Vasilis Gregoriou, President N.H.R.F.

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The institutions mentioned above present common characteristics and especially:
- Both institutions have as mission the research on history of science and technology
- Both institutions have as mission the diffusion of historical heritage and scientific and technological culture in a national and international level
- Both institutions consider important to confront and share their methods in these domains
- Both institutions keep and present historical testimonies of science and technology
- Both institutions consider important to increase public understanding in the domains mentioned above

IT IS AGREED THE FOLLOWING

Agreement purpose:

The purpose of the agreement is to strengthen institutional relations between the two partners in order to identify and realize common interest activities using the abilities and synergies of both parties. It does not imply any financial contribution from NUIST and NHRF. Both parties can apply in common for funding to external public or private institutions in order to develop bilateral
research projects and activities.

**Frame of activity**

The following activities could be concerned:

**Research activities**
- Collaboration between researchers of the two institutions on common interest subjects.
- Development of research strategies on comparative studies on the development, diffusion and reception of science and technology.
- Conception and development of common interest projects.

**Historical heritage activities:**
- Comparison of strategies on the acquisition and valorization of historical and technological heritage, material and immaterial.
- Exchange of experience on the development of knowledge in the domain of the history of science and technology.

**Educational end diffusion activities:**
- Exchange of experience on formal and informal education.
- Exchange of experience on initiatives about school and university
- Common scientific and technological exhibitions.
- Exchange of experience on the diffusion of advanced research to the public.

**Duration**

The agreement has five years duration to be prolonged tacitly.

**Coordination**

A commission of two representatives from each institution will coordinate the cooperation.

This agreement is signed on two originals

For the National Hellenic Research Foundation / Institute for Historical Research

Vasilis GREGORIOU
President N.H.R.F.

Athens 1/1/2017

For the Nanjing University of Information Science and Technology / Institute for History of Science and Technology

Jianqing JIAN
President

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