

**AGREEMENT FOR COOPERATION  
BETWEEN THE POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE OF BRAGANÇA  
AND HUNAN COLLEGE OF FOREIGN STUDIES**

The **POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE OF BRAGANÇA**, hereinafter referred to as **IPB**, a public higher education institution, located in Campus de Santa Apolónia, Bragança, Portugal, website [www.ipb.pt](http://www.ipb.pt), and represented by the President, **Prof. Dr. João Alberto Sobrinho Teixeira**, and **Hunan College of Foreign Studies**, hereinafter referred to as **HCFS**, located in 324 Zhongyi Road, Yuhua District, Changsha, Hunan, P. R. China 410116, website: <http://www.hnflc.cn>, and represented by **President, Prof. Li Guangming**, celebrate this **Agreement for Cooperation**.

**CLAUSE 1 – General object of the agreement**

IPB and HCFS agree to promote cooperation between the two institutions and, according to predefined priorities, to cooperate on the development of teaching activity in common interest areas and to promote and facilitate the international exchange of students and teachers.

**CLAUSE 2 – Teaching Cooperation**

IPB and HCFS agree to cooperate in teaching Portuguese Language and Culture, according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages. This cooperation can be achieved by teacher's international mobility and by the design of specific courses for HCFS students at the IPB.

Detailed proposal of the objectives and the financial costs shall be further negotiated by both parties at a later date.

**CLAUSE 3 – Student Exchange**

IPB and HCFS agree to cooperate in student's exchange, particularly, in the enrolment of students from the People's Republic of China in the IPB's academic programmes, including Technological Specialization Courses, Undergraduate (Bachelor) and Graduate (Master) programmes.

Detailed proposal of the objectives and the financial costs shall be further negotiated by both parties at a later date.

#### CLAUSE 4 – FINAL DISPOSITIONS

The proposal of common projects and the communication between IPB and HCFS will be ensured by representatives of each Institution, being Prof. Dr. Luís Manuel Santos Pais, ID 7731366 and Portuguese Passport number H548415, Vice-President of IPB and Prof. Luo Dongyuan (Freeman), ID 430105195602141530 and Passport number G23186748, Vice Dean of the International Division and Director of the Office of International Cooperation & Exchange. .

The present agreement will come into effect on the day of its signing, and shall continue in force for a period of two years.

The present agreement can be terminated by any of the parts involved, if formally communicated, subject to giving ninety days prior written notice, or in case of legal impediment. In any case, the continuation of the projects in course shall be guaranteed.

Bragança and Changsha, July 2012

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