PROTOCOL ON ACADEMIC COOPERATION BETWEEN ANKARA UNIVERSITY (TURKEY)

AND

HANGZHOU DIANZI UNIVERSITY (CHINA)

Ankara University (AU) and Hangzhou Dianzi University (HDU) are exchanging this agreement to develop a spirit of amity with each other.

- 1. This agreement aims to promote international academic cooperation and the exchange of teaching and research experiences between Ankara University and Hangzhou Dianzi University.
- 2. The two universities will cooperate in developing friendship and mutual interests on a reciprocal basis of respect for the independence and equal status of each university.
- 3. The two universities agree to:
 - a. Exchange academic materials and information;
 - b. Mutually receive educational visits by faculty members and researchers;
 - c. Exchange students.
 - d. Academic joint and dual degree programs.
 - e. Hold joint international conferences.
 - f. Conduct joint research projects.
 - g. Engage in other activities to better enhance mutual understanding and cooperation.
- 4. The details of this agreement are to be decided by further consultation between the two universities.
- 5. This agreement shall be in effect for five years from the date of signature and automatically extended after each expiration for the same duration, unless written intent of termination by either party is presented six months prior to the date of expiration.
- 6. Ankara University designates the Head of the International Relations Office and Hangzhou Dianzi University designates the Dean of the Office of International Cooperation, as their respective representatives for the full implementation of this agreement.
- 7. This agreement is executed in English in two originals and each university will retain one original.

Executed for Ankara University

Executed for Hangzhou Dianzi University

Prof. Dr. Erkan BIS

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Date: 17 December, 2012

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