PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENT

Between:

**THE WEST UNIVERSITY OF TIMIȘOARA**, with registered offices at no.4, Bv. Vasile Pârvan, tax identification number 4250670, represented by Prof. Marilen Gabriel PIRTEA, PhD, and by delegate Prof. Flavia Mirela Barna, PhD, Vice-rector for Institutional Partnerships and Alumni, thereafter referred to as WUT,

and

………………………….., with registered offices in ………………………………………, post code …………………………., unique registration code …………………………, order number in the Trade Register Office ................., represented by ………………………., as ………………………………

**Preamble**

The parties consent to the closing of the current Partnership Agreement in order to create a sustainable collaboration framework between the university and the socio-economic environment, within which to establish the terms on which the partnership will function to promote the mutual interests of all parties, as follows:

***Art.1 Collaboration Agreement***

By signing the present Partnership Agreement, the parties express their willingness to develop and implement certain actions involving:

* **students**;
* **teaching staff**;
* **alumni,** members of the alumni community (where applicable);
* **representatives** of the partner organization.

***Art.2 Object of Agreement***

The object of this partnership is the collaboration between the two partners regarding the following actions:

* Establishment of a continuous dialogue between the company and the university;
* Training students for a more successful insertion onto the labour market by facilitating their access to internships and by providing information on the partner’s work opportunities;
* Establishment of the operational framework within which the students of the Faculty of… of the West University of Timișoara can carry out internships at the partner’s location or online;
* Identification of cooperation opportunities that will develop research and technology transfer;
* Organization of partnership programmes for students meant to inform and educate them, as well as to support them in their professional development (*trainings, workshops, seminars, case studies, etc.);*
* Organization, with WUT support, of certain events on the initiative of the partner or of the university, events such as round tables on various topical subjects, annual presentations of the company for students, conferences, debates, etc.
* Support to consolidate the alumni community by participating in events, increased visibility of alumni platform, identification of new alumni members, etc.

***Art. 3 Good practice principles of the partnership***

The parties have to consult regularly and inform each other on all aspects regarding the progress of projects.

When implementing actions, all partners must meet the highest ethical and professional standards.

***Art. 4 Agreement duration***

The duration of this agreement is .......... starting with the date on which the present document is signed, and it can be extended through an additional act signed by both parties.

***Art. 5 Obligations of parties***

Obligations of WUT, represented by the Faculty of ....................................

* To guarantee and respect the visual identity of the partner;
* To provide information through specific media regarding the cooperation with *.............. (partner’s name)...........* (presentation leaflets for specializations, newsletters, etc.);
* To inform students and partner *.............. (partner’s name)...........* about internships topics, according to the internship curriculum relevant for the specialization.
* To promote events organized together with *.............. (partner’s name)...........* on official promotional channels (institutional site, Facebook, etc.);
* To provide, to the extent to which this is possible, the logistics necessary for events organized in partnership.

Obligations of partner*.............. (partner’s name)...........*:

* To cooperate in and support the activities organized in partnership by supplying expertise and resources (experts, internship experts, invited speakers, mentors, etc.);
* To consider supporting students’ course/research projects through dedicated specialists who would work together with the academic staff;
* To provide information of interest for the target group (students, teaching staff, WUT employees) in order for it to be disseminated on the WUT promotional channels;
* To ensure the adequate logistics for the carrying out of the partnership (where applicable).

***Art. 6 Responsibilities of parties***

Each party is responsible for the faithful execution of the obligations undertaken under the present Agreement.

Parties will be held liable individually for respecting the copyrights and additional rights under the present Agreement.

***Art. 7 Confidentiality***

The parties undertake to respect the confidentiality of received information and to prevent any unauthorized use or disclosure of such information. The parties understand that they shall use confidential information with the sole purpose of fulfilling their obligations under the present Partnership Agreement.

***Art. 8 Processing of personal data***

The parties commit to processing the personal data obtained as a result of this Agreement in accordance with the principles stipulated by the relevant legislation (the principle of legality, equity, transparency, precision, responsibility, and purpose and storage limitations). Each party commits to implementing reasonable measures of physical, technical, and administrative safety, so as to prevent incidents such as the loss, inappropriate use, unauthorized access, disclosure, change, or destruction of personal data. In the event of an incident regarding data processing, each of the Parties needs to notify the other within 24 hours.

***Art. 9 Final provisions***

1. The present Agreement functions as a framework document and covers all the activities necessary to achieve the agreed objectives. In order to carry out activities derived from the main objectives, the parties will sign additional documents, with specific provisions.
2. The post addresses of the involved parties are as follows:
	1. For WUT:

For details regarding the main object of the agreement and its signing, respectively:

 2.1.1. The West University of Timișoara, Department of Socio-Economic Partnerships and Alumni, no. 4 Bd. Vasile Pârvan, Timișoara 300223, Timiș County, email drmsea@e-uvt.ro.

 2.1.2. For internship implementation:

The West University of Timișoara, represented by the Faculty of............................................., no. 4 Bd. Vasile Pârvan, Timișoara 300223, Timiș County. Contact person: the person responsible for internships/partnership agreements ................................................................................, mobile number..................................., email.......................................................

2.2. For the partner:

...........(partner’s name).................., with registered offices in … (city/town) ........................., County..................................., no.., str………………........., post code…... Contact persons on behalf of the partner to carry out agreement: ................(Surname Name)............................., tel.............................., email..................................................

The present agreement has been signed today \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in 2 (two) original copies in Romanian, one for each party.

 West University of Timișoara Partner ..................................

 Rector,

 Prof. Marilen PIRTEA, PhD