

COLLABORATION PROTOCOL
to assure the correlation between the local/regional labor market requirements and superior education system offers

I. THE PARTIES

1. The Technical University of Cluj-Napoca, Memorandum Street No. 28, fiscal code 4288306, represented by Prof. Radu Ioan Munteanu, Rector

and

2. The Cluj-Napoca City Hall, located in Cluj-Napoca, Motilor Street no. 3, fiscal code 4305857, represented by Mayor Sorin Apostu

have agreed upon the following:

II. THE OBJECT OF THE PROTOCOL

2.1. The collaboration of the two sides aims at promoting the interests of Cluj-Napoca and its inhabitants in the relation with potential investors, given the fact that one of the municipality's main strategic keys is its higher education system.

2.2. The parties agree to actively cooperate on a active partnership basis in order to promote and achieve common goals.

2.3. The parties agree to work together in disseminating and exchanging information, in order to guarantee the necessary conditions for the completion and proper development of the activities of each party.

III. THE OBLIGATIONS OF EACH SIDE

3.1. Cluj-Napoca City Hall:

3.1.1. will provide each time it is necessary, on demand, but at least each trimester, information regarding the potential employers and their demands through the International Affairs and Investors Bureau.

3.2. The Technical University of Cluj-Napoca:

3.1.1. based on discussions with the investors, will undertake perpetual adaptation of the university curriculum to ensure the correlation between the local/regional labor market demands and the offers of the higher education system;

3.1.2. based on discussions with the investors, will begin postgraduate specialization courses, ensuring continuous training based on the needs of Cluj's community.

3.3. The parties undertake to jointly seek legal ways to attract investors to Cluj-Napoca and to increase the attractiveness of Cluj as a labor market.

3.4. The parties undertake to seek together ways to enhance the collaboration between universities, schools and local authorities.

3.5. The parties undertake to promote among economical agents the necessity of investing in human capital.

IV. METHODOLOGY OF WORK

4.1. This protocol has the character of a framework document and covers all the work to achieve commonly agreed objectives.

4.2. The two parties agree on the following working arrangements:

4.2.1. Each party will nominate at least two representatives in the partnership, and the representatives will constitute a working group - the contact data of these representatives will be found in Addendum 1.

4.2.2. The working group will meet at least once a trimester or at the request of any member.

V. DURATION OF THE PROTOCOL

This protocol is concluded for a period of three years and may be extended by the consent of the parties.

VI. PROTOCOL TERMINATION

This protocol will cease when either party will notify in writing the other party, with a 15 days notice, that it intends to terminate the protocol.

VII. LITIGATION

The parties have agreed that all disputes that will arise from this contract or in connection with this contract, including those related to its validity, interpretation, execution or cancellation will be resolved amicably.

VIII. NOTIFICATIONS

In the interest of this contract, any notification / communication between parties will be considered valid only if it will be sent to other parties at the address given in this protocol, in writing, by registered letter with acknowledgment of receipt by fax or email, at the contact details listed in the Addendum.

IX. FINAL STIPULATIONS

The modification of this protocol shall be made only by addendum between the parties.

This protocol was signed in a number of two copies, one for each side, today, May 18, the date of signing.

For the Technical University of Cluj-Napoca

Radu-Ioan Munteanu, Rector

For the Cluj-Napoca City Hall

Sorin Apostu, Mayor