

**ACCORDS OF COOPERATION BETWEEN  
KURGAN STATE UNIVERSITY, KURGAN, RUSSIA  
AND  
LAWRENCE UNIVERSITY, APPLETON, WISCONSIN**

WHEREAS, the education institutions in Kurgan and Lawrence University have a history of cooperation established under the Accords between Appleton and Kurgan as sister cities and

WHEREAS, Kurgan State University and Lawrence University seek mutual benefits from cooperation,

Kurgan State University and Lawrence University do establish the following Accords to define the areas of cooperation both institutions mutually seek. These cooperative programs will be developed and operated in the ways appropriate to both institutions.

**Areas of Cooperation:**

**1) Faculty teaching exchanges**

Lawrence University and Kurgan State University will each work to devise ways to exchange faculty with the other institution to teach courses which will enrich the curricular offerings of the various departments in the host institution. These exchanges may be for as long as an academic term or may be for shorter periods. The curricular and financial impact of any planned exchange will, of course, be decisive.

**2) Student exchanges**

Annually, Kurgan State University and Lawrence University will exchange a like number of students so that those students can pursue advanced language and other studies at the host institution.

**3) Short-term teacher visits**

Annually or bi-annually, Lawrence University will host teachers from Kurgan State University for short-term site visits for observing classes, discussing curriculum with faculty, undertaking library research and meeting with students.



#### 4) Associate teachers

Depending on the availability of qualified graduates, Lawrence University will, annually or bi-annually, designate recent graduates to act as associate teachers in the English Department at the Kurgan State University.

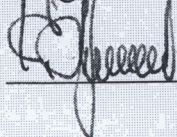
These cooperative arrangements are established for the mutual enrichment of both universities. Details of each program will be worked out cooperatively between the two institutions. These Accords will be reviewed in three years and must be renewed to remain in force.

Dated and signed this 14<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2016.

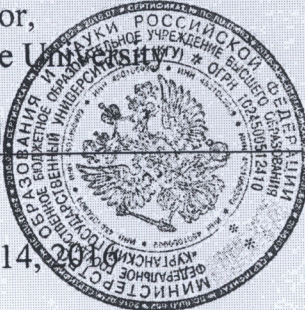
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Based on the successful implementation of the programs listed these Accords are renewed to July 10, 2020 (upon the expiration of the current Accords of July 10, 2014)

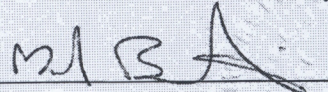
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