

# **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

**BETWEEN**

**FUNDAÇÃO ALEXANDRE DE GUSMÃO OF THE FEDERATIVE  
REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL**

**AND**

**THE INSTITUTE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS AND TRADE, HUNGARY**

The Fundação Alexandre de Gusmão (Brazil) represented by Ambassador Sérgio Eduardo Moreira Lima, hereinafter referred to as "FUNAG" and the Institute for Foreign Affairs and Trade (Hungary) represented by Director Márton Ugrsódy hereinafter referred to as "IFAT" have agreed to sign the following Memorandum of Understanding for the purpose of furthering mutually beneficial cooperation and exchange of information and opinions on topics relevant to international relations and economic developments.

#### **ARTICLE I**

The Fundação Alexandre de Gusmão (FUNAG) and the Institute for Foreign Affairs and Trade (IFAT) will maintain an active exchange of information about their activities.

#### **ARTICLE II**

Both institutions will facilitate the exchange of their monographs, research papers, periodicals and other pertinent printed and electronically published material on topics relevant to the issues of scientific and mutual interest, especially about the regional cooperation of the institutions, focusing also on the Visegrád 4 cooperation of IFAT and BRICS cooperation of FUNAG.

The Parties are also open to the possibility of joint research program and publishing joint papers on topics of mutual relevance.

#### **ARTICLE III**

Both institutions will consult on the possibilities of organizing field visits, conferences, roundtables, symposia, panels and discussions, brain-storming sessions and seminars that could be held alternately in Brazil and in Hungary, or any other mutually convenient third location. Such activities could also be organized with the participation of third parties.

#### **ARTICLE IV**

Both institutions will exchange information related to activities of common interest, taking into consideration possible joint participation in meetings of bilateral, regional and international character.

#### **ARTICLE V**

Both institutions will facilitate the exchange of conference speakers, experts and researchers.

#### **ARTICLE VI**

The Parties will endeavor to deepen bilateral cooperation, facilitate potential business and trade links, and help the respective parties to present their views on current affairs to a wider public.

#### **ARTICLE VII**

Each party will fulfill its obligations undertaken by this Memorandum of Understanding in conformity with administrative rules and procedures governing each party.

#### **ARTICLE VIII**

Within the framework of this Memorandum of Understanding, both Parties shall have the right to communicate and publicize their partnership on relevant official forums, including (but not exclusively limited to) their website, publications and newsletters. This also pertains to listing the other organization as a partner in official communications.

### ARTICLE IX

This Memorandum of Understanding will enter into force on the day of its signature and will be valid for three years and shall be automatically extended for further three-year periods, unless one Party informs the other Party in writing about its intention to terminate the present Memorandum of Understanding three months before the end of its validity.

Signed in ... on .... day of ... of the year ..., in two original copies in English.

**For the Fundação Alexandre de Gusmão  
(FUNAG)**

Amb. SÉRGIO EDUARDO MOREIRA  
LIMA  
President

**For the Institute for Foreign Affairs and  
Trade (IFAT)**

MÁRTON UGRÓSDY  
Director