MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

BETWEEN

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I. Preamble

CEU - a non-profit higher education institution and graduate university concentrating on the social sciences and humanities as well as law and management. CEU strives to achieve excellence in teaching and research with a special focus on contemporary challenges of building open societies. It also closely engages with issues of public policy in order to support better governance in developing, developed and transition countries -

and

EHESS - a public higher education institution, training graduate students in the social sciences and the humanities. EHESS strives to achieve excellence in teaching and research and to develop a national and international scientific network as well as connections with cultural and professional institutions. EHESS also aims at fostering the dissemination of knowledge and of critical thought outside the academia -

as parties, agree to enter a non-exclusive collaboration agreement aimed at promoting the completion of research and training projects and the exchange of knowledge, that may include activities such as those detailed as follows, in the humanities, social sciences and other relevant areas. The list is non-exhaustive and may be expanded to accommodate activities that both parties recognize as useful to the pursuance of their respective objectives.
II. Purpose

This Memorandum of Understanding is signed for the purpose of defining the methods of scientific and technical cooperation between the parties in the areas of human and social sciences teaching and research as listed below.

III. Cooperative Activities

Cooperative activities may include the following but are not confined to:

1. Exchange of scientific information and publications
2. Exchange of faculty members
3. Exchange of graduate and post-graduate student
4. Research based collaboration between faculty members and institutional units
5. Organisation of joint seminars, colloquia, conferences, workshops
6. Development of joint publications
7. Joint response to national or international calls for proposals
8. Joint thesis supervision
9. Mutual advertisement of major academic events (e.g. Summer University courses, CEU Undergraduate conferences, etc.)

Such collaboration shall materialise between the following, non-exclusive list of university units:

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| CEU Department of Medieval Studies | History track  
Centre de recherche historique |
| CEU Department of History | History track  
Centre de recherche historique, Centre Norbert Elias, CESPRA |
| CEU Department of Sociology and Social Anthropology | Sociology and Anthropology tracks  
Research centers: Maurice Halbwachs, CESSP, IMM, IRIS, IIAC |
| CEU Department of Economics | Paris-Jourdan sciences économiques |
| CEU Department of Cognitive Sciences | Institut Jean Nicod  
Philosophy Track  
Area studies: CERCEC, CCJ, IMAF |
| | Gender studies  
Art and languages |
IV. Activity Agreements

Detailed description of the scope of activities shall be defined in separate Activity Agreements negotiated between the parties, which will include such terms as:

a) Elaboration of the responsibilities of each institution for the agreed upon activity
b) Duration and schedules for the specific activity
c) Budget and sources of financing for each activity
d) Any other items deemed necessary for the efficient management of the activity

V. Coordination of the Cooperation

The units responsible and contact persons who supervise this MoU are the following:

For CEU:
Academic Cooperation and Research Support Office acro@ceu.edu
Contact Person: Agnes Leyrer, Academic Cooperation Officer leyrera@ceu.edu

For EHESS:
Contact Person: Caroline Chu, Deputy Director of Research Department, in charge of International affairs caroline.chu@ehess.fr

Besides the contact persons, each action is placed under the joint responsibility of two scientific coordinators, one from each party. These are defined in the Activity Agreements for each action.

The parties retain administrative and scientific liability for their personnel. One party cannot be considered to be the employer under any employment or secondment contract entered into with the other party for the application of this agreement or the implementation agreements.

VI. Amendment, Duration and Termination

This MoU shall be effective upon signature by the two parties and shall remain effective for a period of five years. Thereafter it may be reviewed and extended upon agreement by the two parties. Amendment of this MoU will enter into force upon the written agreement by the two parties.
This MoU may be terminated upon six months’ notice given in writing by one party to the other. In case the MoU ceases to be in effect, this shall not affect the completion of existing activities as agreed upon in Activity Agreements.
This MoU may be modified by express written consent of the parties.
VII. Relationship of the parties:

This MoU does not create a legal relationship or a relationship of partners, brokers, employees, servants or agents as between the parties. The parties to this MoU are acting as independent contractors.

The two parties agree that, in the case of research collaboration leading to patent rights, copyrights or other intellectual property rights, a further agreement must be negotiated in each case in accordance with the policies of the two parties on intellectual property.

The parties reserve the right to enter into agreements with other entities for similar activities as described in this MoU.

For any matters not covered by this agreement, the rules and regulations in force in the respective partner institutions will apply.

This Agreement will become effective when approved by the competent bodies of each partner institution and subsequently signed.

Any dispute that may arise in the application of this document will be settled by negotiation between the parties. In the event of a persistent dispute, it will be settled by an arbitral tribunal comprising one arbitrator nominated by each party and a third arbitrator appointed by mutual agreement by the two first arbitrators.

Signed in two original copies in English, both being authoritative.

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CENTRAL EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY
Budapest, 19/1/2019

Le Président

Michael Ignatieff
President and Rector