

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN POLYTECHNIC
UNIVERSITY AND SELECTED ITALIAN ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS
ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF A JOINT SECOND-LEVEL ITALIAN
LAUREA AND A MASTER DEGREE FROM POLYTECHNIC
UNIVERSITY

THE UNDERSIGNED EXPRESS THEIR DESIRE TO DEVELOP A MECHANISM THROUGH WHICH SELECTED ITALIAN STUDENTS COULD OBTAIN A JOINT SECOND-LEVEL LAUREA DEGREE FROM ITALY AND A MASTERS DEGREE FROM POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY AND TO DEVELOP THE MECHANISM FOR POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY GRADUATE STUDENTS TO STUDY IN SELECTED ITALIAN UNIVERSITIES FOR UP TO A YEAR. THE UNDERSIGNED CNR INSTITUTES AGREE TO OFFER RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES AND COLLABORATE IN THE EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE OF ALL STUDENTS.

THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THIS PROGRAM WILL DEPEND ON DETAILS TO BE DEVELOPED BETWEEN PARTICIPATING ITALIAN ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS AND PARTICULAR MASTER DEGREE PROGRAMS AT POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY. AT THE TIME OF THE MOU INTEREST EXISTS IN DEVELOPING PROGRAMS IN:

CIVIL ENGINEERING
ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING
MECHANICAL ENGINEERING
GEOSCIENCES
OCEAN ENGINEERING

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE FOLLOWING ELEMENTS MUST BE SPECIFIED IN DEVELOPING EACH PROGRAM DETAIL:

1. DEFINITION OF APPROPRIATE BACKGROUND AND CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION, INCLUDING LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY.
2. PROCESS FOR PRE-SELECTION AND SCREENING OF CANDIDATES IN ITALY AND FOR ADMISSION TO POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY AND VICE VERSA.
3. NUMBER OF STUDENTS WHO CAN ENTER EACH PROGRAM OF STUDY AT ANY ONE TIME.
4. MECHANISM FOR PAYMENT OF TUITION AND STIPEND FOR ITALIAN STUDENTS WHILE AT POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY.
5. AGREEMENT ON SUBJECTS TO BE ACCEPTED AND RECOGNIZED FOR PURPOSES OF THE ITALIAN LAUREA.

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THIS PROGRAM IS INTENDED FOR STUDENTS IN THEIR FIFTH YEAR OF THEIR ITALIAN LAUREA AND FOR POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY STUDENTS ENGAGED IN MASTER ENGINEERING, MASTER OF SCIENCE OR PHD DEGREE.

POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY AND PARTICIPATING UNIVERSITIES AGREE TO APPOINT INDIVIDUALS WHO WILL MANAGE AND SUPERVISE PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT. THE PARTIES WILL COVER ANY LOCAL ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS AND FACULTY SALARIES. THE PARTIES AGREE TO COOPERATE, IN GOOD WILL, IN THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF SUPPORTING AGREEMENTS.

ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS

POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY

POLITECNICO DI BARI

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI BRESCIA

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI "G. D'ANNUNZIO" DI CHIETI

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI FIRENZE

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI GENOVA

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DELL'INSUBRIA

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DEL MOLISE

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI NAPOLI FEDERICO II

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI PAVIA

UNIVERSITÀ DI PERUGIA

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI REGGIO CALABRIA

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI ROMA "LA SAPIENZA"

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI ROMA "TOR VERGATA"

UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI SALERNO

CNR - ISTITUTO DI RICERCA PER LA PROTEZIONE IDROGEOLOGICA

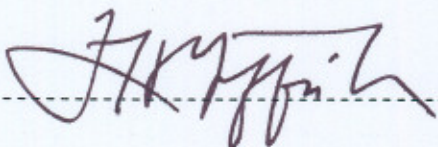
CNR - ISTITUTO DI BIOLOGIA AGROALIMENTARE E FORESTALE

CNR - ISTITUTO PER L'AMBIENTE MARINO COSTIERO

CINIGEO- CONSORZIO INTERUNIVERSITARIO NAZIONALE PER L'INGEGNERIA DELLE GEORISORSE

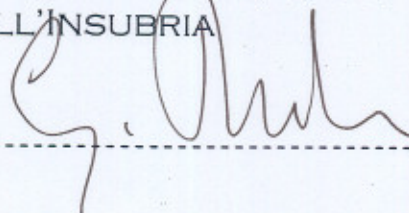
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POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY



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UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI
DELL'INSUBRIA



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DATE:

11-18-03
Rovato 24/07/2003

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