



**SAVONIA**  
UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
BETWEEN  
SAVONIA UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES  
AND  
UNIVERSIDAD ESTATAL A DISTANCIA**

In accordance with a mutual desire to promote academic cooperation between Savonia University of Applied Sciences, (hereafter referred to as "Savonia UAS") and Universidad Estatal a Distancia, (hereinafter called the UNED), the undersigned parties agree to cooperate through education and research, development and innovation activities as stated below:

**ARTICLE 1.**

Savonia UAS and UNED, agree to promote the following activities in order to enhance each other's educational, academic and research activities:

Exchange of faculty members and researchers,  
Exchange of information and academic resources that are of mutual interest,  
Activities such as collaborative research, joint symposia and exchange lectures,  
Collaborative degree programs.

**ARTICLE 2.**

Matters pertaining to the implementation of the Exchange based on this agreement shall be negotiated and agreed upon by representatives of the two parties in addendums to this memorandum of understanding.

**ARTICLE 3.**

The present agreement implies no financial engagement from either party. Specific actions or programs requiring special financial arrangements will be subject to specific agreement.

**ARTICLE 4.**

Both Universities agree to review this Memorandum of understanding after three years following the date of signing, and acknowledge that this Memorandum is subject to revision and termination at any time by mutual consent or by six months' notice by either party.

*Mervi Vidgrén*  
On behalf of Savonia UAS  
Mervi Vidgrén  
Rector of Savonia UAS  
Date 27/11/2017

*Luis Guillermo Carpio Malavasi*  
On behalf of UNED  
Luis Guillermo Carpio Malavasi  
President UNED  
Date 24/11/17