AGREEMENT ON CO-OPERATION

between

UNIVERSITY OF NOVI SAD, SERBIA:
FACULTY OF SPORT AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

and

UNIVERSITY OF CASSINO, ITALY:
FACULTY OF SPORT SCIENCES and DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND
SPORT SCIENCES

With the purpose of strengthening co-operation, beneficial for both educational institutions in the field of preparing specialists in physical education and sports, qualifying organisation and improvement of efficiency of the methodological, educational, research and sport activities, the Faculty of Sport and Physical Education of the University of Novi Sad and the Faculty of Sport Sciences and the Department of Health and Sport Sciences of the University of Cassino, further referred to as the "Parties" or "Educational Institutions", have concluded the agreement on the following:

1

The Parties will accomplish an exchange of work experience, information on the framework and content of educational processes for preparation of specialists in physical education, rehabilitation, sports, recreation and tourism. The Parties will also enable the exchange of scientific publications, methodological issues, research programs and documents, circular letters, which contain the information on the achievements of the Parties.

2

The Parties aim to carry out research on subjects of mutual interest, concerning issues regarding physical education, rehabilitation and sports, as well as the organisation and refinement of the educational processes. Both educational peer institutions may use the outcome of the cooperative work and research, may formulate programs of post-graduate research and may use research results to prepare and present doctoral and post-doctoral theses. The respective procedures are defined by the normative acts of the respective Country, in which these procedures would be conducted. In order to use the results of joint research, a written consent of both Parties shall be necessary each time.

3

The Parties can carry out joint work in the field of development and improvement of the theory and practice of teaching and sport training, implementation of mass physical culture and sports, and of biomedical and public health aspects of physical education and sport activities. With the purpose of lecturing, consulting, carrying out the joint scientific research and methodical work, the Parties may cross-invite leading specialists in those fields.

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The Parties may enable a cross-employment of teachers, scientific workers and other specialists from both Educational Institutions according to the regulations binding for both countries.

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The Parties can invite the representatives of the partner Educational Institution to participate in conferences and workshops, as well as celebrations, which will be organised by the undersigned Parties.
Other organisations and scientific institutions could be involved in co-operation following the mutual consent of both Parties.

The specific obligations concerning research, exchange of teachers, scientific workers, students, athletes and coaches, as well as the terms of realisation of these obligations, should be preliminarily agreed upon by both Parties.

The Parties may engage in joint project plans, which would enable them participating in bilateral programs agreed upon within the framework of relations between the two Countries, as well as in other multilateral programs, e.g. those of the European Union.

The financial issues of the specific exchange activities (travel expenses, local transportation, accommodation) will be agreed between the two Educational Institutions and detailed in specific invitation or agreement letters.

The host Party will organise the program of stay and will provide access to the infrastructures of the institution, and adequate conditions for work. The visitors are strongly advised to take a health and accident insurance policy valid for the period of stay in the host country.

The contact persons for the present agreement are Prof. Milena Mikalački and Prof. Borislav Obradovic for the University of Novi Sad and Prof. Giovanni Capelli and Prof. Loriana Castellani for the University of Cassino.

The present Agreement takes effect from the moment of signing and will be valid for 5 years. The contents of the Agreement can be changed by mutual consent of both Parties. Any amendment to the present Agreement should be formulated in writing. Any of the Parties has the right to terminate the Agreement, if it is not followed by the other Institution, at the end of any academic year. The Agreement will be valid automatically for the following 5-year period, provided the Parties have not exchanged written notices three months before the Agreement has expired.

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