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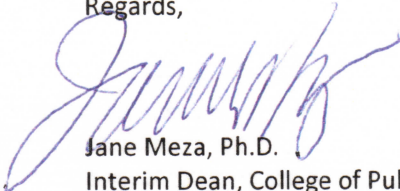
Dear Professor Ozcebe,

I want to personally thank you and your colleagues for your interest in collaborating with my colleagues and me in the UNMC College of Public Health. I am very excited about the potential of our joint efforts to make a significant contribution in a number of important areas for the benefit of Turkey, the region and our supporters here in the United States as well as the State of Nebraska.

The accompanying MOU is an important framing document that will guide our relationship for, hopefully, many years to come. I am very pleased that you, Dr. Araz and Dr. Huang have already identified a number of initial activities to pursue and are in the process of generating relevant proposals for this important work. I am equally appreciative of the support for the partnership offered by Rector Dr. Murat Tuncer. You may be assured that I will do all that I can to support and facilitate the implementation of our collaborations.

Please accept my warmest wishes.

Regards,



Jane Meza, Ph.D.

Interim Dean, College of Public Health  
Director, Center for Collaboration on Research, Design and Analysis  
University of Nebraska Medical Center

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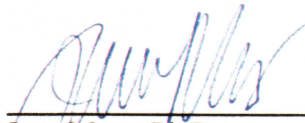
**Agreement on  
Scholarly Exchange and Collaboration  
Between  
Regents of the University of Nebraska  
On behalf of  
College of Public Health  
The University of Nebraska Medical Center**

**And**

**Institute of Public Health  
Hacettepe University**

1. The University of Nebraska, Center for Global Health and Development, (CGHAD) (located in 984585 Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, NE 68198-4385) College of Public Health, and Institute of Public Health, Hacettepe University (located in Hacettepe Üniversitesi Halk Sağlığı Enstitüsü, Sıhhiye Yerleşkesi, Halk Sağlığı Enstitü Binası, 3. Kat Sıhhiye 06100 Ankara) desiring to promote cooperation in the fields of education and academic research, in line with the Memorandum of Understanding signed between the two Universities, agree to the following:
  - 1.1 to encourage exchanges and visits in the following categories: graduate (contingent upon UNMC and HU regulations) and professional students, non-teaching and post-graduate fellows, and junior and senior faculty members.
  - 1.2 to exchange information and materials in those fields which are of interest to both universities.
  - 1.3 to organize joint conferences and academic programs.
  - 1.4 to arrange joint research activities and publications.
2. Subject, implementation and administration of aforementioned cooperation will be ensured by separate protocols which would be structured by contracting parties.
3. This Agreement will be in effect from the date of signature for a period of five years. It shall be extended automatically for an additional period of five years at each expiration date unless either party gives six months' advance notice in writing to terminate the Agreement.

The University of Nebraska  
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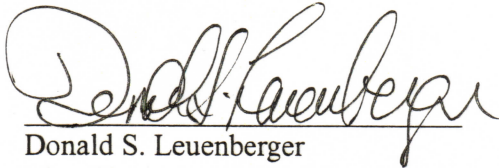
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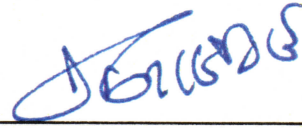


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