





Memorandum of Understanding

FEANI / FAEO

Preamble:

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is made between: The European Federation of National Engineering Associations, henceforth referred to as 'FEANI', whose headquarters are located at REGUS EU Commission, Schuman Square 6, 5th floor, BE - 1040 Brussels, Belgium and the Federation of African Engineering Organisations henceforth referred to as 'FAEO', whose offices are located at Suite 205, NEC Building, National Engineering Centre, Off National Mosque – Labour House Road, Central Business District, Abuja, Nigeria.

WHEREAS FEANI, on the one part is striving for a single voice for the engineering profession in Europe and wants to affirm and develop the professional identity of engineers and wishes:

- To affirm the professional identity of the engineers of Europe
- To strive for a single voice for the engineering profession of Europe, whilst acknowledging its diversity.

WHEREAS FAEO, is recognised by International Organisations as the overall leader of the Engineering Profession in Africa and sets out to apply Engineering to serve humanity through the use of best practiced technology. The Objective of the Federation shall be to develop, in the spirit of African unity, direct relationship between its several member organizations on a basis of mutual understanding, so that their activities may be fostered and directed to the greater public good and, in particular:

- Harmonization of appropriate engineering standards to enhance advancement of knowledge in critical areas required for development.
- To build engineering capacity in Africa.

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To promote the advancement of engineering science and practice and their many applications for the benefit of mankind.

 To collaborate with other national and international organizations, as it may think fit, and to support the implementation of the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

WHEREAS the Parties have agreed to cooperate and work together in the establishment of common strategic programmes for the development of the engineering profession in Europe and Africa.

NOW THEREFORE, the Parties who are signatories to this MoU agree as follows:

Common Objectives

The Institutions wish to work closer together to enable:

- a. Regular exchanges of information on events and projects that each organisation is planning
- b. The creation of a joint committee for promotion of engineering capacity building and mobility of engineers
- c. Permanent invitations to publish information about the organisation, the objective, the projects and any position papers, etc., on subjects dealing with engineering education and the engineering profession, in the official communication documents of the organizations
- d. By invitation to send a representative to participate in a non-voting-right capacity in meetings, Working Groups set up by each organisation to deal with subjects related to the education of engineers as well as the profession of engineering
- e. Invitations to send representatives at the meetings organised in the framework of the General Assembly of the other Organisation
- f. Invitations to publish, whenever appropriate, common position papers on subjects dealing with the education and the profession of the engineer.

This list can be amended and complemented at any time on request and with the agreement of both Organizations. Each Organization will nominate one person responsible for the contact between the two Organizations in charge of implementing above points of cooperation. They will be in contact and meet whenever deemed necessary. They will report to their corresponding Executive Board.

Marketing and Promotion

Where appropriate, the Organisations will jointly sponsor seminars, conferences and

meetings of mutual interest.

Each Organization may reference this MOU in any advertising or promotion provided

that the detail has been discussed with, and agreed by, the other Organisation. The

Organizations may request the immediate withdrawal of promotional materials that

do not comply with their corporate identity and/or include inappropriate or misleading

information.

Term

This MoU is unlimited in time. Each Organization may decide at any time to put an

end to it by informing in writing the other Organization.

Nothing in this MOU shall be deemed to be a commitment or obligation of funds from

either Organisation. The Organisations acknowledge that all or any financial

arrangements must be negotiated and shall depend upon the availability of funds at

the specific time.

Signatures

Signed for FEANI:

Date: 26.09.2019

Signed for FAEO:

Date: 26.09.2019

Name: Eng. José Vieira

Designation: President

Name: Eng. Martin Manuhwa

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