

Memorandum on Cooperation between Azerbaijan National Library and The National Library of Serbia

Azerbaijan National Library and National Library of Serbia and hereinafter referred to as "Parties", are desirous of developing professional relations between the libraries and establishing conditions for the cooperation in the fields of science, culture and dissemination and exchange of information resources.

The Parties have agreed as follows:

Article 1

The Parties shall cooperate in the fields of automation of library bibliography processes, electronic exchange and delivery of documents, scientific bibliography, restoration and conservation of rare books and human resources development.

Article 2

In order to exchange the experience and knowledge on perspectives of development and achievements in the fields of library science and library information the Parties shall strengthen cooperation in the following areas:

- automation of library bibliography processes;
- reciprocal use of electronic libraries and electronic catalogue;
- exchange of electronic information;
- scientific research in the fields of book and book publishing;
- technologies of safeguarding, restoration and conservation of rare books;
- developing international book exchange in order to improve archives of the libraries;
- organization of book exhibitions;
- exchange of experiences between the specialists of all fields of library work, to organize training courses, workshops, scientific conferences, seminars.

Article 3

The Parties agree to receive librarians from each other for a period of maximum 15 days.

Accommodation expenses (hotel and daily expenses) of the librarians will be covered by the receiving country while the travel expenses will be covered by the sending country. The number of librarians will be mutually determined each year.

Article 4

This Memorandum on Cooperation shall remain in force for the period of 3 years and shall be extended for another period of 3 years unless either Party 6 months prior to the date of expiration of the Memorandum notifies in written the other Party about its intention to terminate it.

Article 5

If it is required the Parties on the basis of written consent and after preliminary notification of the other Party may make additions and amendments to this Memorandum on Cooperation. The Memorandum on Cooperation shall be declared not to be in force 3 months before the date of expiration since either Party sends the written notification to the other Party on its intention to terminate it.

Article 6

Memorandum on Cooperation enters into force upon signing. Memorandum on Cooperation was signed in Baku and Belgrade on September 2013 in Azerbaijani, Serbian and English languages all texts being authentic. In case of divergence of interpretation of this Memorandum the English text shall prevail.

