





PROTOCOL ANNEXED TO THE COOPERATION AGREEMENT N. 518/2016 Cultural, Educational and Scientific Cooperation Agreement

In accordance with a mutual desire to promote further cooperation between the University of Messina - Italy (UNIME), legally represented by the Rector, Prof. Salvatore Cuzzocrea, and the Suzhou Institute of Nano-tech and Nano-bionics, Chinese Academy of Science - China (SINANO), legally represented by the Director of Nanofabrication Facilities Prof. Baoshun Zhang, hereby "the Parties", in compliance with the mutual cooperation agreement (n. 518/2016),

The Parties are committed to promote joint didactic, research and cultural activities as well as scientific exchanges in the areas of mutual interest; to maintain the highest standards of teaching and research; to keep up with academic trends and to share innovations. The Parties will agree to the following general forms of cooperation:

- Joint degree programs and cooperation for double degrees.
- Exchange of invitations to scholars for lectures, talks, and sharing of experience.
- Exchange of information in fields of interest to both Universities.
- Exchange of faculty members, graduate and undergraduate students for study and research.
- Joint research activities within the PETASPIN laboratory (0042110 07/06/2017).

The Parties understand that all financial arrangements will have to be negotiated and will depend on the availability of funds.

This protocol shall become effective after its signature by both parties, on the day of the last signature.





This agreement is established within the cooperation agreement n. 518/2016 and it is limited by the duration and renewal modalities expressed by that agreement (Art. 4 of the cooperation agreement n°518/2016 between UNIME and SINANO).

This protocol in English language consists in four original copies.

For the University of Massina

The Rector (Prof. Salvatore Cuzzocrea) For the Suzhou Institute of Nanotech and Nanobionics, Chinese Academy of Science

The Director of Nanofabrication Facilities (Prof. Baoshun Zhang)

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