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## Memorandum of Understanding BETWEEN

### Italian Society of Emergency Surgery and Trauma and "Department of Surgery" Military Medical Academy, Sofia, Bulgaria

The parties believe that:

1. Mutual benefit can be derived from scholarly interaction, cultural interchange, cooperative research and other forms of academic collaboration;
2. The parties agree to establish a working party with representatives from "Department of Surgery" Military Medical Academy, Sofia, Bulgaria and Italian Society of Emergency surgery and Trauma to consider the following areas of cooperation which have been identified as desirable and feasible:
  - (i) Co-operation in training projects such as the delivery of professional short courses;
  - (ii) Mutual assistance in the preparation of seminars, conferences and workshops;
  - (iii) Collaborative research and academic exchanges;
  - (iv) Exchange of publication materials, academic papers or other information;
  - (v) Cooperation to improve the formation in emergency surgery to young surgeons;
3. The terms of specific areas of cooperation shall be further considered and agreed upon in writing as a Letter of Intent by the parties prior to the initiation of any particular activity.
4. The parties agree that this MOU is not a formal legal agreement giving rise to any legal relationship, rights duties or consequences, but it is only a definite expression and record of the purpose of the parties to which the parties are bound in honor only.
5. This MOU will be effective when both parties have signed this Memorandum and shall remain in force until terminated by either party giving the other party 6 months notice.

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