

## Partnership Agreement

Project No 598826-EPP-1-2018-1-ES-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP  
Mediterranean Environmental Change Management. Master Study and Ecosystem  
(MEHMED)

The present Partnership Agreement, hereinafter referred to as "the Agreement", is made and entered into by and between,

Universitat de Girona  
Plaça Sant Domènec, 3 – Edifici Les Àligues  
17004 Girona  
Spain

hereinafter referred to as the "Coordinator", represented for the purposes of signature of the Agreement by Dr Joaquim SALVI, Rector, the legal representative as defined in the Grant Agreement 598826-EPP-1-2018-1-ES-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP

and

University Mohammed Premier (UMP)  
BV Mohammed VI, Campus El Qods  
B.P. 524, Oujda  
Morocco

hereinafter referred to as the "Beneficiary", represented for the purposes of signature of this Agreement by Mohammed Benkaddour, president, according to the mandates previously signed and attached to the Grant Agreement (here in Annex II).

Where a provision applies without distinction to the "Coordinator" and the "Beneficiary", for the purpose of this Agreement they will be collectively referred to as the "Beneficiaries".

The parties hereby have agreed as follows:



## Article 1 Subject of the Partnership Agreement

1.1 This Agreement defines the terms that govern the relations between the parties, by establishing their rights and obligations, and lays down the rules of procedure for the work to be carried out in order to successfully implement the Erasmus+ CBHE action Mediterranean *Environmental Change Management. Master Study and Ecosystem Building (MEHMED)* (hereinafter referred to as the "project").

1.2 The Coordinator and the Beneficiary, undertake to do everything in their power to carry out the work programme forming the subject of this Agreement, which falls within the framework of the Grant Agreement 598826-EPP-1-2018-1-ES-EPPKA2-CBHE-JP, concluded between the Coordinator and the Education, Audiovisual and Culture Executive Agency (hereinafter referred to as the "Executive Agency"), related to the above-mentioned project.

1.3 The subject matter of this Agreement and the related work programme are detailed in the annexes of the Grant Agreement. The respective Grant Agreement terms and conditions, related annexes and guidelines, shall form an integral part of the present Agreement, and take precedence over it (see Article 20 of the present Agreement for the list of annexes).

1.4 The Coordinator and the beneficiaries shall be bound by the terms and conditions of this Agreement, the Grant Agreement and any further amendments of the latter.

## Article 2 Duration

2.1 This Agreement shall enter into force on the date the last party signs, but shall have retroactive effect from the starting date of the eligibility period laid down in the Grant Agreement, i.e. **15 January 2019**.

2.2 The period of eligibility of the activities and the costs shall be in accordance to the dispositions of the Grant Agreement or any subsequent amendments of it.

2.3 The present Agreement shall remain in force until the Coordinator has been discharged in full of their obligations arising from the Grant Agreement signed with the Executive Agency.

## Article 3 Obligations and responsibilities

3.1 General obligations and role of the beneficiaries (including the Coordinator).

The Beneficiaries:

- (a) are jointly responsible for carrying out the activities attributed to them, and shall conduct the work in accordance with the work programme and schedule set forth in the Grant Agreement and approved application, working to the best of their abilities to achieve the defined results and taking full responsibility for their work in accordance with accepted professional principles;
- (b) undertake to comply with all the provisions of the Grant Agreement and its annexes, with all the provisions of this Agreement, as well as with EU and national legislation;
- (c) are jointly responsible for complying with any legal obligations incumbent on them jointly or individually;

