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**Protocol
to the agreement on scientific cooperation
between
the Academy of Sciences of Albania
and
the Lithuanian Academy of Sciences**

1. Based on the *Agreement for Scientific Cooperation*, signed in Vilnius on the 26 September 2023, Academy of Science of Albania and Lithuanian Academy of Sciences agree to sign this protocol, for a foster the collaboration of scientists/scholars in all disciplines represented in the partner Academies.
2. The objective is to create opportunities for scientists/scholars of *both Parties* to gain an understanding of the current research projects in the other country, to initiate joint projects, to continue projects already in progress, to form research committees of the two parties undertaking joint research, and to organise joint conferences.
3. *Both Parties* shall endeavour to ensure regular meetings of some of their members to discuss the progress of their collaboration at least once every two years, if possible.
4. As soon as possible, *both Parties* shall allocate funds in their budgets to finance this programme.
5. *Both Parties* agree upon an annual quota of three (3) weeks for scientific exchange visits, scientific meetings, lectures, and consultations. The quota is determined per calendar year. Unused time of one calendar year shall not be transferred to the following year.

6. Changes to the total exchange periods are possible through prior discussions and a written agreement between the two Academies.

7. The receiving Party shall provide adequate accommodation for incoming scientists/scholars.

8. The documentation on the future visitors shall be submitted to the host Academy no later than two (2) months before the planned visit.

9. The documentation about the upcoming visit shall include the following information:

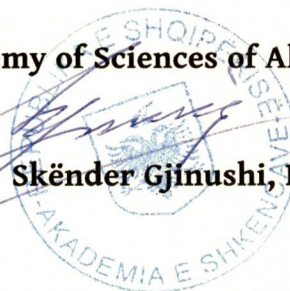
- Last name
- First name(s)
- Title
- Date and place of birth
- Curriculum vitae, with special reference to scientific/scholarly work
- Current place of employment (address, telephone, email)
- Discipline / subject
- Important publications
- Scientist/Scholar/Research organisation issuing the invitation
- Research project
- Date of arrival
- Length of stay

10. This protocol, dated __ October 2024, is valid for three (3) years and shall be automatically renewed for the next three-year period unless terminated by either Party by giving at least six months' prior notice to the other Party.



Lithuanian Academy of Sciences

Acad. Jūras Banys, President



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