

# **Memorandum of Understanding on Establishing China-Nordic Law Center**

## **BETWEEN**

(1) East China University of Political Science and Law, (hereinafter referred to as "ECUPL");

AND

(2) University of Oslo, (hereinafter referred to as "UO");

Who shall hereinafter together be referred to as the "Parties" or in the singular the "Party"

## **BACKGROUND**

Following the ongoing collaboration between both Parties and the opportunity to further the cooperation on China-Nordic academic research, the Parties have agreed to jointly set up a research center to focus on the mutually interested issues. Therefore, the parties have decided to sign this MoU and cooperate as follows:

### **1. Functions and Vision of the Institution**

The parties agree to set up a center, the China-Nordic Law Center (CNLC). CNLC is an open, academic and international platform to facilitate joint research on law and other relevant disciplines.

### **2. Co-directors**

Each Party agrees to appoint a representative to co-ordinate and lead all the activities and initiatives of CNLC (the Academic Director/s).

### **3. Arrangements for the Center**

CNLC will organize and advance interdisciplinary research on mutually interested issues. Both Parties agree to take turns to host academic conferences in China and Nordic respectively.

### **4. Dispute Resolution**

Should there be any misunderstanding of the content of this MoU, the matter will be resolved based on mutual negotiation by two Parties.

### **5. Term of Application**

This MoU is valid for five years from the date of signature. Both Parties can renew the MoU to continue their collaboration subject to their mutual consent.



**SIGNATURES:**

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