Bilateral agreement for strategic partnership

The Central European Political Science Review (CEPSR) and the World Complexity Science Academy (WCSA) for the sake of scientific cooperation are stating the following:

- 1) WCSA delegates one own regular member to the CEPSR Editorial Board with the scope to cooperate with CEPSR Editor in Chief to shape the CEPSR Editorial policy in terms both of readership and authorship.
- 2) WCSA regular member delegated pro tempore by the WCSA president according to art.11 of the WCSA Statute is currently Edit Fabó who is also nominated by the CEPSR Editor in Chief as a regular member of the CEPSR Editorial Board.
- 3) The logo of WCSA is displayed on the inside of the CEPSR back cover as a formal evidence of the mutual and mutually cost free strategic partnership between CEPSR and WCSA. As far as allowed by the terms and conditions of the EU GDPR, CEPSR and WCSA mutually commit to promote each other publications, events & more to the mutual databases. All WCSA initiatives to be promoted by CEPSR to its readership and authorship database/mailing list and all the information about CEPSR editorial policy to be promoted by WCSA to the WCSA membership directory. Both CEPSR and WCSA mutually reporting each other the promotion actions.
- 3a) The task of the delegated WCSA member (Edit Fabó) is to regularly submit a table of contents and abstracts of the current issue of the CEPSR to WCSA's members, partner institutions and organizations within the terms and conditions already described in article 1.
- 4) As far as the annual balance of WCSA allows, WCSA strongly wishes to contribute to the accommodation and travel costs of the CEPSR Editor in Chief (János Simon or his representative delegate) at its European events held in English only. The goal and aim of the presence of CEPSR Editor in Chief or his delegate to the WCSA events in Europe is to promote the growth of WCSA managed and guest edited special issues of CEPSR and to promote the rate of WCSA members as paper (co) authors published by CEPSR. The higher the number of WCSA guest edited special issues and the higher the rate of WCSA members in the other CEPSR issue, the stronger the WCSA will to invest on CEPSR Editor in Chief (or his delegate) to the WCSA events. AS WCSA will invest on this, the flights/ transportation and of the accommodation venue/ hotel are chosen by WCSA and refunded by WCSA itself.
- 5) The agreement can be terminate at any time by sending the other party a simple written notification by certified email.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS IMPORTANT NOTICE (TACIN): in case the WCSA delegate and the CEPSR delegate eventually being the same person, this person has the duty to immediately communicate conditions in which the delegate might act in conflict of interest with one or both the parties.

ACCEPTANCE OF THE TACIN by the delegate of both parties:

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In the light of the above, both parties are confident and mutually commit that cooperation will be mutually efficient and win/win.

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