

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
between
The European Geosciences Union (EGU)
and
The International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics (IUGG)

Joint activities between the IUGG, including its Association and Union Commissions, and the EGU, including its Scientific Divisions, Committees and Working Groups, will promote international exchange in scientific research and international cooperation between the two organisations.

To that effect, the EGU and the IUGG decide to promote the following activities:

1. The regular exchange of information on important programmes and initiatives,
2. The complementarity and expansion of the two organisations through possible joint meetings and programmes,
3. The exchange of information and possible joint activities regarding educational and Equality, Diversity, and Inclusion (EDI) opportunities, programmes for Early Career scientists and professional services,
4. The possible joint organisation of scientific conferences and workshops,
5. Cooperation within the framework of the "Global Geoscience Societies" initiative.

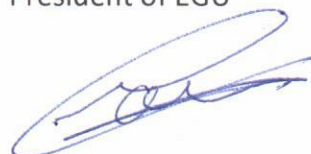
In recognition of the mutual interests of the membership and as a means of furthering the common goals and objectives of both organisations, cooperation shall be conducted under the following conditions:

1. Neither organisation shall have any financial obligation to the other,
2. Both organisations shall seek to cooperate where appropriate,
3. Both organisations shall seek close cooperation between the branches,
4. The respective Union leaderships shall meet regularly (e.g. in connection with the annual EGU General Assembly or the IUGG conference every four years) to discuss issues of common interest.

This agreement may be terminated by either organisation at any time with 60 days' notice. The agreement shall be reviewed every three (3) years.



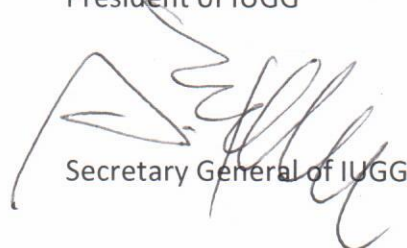
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