#### **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

The University of Passau ("UP"),

represented by its President, Professor Burkhard Freitag,

and the University of Rijeka ("UR"),

represented by its Rector, Professor Pero Lučin

wish to extend upon the existing co-operation between the Law Faculties at UP and UR, and agree on the following:

## 1) Conclusion of an ERASMUS partnership between the two Universities

Both parties seek to establish an ERASMUS partnership within the course offerings of both Universities' Law Faculties, initially for two places and for the duration of one semester. This shall include an exchange of doctoral students and lecturers. Additional ERASMUS partnerships shall be envisaged within the disciplines offered by the two Universities.

#### 2) Research

The Parties agree to lend the best possible support to research projects jointly carried out by members of UP and UR.

### 3) Outlook

The Parties agree to further intensify co-operation between UP and UR in the interests of both Parties, with the aim of concluding a Co-operation Agreement between UP and UR.

# 4) Period of Validity

This Memorandum of Understanding shall remain in force until it is replaced by a Cooperation Agreement or terminated by one of the Parties.

Date:

4.03. 2013

Date:

Signed for

the University of Passau

Professor Dr. Burkhard Freitz

President

Signed for

the University of Rijeka