



Memorandum of Understanding

The Library of Alexandria is hosting, in collaboration with, partners in North Africa and the Middle East, an association entitled NAMES (North Africa and Middle East Science centers).

The objective of creating NAMES is to enhance the role of science centers in our region and to help promote the scientific outlook in our societies.

The Association also aims to represent and promote the opinions and needs of the various participating members to the international community and foster the cooperation between its members and other international science centers in various technical fields.

The Association will also work towards fostering cooperation between science centers in the region and offer support, when needed, to establish new science centers in countries of the NAMES region.

The Regional Office for the NAMES association will be established at the Library of Alexandria, Alexandria, Egypt, and will be governed by its statutes.

Internal Regulations that give a detailed overview of the financial, administrative and other related matters is drafted separately.

Members of the NAMES association signing to this Memorandum of Understanding will directly abide by the Internal Regulations.

Agreed by the authorized officers of the parties:

By Bibliotheca Alexandrina	By Science Center
(Signature)	(Signature)
(Name)	(Name)
(Title)	(Title)
(Date)	(Date)