

WORK PLAN FOR THE PROMOTION OF SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL ACTIVITY BETWEEN THE NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT, OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL, AND THE CONFERENCE OF RECTORS OF ACADEMIC SCHOOLS IN POLAND, OF POLAND

THE NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT, here in after referred as **CNPq**, and the **CONFERENCE OF RECTORS OF ACADEMIC SCHOOLS IN POLAND**, here in after referred as **CRASP**, agree to execute a program of activities coordinated to the Agreement signed in 03/02/2014, according to the following aspects:

1º) The Science without Borders Program aims to promote the scientific and technological activity in areas defined by consensus between CNPq and CRASP.

2º) The Program consists in joint support of international exchange of students and researchers, according to the list below:

a) CNPq will provide annually up to 200 scholarships for Brazilian undergraduate students and will cover the respective tuition and academic fees. These students will perform part of their studies in CRASP member institutions for up to 12 months. CRASP member institutions will provide academic facilities and supervision, and support for identifying lodging and meals at affordable prices.

b) CNPq will provide annually up to 10 scholarships to cover their tuition and academic fees for Brazilian students to perform a full PhD Program at CRASP member institutions. CRASP member institutions will provide academic facilities and supervision, and support for identifying lodging and meals at affordable prices.

c) CNPq will provide annually up to 10 scholarships to cover their tuition and academic fees for Brazilian students to perform part of their PhD Program at CRASP member institutions, for up to 12 months, typically performing experimental work in a lab.

d) CNPq will provide annually up to 15 postdoctoral fellowships for Brazilian specialists at CRASP member institutions, from 6 to 12 months, extendable up to 12, not exceeding an overall 24-month period. CRASP member institutions will provide academic facilities and supervision, and support for identifying lodging and meals at affordable prices.

e) CRASP member institutions postdoctoral fellows may apply for the Young Talents Fellowship to Brazil which is part of the *Science without Borders* Program.

f) CRASP member institutions researchers who are internationally recognized by their peers may apply for the Special Visiting Research Fellowship to Brazil which is part of the *Science without Borders* Program.

3º) The opportunities will be published annually as through an specific joint Call for proposals. CNPq and CRASP will consensually select the approved candidates.

4º) The Parties agree to proceed with the opening of a Call for proposals of undergraduate scholarships up to twice a year during the validity of the present Program.

5º) The Calls will be oriented to finance activities in the following areas of scientific knowledge:

- a) Engineering and other technological areas;
- b) Pure and Natural Sciences;
- c) Health and Biomedical Sciences;
- d) Information and Communication Technologies;
- e) Aerospace;

- f) Pharmaceuticals;
- g) Sustainable Agricultural Production;
- h) Oil, Gas and Coal;
- i) Renewable Energy;
- j) Biotechnology;
- k) Nanotechnology and New Materials;
- l) Technology for prevention and mitigation of natural disasters;
- m) Biodiversity and bioprospection;
- n) Marine Sciences;
- o) Minerals;
- p) New technologies for constructive engineering
- q) Formation of technical personel
- etc.

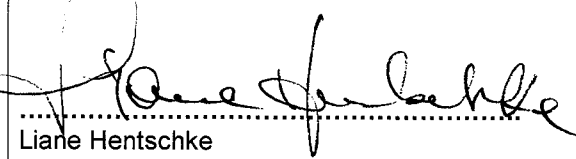
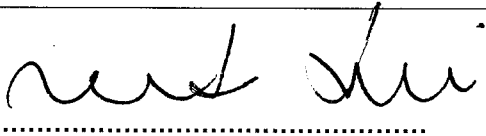
For the first Call, CNPq will provide 100 scholarships for undergraduated students and will cover the respective tuition and academic fees, according to the values informed in Annex I¹.

6º) The conditions for next Calls shall be negotiated by exchange of letters between CNPq and CRASP.

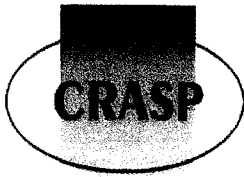
7º) The obligations of the Program to be assumed by CNPq and CRASP requires the approval from authorities of both institutions.

8º) The present Work Plan is valid until one of the parts inform the decision to denounce it. The denunciation shall not bring damage nor solution of continuity to the execution of projects already approved or that began their execution, the Parties must keep the respective budgets and durations.

As proof of agreement, 4 originals are signed, with same content and effect, 2 in Portuguese and 2 in English.

<p>FOR THE NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENT – CNPq:</p>	<p>FOR THE CONFERENCE OF RECTORS OF ACADEMIC SCHOOLS IN POLAND – CRASP:</p>
 <p>..... Liane Hentschke Director of Institutional Cooperation</p> <p>Date of signature: 03/02/2014</p>	 <p>..... Wiesław Banyś President</p> <p>Date of signature: 03/02/2014</p>

¹ List of tuition and academic fees from Polish institutions.



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1. Average tuition fees for Brazilian students coming to Polish universities within the "Science without Borders" Program. Costs for the academic year starting in 2014.

<i>Type of studies:</i>	<i>Average tuition fees per student/per year:</i>
<i>Any type except Medicine studies</i>	<i>8 700 - 12 500 USD</i>
<i>Medicine studies</i>	<i>17 300 - 20 300 USD</i>
<i>Stomatology studies</i>	<i>23 500 - 24 000 USD</i>
<i>PhD studies</i>	<i>11 500 - 14 500 USD</i>

2. Transfer of funds.

The tuition fees will be transferred to KRASP, which will take care of the logistical issues dealing directly with the universities.

President

Professor Wieslaw Banyś