Memorandum of Understanding

Between the

Asian Union of Magnetics Societies (AUMS)

And the

European Magnetism Association (EMA)

To encourage the exchange and dissemination of technical information and to promote understanding and cooperation between the members of the Asian Union of Magnetics Societies (AUMS, https://sites.google.com/view/aumstw/) and the European Magnetism Association (EMA, https://magnetism.eu/), these Societies have entered into an agreement on the following matters:

1. COORDINATION AND TECHNICAL COOPERATION

- A. An AUMS delegate is invited to participate in an informal meeting to promote networking following the annual meeting of the General Council of EMA, generally organized during an international conference on magnetism in Europe (typically JEMS, ICM, or Intermag).
- B. An EMA delegate is invited to participate in an informal meeting to promote networking following the annual meeting of the AUMS Council, generally organized during an international conference on magnetism in Asia (typically IcAUMS or Intermag).
- C. EMA and AUMS may share technical information about their major processes to coordinate actions and build up their own experience. For example, this may concern guidelines for organizing events (scientific program, special sessions, practical organization, proceedings, hybrid format, diversity, carbon footprint, etc.), awards, etc.

2. TECHNICAL MEETINGS

Both AUMS and EMA have strong technical meeting programs, and each can benefit from cooperative activities.

- A. Plans and schedules for international conferences, schools, and other major events will be exchanged between AUMS and EMA.
- B. AUMS and EMA will seek to form partnerships for co-sponsorship of international technical meetings when practical and in the best interests of both organizations to do so.
- C. To promote mutual exchange, each party supports the participation of one delegate from the other party in JEMS and IcAUMS by waiving the registration fees.

3. COMMUNICATION

- A. AUMS and EMA include active links on their websites to the website of the other society, as well as the present Memorandum of Understanding.
- B. AUMS and EMA may send relevant messages to their own members or networks on behalf of the other in compliance with their respective rules and constraints for dissemination and data protection regulations. These concerns include, for example, the advertisement of IcAUMS, JEMS, and ESM and their respective awards campaigns.

4. REVIEW, AMENDMENT AND TERMINATION

Amendments to the agreement may be proposed at any time but will not be valid until both AUMS and EMA have approved them.

This agreement is perpetual yet subject to termination by any of the two parties on three months' written notice.

This agreement comes into force with the signatures of both parties on April 1, 2025.

Signed on behalf of AUMS

Young Keun Kim

Signed on behalf of EMA

President Young Keun KIM

President Olivier FRUCHART