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AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF AUSTRIA AND THE PRINCIPALITY OF LIECHTENSTEIN ON THE EQUIVALENCE OF STUDIES, EXAMINATIONS AND ACADEMIC DEGREES

The Republic of Austria and the Principality of Liechtenstein,

Desiring further to promote co-operation between the two States in matters relating to institutes of higher education,

Have agreed as follows:

Article 1

(1) The principality of Liechtenstein shall recognize Austrian university-admission certificates as proof of the completion of general secondary education for the purpose of admission to studies at the International Academy for Philosophy in the Principality of Liechtenstein (IAP).

(2) Other Austrian certificates and Austrian diplomas shall be considered equivalent to Austrian university-admission certificates in accordance with paragraph 1, provided that the holder of the certificate was in fact admitted to an Austrian university for the field of study corresponding to that chosen at the International Academy for Philosophy in the Principality of Liechtenstein (IAP).

Article 2

(1) Regular courses of study in the field of philosophy completed at an Austrian university shall be credited as the equivalent of a full regular course of study at the International Academy for Philosophy in the Principality of Liechtenstein (IAP), and examinations in the field of philosophy passed at an Austrian university shall be recognized as equivalent to corresponding examinations at the International Academy for Philosophy in the Principality of Liechtenstein (IAP).

(2) Regular courses of study completed at the International Academy for Philosophy in the Principality of Liechtenstein (IAP) shall be credited as the equivalent of a full regular course of study in the field of philosophy in Austria, and examinations passed at the International Academy for Philosophy in the Principality of Liechtenstein (IAP) shall be recognized as equivalent to the corresponding examinations in the field of philosophy in Austria.

Article 3

Success in the entire first diploma examination in the field of philosophy at an Austrian university and success in the entire first diploma examination at the International Academy for Philosophy in the Principality of Liechtenstein (IAP) shall be recognized as fully equivalent. A candidate who passes either of these examinations shall be entitled to proceed directly, with four semesters' credit towards regular studies, to the second part of the course in Austria or in Liechtenstein respectively.

¹ Came into force on 1 April 1990, i.e., the first day of the third month following the month of the exchange of the instruments of ratification, which took place at Vaduz on 18 January 1990, in accordance with article 8 (1) and (2).