## Agreement between

**Charles University, Faculty of Science**, Department of Physical and Macromolecular Chemistry (hereafter to be referred as **CU**), Albertov 6, 128 00 Prague 2, Czech Republic and

Innovative Catalysis for Carbon Recycling-IC2R (hereafter to be referred as IC2R), via Camillo Rosalba 49, 70124 BARI, Italy

(Catalisi Innovativa per il Riciclo del Carbonio-CIRC srl), PIVA 07459780727

## Whereas

- Charles University and IC2R are partners in the EU Funded Project DESIRED no. 101083355
- IC2R intends to hire a PhD student for the period March 2024 to October 31, 2026
- The PhD student has to work on the DESIRED Project
- CU and IC2R have common interests in DESIRED and intend to develop catalysts in collaboration
- CU is in the process of accepting new PhD students

## CU and IC2R agree the following:

- 1. Charles University will accept a PhD student through the normal procedure;
- 2. IC2R will indicate which better suits the collaborative work within DESIRED;
- 3. The selected student will work at IC2R premises from March 2024 until at least October 31, 2026, end of the DESIRED Project (a longer stay at IC2R will be covered by other resources by IC2R);
- 4. IC2R will pay the salary to the student according to the Italian PhD stipendium rate from the start of PhD until October 31st, 2026 (end of DESIRED Project);
- 5. The student will try to finish his/her PhD study at CU by October 31st, 2026;
- 6. During the period of November 1st 2026 to February 28nd 2027 or beyond, the student will stay in Prague at the Department of Physical and Macromolecular Chemistry and will be paid by CU at the rate set for PhD students by CU;
- 7. During the period March 2024 to October 2026 the student should pay visits to CU for common research work, the travel expenses and accommodation will be covered by CU:
- 8. The supervisor of the Thesis for CU will be Physical and Macromolecular Chemistry;
- 9. The Co-tutor (Advisor) from IC<sup>2</sup>R will be
- 10. This Agreement will enter into force the day the Candidate is selected by CU and IC<sup>2</sup>R and accepted for PhD study.

Bari, February 14, 2024

Prague,