

# Agreement on Cooperation and Pooling of Funds

concluded according to Section 1746(2) of Act No. 89/2012 Coll., the Civil Code of the Czech Republic, as amended,

(further referred to as "Agreement")

<b>HISTORICKÝ ÚSTAV AV ČR, v.v.i.</b>
Č.j.: <b>HIV-465/2024</b>
Datum: <b>19.9.2024</b>
Počet listů + příloh: <b>2</b>
Vyřizuje: <b>[REDACTED]</b>

## I. Parties to the Agreement

### 1. Institute of History of the Czech Academy of Sciences

Based in Prosecká 809/76, 190 00 Praha 9, Czech Republic

Identification Nr. (IČ): 67985963, Tax-identification Nr. (DIČ): CZ67985963

Account No: [REDACTED]

IBAN: [REDACTED]

SWIFT: [REDACTED]

Represented by: Prof. PhDr. Martin Holý, Ph. D., Director

(further referred to as "Institute of History")

### 2. Leibniz-Institut für Geschichte und Kultur des östlichen Europa

Based in Specks Hof (Eingang A), Reichsstr. 4-6, D-04109 Leipzig, Germany

IBAN: [REDACTED]

BIC: [REDACTED]

Represented by: Prof. Dr. Maren Röger, Director

(further referred to as "GWZO")

### 3. Cooperative Association of the Czech Republic

Based in Těšnov 5, 110 00 Praha 1, Czech Republic

Identification Nr. (IČ): 60437324, Tax-identification Nr. (DIČ): CZ60437324

Account No: [REDACTED]

Represented by: Ing. Pavel Březina, Chairman of the Board of Management

further referred to as "Cooperative Association")

## II. Subject matter of the Agreement

1. The subject of this Agreement is the regulation of the rights and obligations of the Parties during their cooperation in organizing the scientific conference "Rural Cooperatives in Europe, ca 1850–1950" to be held on 16.–18. 10. 2024 in Prague (hereinafter referred to as the "Conference").

2. The Parties to the Agreement shall pool financial resources to cover the costs associated with the preparation of the Conference, including catering expenses, partial reimbursements for travel and accommodation costs of the conference speakers, technical support, and any other expenses related to the organization of the Conference.

### **III. Rights and obligations of the Parties**

1. The Parties undertake to cooperate in coordinating the preparation of the Conference as set out in Article II of the Agreement.

2. The main organizer of the Conference (hereinafter referred to as the "the main organizer") shall be Institute of History.

3. The main organizer undertakes to acknowledge the Parties as co-organizers of the Conference in all Conference materials, as well as in any other forms of presentation of the Conference, including the publication of their logos.

### **IV. Financial and material relations**

1. The estimated cost of organizing the Conference is approx. 9 000 EUR.

2. The Parties agree to contribute to these costs as follows:

- a. Institute of History contributes EUR 2 000. In non-financial terms, the Institute of History will take most of the organizational efforts of the Conference.
- b. GWZO contributes EUR 1 000.
- c. Cooperative Association contributes non-financial by providing the rooms and support for the Conference in Těšnov 5, 110 00 Praha 1, Czech Republic.
- d. Institute of History and GWZO agreed to request a grant of 2 000 EUR by the German-Czech Fund for Future (Česko-německý fond budoucnosti / Deutsch-Tschechischer Zukunftsfonds) to organize the Conference. If the request is denied, the Conference costs will be reduced accordingly.
- e. The Conference received a support of 4.000 EUR from the Johann-Gottfried-Herder Forschungsrat. The support will be paid into the bank account of the main organizer (Account No: [REDACTED]; IBAN: [REDACTED]; SWIFT: [REDACTED] and will be used to cover the Conference costs solely.



3. The Parties' contributions shall be paid into the bank account of the main organizer (Account No: [REDACTED] IBAN: [REDACTED]; SWIFT: [REDACTED]), based on the invoice issued, which is due (payable) 10 days after its receipt.

4. An account of the funds spent shall be submitted by the main organizer to the other Parties within 1 month after the end of the Conference.

5. If the account of the funds spent results in a loss, the Parties undertake to reimburse this loss according to the proportion of costs specified in Article IV(2a-b) of this Agreement, within 10 days after receiving the account of the funds spent and the invoice. The Cooperative Association will not be involved in the reimbursement of the loss.

6. If the account of the funds spent results in an overpayment, the Parties agree to apportion the resulting overpayment according to the proportion of the costs specified in Article IV(2a-b) of this Agreement, no later than 10 days after receiving the account of the funds spent and the invoice. The Cooperative Association will not be involved in the apportionment of the overpayment.

#### **V. Deadline for the use of the funds**

The funds provided to the main organizer for the organization of the Conference specified in Article II(1) under this contract shall be used by 31 December 2024 at the latest, exclusively for the purposes specified in Article II(2).

#### **VI. Withdrawal from the contract**

1. The Parties shall be entitled to withdraw from this Agreement if either Party grossly breaches its obligations under this Agreement and fails to remedy the breach within a reasonable period granted to it subsequently.

2. In the event of withdrawal from this Agreement, the Parties shall be obliged to return the benefits received without undue delay, but no later than 15 days from the date of delivery of the withdrawal notice to the other Party.

#### **VII. Final provisions**

1. Amendments and additions to this Agreement may be made by mutual consent of the Parties in the form of written amendments, numbered in ascending order.

2. The Agreement has been drawn up in 3 copies, each with the force of an original, of which each Party shall receive one copy.


3. The Agreement shall enter into force on the date of signature by the last of the authorized representatives of the Parties and shall take effect on the date of its publication in the Register of Contracts of the Czech Republic.

4. The rights and obligations of the Parties, insofar as they are not provided for in this Agreement, shall be governed by the Civil Code of the Czech Republic and related regulations.


5. The Parties declare that they have duly read this Agreement and that it expresses their freely expressed will.

6. The Parties acknowledge that this Agreement is subject to publication in the Register of Contracts of the Czech Republic under Act No. 340/2015 Coll. (Act on the Register of Contracts of the Czech Republic). The Parties agree that the main organizer shall ensure the publication of the Agreement following the Act above.

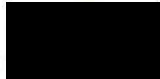
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