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DEPARTAMENTO DE RELACIONES INTERUNIVERSITARIAS E
INTERNACIONALES

**APRUEBA CONVENIO ENTRE LA UNIVERSIDAD DE
SANTIAGO DE CHILE Y GHENT UNIVERSITY, BELGICA.**

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VISTOS: El DFL N° 149 de 1981 del Ministerio de Educación y la Resolución N°6 y N°7 de 2019 de la Contraloría General de la República.

CONSIDERANDO:

La importancia para la Universidad de Santiago de Chile de promover la cooperación académica e interinstitucional e internacional y fomentar las relaciones bilaterales de carácter académico.

RESUELVO:

APRUEBESE el convenio, suscrito entre la Universidad de Santiago de Chile y Ghent University, Bélgica, con fecha 26 de noviembre de 2020 y cuyo texto es el siguiente:

**Appendix to the Partnership agreement governing
the joint supervision and awarding of a doctorate
between Ghent University and Universidad de Santiago de Chile**

The undersigned declare that they have read and accept the general doctoral rules included in the Partnership agreement for the joint supervision and awarding of a doctorate diploma between Ghent University and Universidad de Santiago de Chile dated July 1st 2019 and, as established in the second paragraph of Article 1 of the aforementioned Agreement, they hereby define the specific terms of the PhD candidate's doctorate:

1. The PhD candidate's identity details

Surname and first name: Hernández Durán, Eliseo Ignacio
Date of birth: 13/08/1993
Place of birth: Rancagua (Chile)
Nationality: Chilean
Official address (for correspondence): Arturo Prat 774, 2940455 Rengo (Chile)
E-mail address: eliseo.hernandez@usach.cl

2. Supervisors of the PhD candidate

The PhD candidate shall be supervised by the following supervisors:

- At UGent:
 - Name: Prof Roumen Petrov, PhD
 - Faculty or Department: Faculty of Engineering and Architecture
 - Position: full professor
 - Email address: roumen.petrov@ugent.be
- At U. de Santiago de Chile:
 - Name: Prof Felipe Castro Cerda, PhD
 - Faculty or Department: Department of Metallurgy
 - Position: assistant professor
 - Email address: felipe.castro@usach.cl

3. Admission to doctorate – Doctoral thesis subject

The PhD candidate has been admitted to the doctorate by the partner institutions involved:

- At UGent
 - admitted to the doctorate in Materials Engineering
 - on the following date: 26/07/2019
- At U. de Santiago de Chile
 - admitted to the doctorate in Sciences of Engineering, Mention Science and Engineering of the Materials
 - on the following date: 20/03/2017

The subject of the doctoral thesis is: Third generation advanced steels via combination of ultrafast heating and "quenching and partitioning"

4. Bench fee

In addition to the tuition fee of € 939,60, UGent charges an annual bench fee of € 8960. The bench fee is due according to the number of months that the PhD candidate effectively conducts research at UGent and covers specific extra costs associated with the research (purchase special equipment, attend field courses, specialist laboratory work ...).

5. Doctoral training programme

The PhD candidate is exempted from a compulsory doctoral training programme.

6. Residence and time schedule for the research periods

The time schedule for these research periods at each of the partner institutions is:

period from 20/03/2017 to 30/09/2019: U. de Santiago de Chile
period from 01/10/2019 to 10/03/2021: UGent

7. Doctoral thesis

For the production of the doctoral thesis, the lay-out prescriptions of the UGent will be handled. At a minimum, the logos of both partner institutions are to be clearly visible on the front page of the thesis.

8. Joint doctoral examination

The internal (private) defence and the public defence of the doctoral thesis will take place at UGent, but is acknowledged by all institutions involved.

There cannot be other evaluations organized than those explicitly mentioned in this joint PhD agreement.

9. Award of the degree

If the PhD candidate passes both parts of the joint doctoral examination, the partner institutions will award him a double degree, granting him the following degrees:

- Doctor of Materials Engineering by UGent
- Doctor en Ciencias de la Ingeniería, Mención Ciencia e Ingeniería de los Materiales by U. de Santiago de Chile

10. Confidentiality and Intellectual Property Rights

In the course of the PhD research the PhD candidate may get access to certain information of a confidential nature that the PhD candidate will keep confidential in accordance with the instructions of the disclosing party and will not use for any other purpose than the purpose it was disclosed without the prior written consent of disclosing party.

The PhD candidate will transfer all rights, title and interest in any results of his research activities to the partner institution where the research results were created or to both partner institutions if they were created with the support and with means of both partner institutions.

11. Compliance of the PhD candidate with the Partnership agreement between Ghent University and U. Santiago de Chile dated July 1st 2019

The PhD candidate shall comply with all commitments related to the PhD candidates as stipulated in the Partnership agreement for the joint supervision and awarding of a doctorate diploma between Ghent University and U. Santiago de Chile dated July 1st 2019.

12. Protection and processing of personal data

The Parties commit themselves to respect the current European Regulation EU 2016/679 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data as well as the national applicable laws. The Parties may share Personal Data of individuals involved in the collaboration for the purpose of administering such as: name, business telephone, address, and email ("Business Contact Information"). Each Party may store and otherwise process such Business Contact Information. The Parties agree that Business Contact Information will only be processed to the limited extent as required for the performance of this agreement.

If for the performance of this agreement the processing of other than Business Contact Information is necessary, the Parties commit themselves to agree and enter into a data processing agreement, which shall amend this agreement, as is reasonably required to reflect each Party's rights and obligations.

13. Duration, modification and termination of the appendix

The present appendix enters into force on 1/10/2019 and expires after the double diploma has been issued.

Modifications to this appendix will be made through a modification agreement approved by both partner institutions and signed by all signing parties of this agreement.

This appendix shall automatically be terminated if the cooperation between the PhD candidate and one of the partner institutions is terminated. In this case, the other institution will not be entitled to any form of compensation.

Drawn up in Ghent in Santiago de Chile 4 copies, October 1st 2019,

Prof Rik Van de Walle, PhD Rector UGent	Prof Juan Manuel Zolezzi Cid, PhD Rector U. de Santiago de Chile
Prof Patrick De Baets, PhD, Dean Faculty of Engineering and Architecture UGent	Juan Carlos Espinoza Ramírez, MsC Dean Faculty of Engineering U. de Santiago de Chile
Prof Roumen Petrov, PhD, Supervisor UGent	Prof Felipe Castro Cerda, PhD, Supervisor U. de Santiago de Chile
Mr Eliseo Hernández Durán, PhD candidate	

ANÓTESE Y COMUNÍQUESE,

Dr. JUAN MANUEL ZOLEZZI CID, Rector

Lo que transcribo a usted para su conocimiento.
Saluda a usted,



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