

WORLD UNIVERSITY FORUM FOR THE CREATION OF THE WORLD UNIVERSITY OF SECURITY AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE UNITED NATIONS



The Participants of the World University Forum, gathered in Assembly, on 30 May 2012, in the Conference Hall of the Public Prosecution Service of the State of Bahia, in consideration of the conclusions derived from the presentations and debates held during the World University Forum for the Creation of the World University of Security and Social Development of the United Nations, RESOLVE to adopt this Document – the SALVADOR DECLARATION – composed of the following principles:

First

The University shall be a Forum through which the International community may disseminate knowledge, based on science and technological innovation, regarding themes and issues related to human security and to the sustainable development of peoples, in the search for an ever more worthy future for the destiny of humanity.

Second

The University, as a centre for academic excellence and scientific analysis will promote diagnoses and action plans capable of informing management actions by the United Nations and the commitments shared with Governments and Institutions in favour of enhancing and improving models for public policies.

Third

The World University of Security and Social Development of the United Nations will initially provide Graduate level courses, professional development and research activities, to meet the needs for coexistence with solidarity and according to investments seeking the betterment of the social, economic and environmental indicators in each society.

Fourth

The installation of the World University of Security and Social Development of the United Nations is in harmony with the commitments of the Millennium Development Goals, which the Member States of the United Nations have committed themselves to achieving by 2015.

Fifth

The entire contents of the Proposal for the Charter for the Creation of the University are part of this Salvador Declaration, and will be submitted for the consideration of the General Assembly of the United Nations.

Sixth

The Proposal for the Charter for Creation of the University is defined with the following elements:

I – Justification;

II – Purposes;

III – Institutional Mission and Legal Status;

IV – Basic Guidelines;

V – Organisational, Academic and Administrative Structure of the University.

Seventh

The Participants of the Salvador Forum ratify the decision of the Bellagio Forum, held at the Rockefeller Foundation Center, from 4 to 8 April 2011, in Bellagio, Italy, that the headquarters for the Office of the Rector and the central administration of the University be established in Brazilian territory.

Eighth

The Participants of the Salvador Forum, constituting the International Committee of Experts for the Creation of the World University of Security and Social Development of the United Nations, place themselves at the disposal of the Government of Brazil to provide technical and scientific support in the process of establishing and organising the University.

Ninth

The Participants of the Salvador Forum express their recognition that the State of Bahia has excellent credentials for receiving the Office of the Rector and the central administration of the University.

Tenth

The Salvador Declaration and the Proposal of the Charter for Creating the World University of Security and Social Development of the United Nations will be forwarded to the Governor of the State of Bahia, the President of the Federative Republic of Brazil and the Secretary General of the United Nations.

Eleventh

The Participating Members of the Forum shall inform the Leaders of their Countries regarding the contents of the Salvador Declaration.

Final Considerations

This Document – the SALVADOR DECLARATION – was adopted in Salvador, Capital of the State of Bahia, Brazil, on 30 May 2012.

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