**Manifesto: Goiás Pact for Innovation**

The signatory entities below agree to participate in the Goiás Pact for Innovation, an instance that seeks to aggregate the main forces of the Quadruple Helix of the State of Goiás to support, define priorities and institutionally lead the movement for the development of the region.

In this context, the signatories gathered on the present date, subsequently referred to as Agents of the Pact, by common agreement and free will, sign the present manifest, in the following terms:

**First Clause: The Manifesto**

The Goiás Pact for Innovation is guided by the following MANIFESTO:

*Us, the signatory entities of this Pact, share the desire to make Goiás a national and international reference State in entrepreneurship and innovation, with the aim of transforming the State, the economy and society through talent, technology and intelligent financing.*

*For this purpose, us, Government, Academia, Business and Organized Civil Society, unite ourselves for a joint and orchestrated governance, to respond to the challenges through projects that has a positive impact on people's lives, companies and the environment.*

*Based on the values of Cooperation, Transparency, Creativity, Sustainability, Inclusion, Diversity and Respect, we are committed to work to promote projects, evaluate advances and enhance synergies between the agents of the innovation ecosystem through all the territory of Goiás.*

*TOGETHER, we will build a future towards the best version of Goiás.*

**Clause Two: the Object**

The object of this manifesto is the organization of a voluntary movement of entities from Goiás, and other national and international entities, that would collaborate for the development of the State, through science, technology and innovation, in this act referred to as the Goiás Pact for Innovation.

Paragraph One: The Agent of the Pact is understood to be the institution invited to participate in the Goiás Pact for Innovation by subscribing to this manifesto.

Paragraph Two: The Agents of the Pact, together, will actively and coordinately seek to accelerate the development of the Innovation Ecosystem of Goiás, aiming to transform the State of Goiás into an international reference in innovation.

**Clause Three: Commitments**

The Agents of the Pact commit to:

I. Use the logo of the Goiás Pact for Innovation in its projects and events related to science, technology, innovation, entrepreneurship and education, whenever possible, in actions relating/referring to the Innovation Ecosystem of Goiás;

II. To make available, whenever possible, its infrastructures, with prior scheduling, for projects, events, *workshops* or meetings of the Innovation Ecosystem, in accordance with its statutes, internal regulations and those of its oversight and inspection bodies;

III. Assign people, within their possibilities and always with prior scheduling, for projects, conferences, *workshops* and training related to the Innovation Ecosystem;

IV. To disseminate the Goiás Pact for Innovation, collaborating with the growth of the movement and with the achievement of its objectives.

**Clause Four: Duration**

This manifest shall have an indeterminate validity starting from the date of signature, and any of the Pact's Agents may request its termination at any time through written communication, respecting a notice period of 30 (thirty) days in advance.

**Clause Five: Termination**

This manifest may be amended by mutual agreement, or terminated through written communication sent by any of the Agents of the Pact, respecting the period of 30 (thirty) days in advance.

**Clause Six: Advertising**

The Agents of the Pact commit to disseminate to their partners the activities of the Goiás Pact for Innovation, as well as the messages to promote the development of the Innovation Ecosystem.

**Clause Seven: Governance**

The governance structure of the Pact will have the following composition:

a) Plenary;

b) Management Board and

c) Executive Committee.

Paragraph One: The Plenary of the Pact is formed by the entities that have signed the Goiás Pact for Innovation and has the competence to decide on the actions and projects related to the object of the manifesto and to take the resolutions appropriate to the development of the initiative.

Paragraph Two: The Management Board shall be defined by the Plenary, with the purpose of coordinating the activities, proposing the guidelines and policies of the Pact.

Paragraph Three: The Management Board shall constitute an Executive Committee to monitor and conduct activities at the operational level.

**Clause Eight: Financial Resources**

This manifesto does not involve the transfer of financial resources among the Agents of the Pact, and each signatory responsible for covering the expenses related to the implementation and development of this object.

**Clause Ninth: Amendments**

The characteristics of the Pact may be reformulated or changed by the Agents of the Pact, through a duly formalized and justified proposal, with a prior notice period of 30 (thirty) days.

Sole Paragraph: The modifications provided for in this Clause shall be formalized by an Addendum Term, duly signed by the Agents of the Pact.

Thus, because they are in full agreement with the above provisions, the Agents of the Pact subscribe to the present, according to the signatures affixed below.

In Goiânia, Brazil, on the XXXX days of XXXX of XXXX.

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