

**Memorandum  
on the cooperation  
between  
the Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg  
and  
the City of Dar es Salaam  
(2007-2008)**

Hamburg and Dar es Salaam, as major trade and port cities, and as centers of business, science and culture, have a special relationship, despite difficult phases in their shared history.

In the past two years, this contact has become much more intense as the result of reciprocal visits and concrete projects. Dar es Salaam and Hamburg want to build on these foundations, gradually develop an increasingly closer relationship, and make it possible for people from the two cities to meet. This will enable the two cities to demonstrate how a partnership between Europe and Africa can be of mutual benefit.

Specifically, Dar es Salaam and Hamburg have agreed on the following for 2007 and 2008:

1. The cooperation will include the following areas:
  - 1.1 Waste handling (Partners: Stadtreinigung Hamburg/City Solid Waste Department, Dar es Salaam): Expert exchange; technical and organizational consulting on the collecting and disposal of waste, setting up a fee system.
  - 1.2 Sewage treatment (Partners: Hamburg Wasser/Dar es Salaam Water and Sewage Authority): Expert exchange; technical and organizational consulting for Dar es Salaam.
  - 1.3 Fire brigade (Partners: Feuerwehr Hamburg/City Fire Brigade Department of Dar es Salaam): Expert exchange; consulting, training and equipment supply for the Fire Brigade in Dar es Salaam.
  - 1.4 Port management (Partners: Hamburg Port Consult and Uniconsult/Dar es Salaam Harbour Authority): Workshops for Tanzanian port experts in Hamburg and Dar es Salaam.
  - 1.5 Universities (Partners: HafenCity-Universität Hamburg/University College of Lands and Architecture): Scientific exchange on questions regarding city planning and architecture.

- 1.6 Museums (Partners: Hamburgisches Museum für Völkerkunde/National Museum of Tanzania): Expert exchange; consulting for Hamburg regarding the presentation of African exhibits; consulting for Dar es Salaam regarding museum management.
  - 1.7 Youth work (Partners: Jugendfeuerwehr Hamburg /City Fire Brigade Department of Dar es Salaam): Establishing a regular exchange for young people, training of youth leaders for youth work in Dar es Salaam.
  - 1.8 Schools: Intended are partnerships between secondary schools in the two cities, to serve as a basis for intercultural understanding and education for sustainable development
2. The two cities will support the above-mentioned activities and activities conducted by others (private organizations and initiatives, religious groups, business, trades, etc.) within the framework of their authority and competencies. Insofar as assistance by offices of the relevant national government is necessary to ensure the success of the collaborative efforts, the two cities will endeavor to obtain this support.
3. Each of the cities will name a person who will be commissioned with the coordination of the cooperation. They are:
- for Hamburg: State secretary Reinhard Stuth
  - for Dar es Salaam: Ms. Rosemary Nyerere

Each of the cities will provide its coordinator with the means necessary for fulfilling his/her responsibilities (office materials, travel expenses).

4. This memorandum applies for 2007 and 2008. In June 2008, at the latest, the two coordinators will jointly discuss how the cooperation should be continued.

5. The two cities will keep their relevant elected bodies of representatives (Hamburgische Bürgerschaft, Dar es Salaam City Council) informed about the status of the collaboration.

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