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# Non-Profit Corporation Articles of Incorporation

(Chapter 7-6-34 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, 1956, as amended)

### ARTICLE I

The name of the corporation is United Methodist University of Liberia Education Foundation

**ARTICLE II** 

The period of its duration is X Perpetual

### **ARTICLE III**

The specific purpose or purposes for which the corporation is organized are:

TO PROVIDE EDUCATIONAL AND SCHOLARSHIP SUPPORT THROUGH ACADEMIC TEACHING AND LEARNING.

## **ARTICLE IV**

Provisions, if any, not inconsistent with the law, which the incorporators elect to set forth in these articles of incorporation for the regulation of the internal affairs of the corporation are:

THE CORPORATION SHALL HAVE THE AUTHORITY TO EXERCISE ALL OF THE POWERS CONFERRED

**UPON CORPORATIONS** 

ORGANIZED NOT FOR PROFIT AND WITHOUT AUTHORITY TO ISSUE CAPITAL STOCK UNDER THE

**GENERAL CORPORATION** 

LAW OF THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND, AND AN EXEMPT ORGANIZATION DESCRIBED IN SECTION 501

(C)(3) OF THE

INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986, AS AMENDED (OR THE CORRESPONDING

PROVISION OF ANY

**FUTURE LAWS OF** 

THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND INTERNAL REVENUE LAW).

## **ARTICLE V**

The street address (post office boxes are not acceptable) of the initial registered office of the corporation is:

No. and Street: 54 STONELAW AVENUE

City or Town: PROVIDENCE State: RI Zip: 02908

## JEROME GRIFFIN

### **ARTICLE VI**

The number of directors constituting the initial Board of Directors of the Corporation is  $\underline{3}$  and the names and addresses of the persons who are to serve as the initial directors are:

Title	Individual Name	Address
	First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
DIRECTOR	JEROME GRIFFIN ED.D.	6709 LA TIJERA BLVD 122 LOS ANGELES, CA 90045 USA
DIRECTOR	JOHN G. INNIS DR.	819 FRANKLIN STREET WORCESTER, MA 01604 USA
DIRECTOR	MATOR M.F. KPANGBAI ED.D.	54 STONELAW AVE PROVIDENCE, RI 02908 USA

### **ARTICLE VII**

The name and address of the incorporator is:

Title	Individual Name	Address
	First, Middle, Last, Suffix	Address, City or Town, State, Zip Code, Country
INCORPORATOR	MATOR KPANGBAI ED.D.	54 STONELAW PROVIDENCE, RI 02908 USA

# **ARTICLE VIII**

Date when corporate existence is to begin 09/01/2017

(not prior to, nor more than 30 days after, the filing of these Articles of Incorporation)

**Signed this 30 Day of August, 2017 at 4:16:24 AM by the incorporator(s).** This electronic signature of the individual or individuals signing this instrument constitutes the affirmation or acknowledgement of the signatory, under penalties of perjury, that this instrument is that individual's act and deed or the act and deed of the corporation, and that the facts stated herein are true, as of the date of the electronic filing, in compliance with R.I. Gen. Laws § 7-6.

Enter signature(s) below. MATOR M.F. KPANGBAI

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I, NELLIE M. GORBEA, Secretary of State of the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations, hereby certify that this document, duly executed in accordance with the provisions of Title 7 of the General Laws of Rhode Island, as amended, has been filed in this office on this day:

August 30, 2017 04:15 AM

Nellie M. Gorbea Secretary of State

Tullin U. Soler

