

This **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING** is made the day of 200

between

(1) ***, a ** higher education institution, of *** ("**") acting by its Vice-Chancellor ** and

(2) **UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA**, a University established in India, of Senate House, 87/1 College Street, Kolkata - 700 073, West Bengal, India ("UC") acting by its Vice-Chancellor, Professor Suranjan Das.

together called "the Parties"

Whereas:

- (A) The Parties are both reputable providers of higher education
- (B) The Parties wish to explore the potential for the mutual enhancement of their relationship including by discussion and co-operation aimed at progressing areas of joint working as described below

It is understood that:

1. The Parties acknowledge each other's integrity, discretion and standing in respect of the students, academic matters and proper processes relating to their individual institutions
2. The Parties confirm their willingness to co-operate as educational institutions and wish to declare their current intention to develop joint working with a view to planning specific areas of collaborative activity
3. The Parties expect to conduct initial discussion through ***, on behalf of ** and Professor Suranjan Das, Vice-Chancellor on behalf of UC whilst acknowledging that all formal negotiations and proposals relating to specific students and specific programmes must be conducted subject to the Parties' own proper procedures and approvals including by senior management
4. The Parties wish to record that they expect to explore collaborative activity including without limitation in the following areas:
 - a) short courses in subject areas of mutual interest
 - b) collaborative research projects, and
 - c) the mutual provision of services in respect of matters likely to include staff development, programme support, joint workshops/seminars and other educational events, joint marketing, exchanges of staff and students and the identification of a

range of other joint projects to be considered for undertaking by the Parties in India and in the **

5. This Memorandum of Understanding shall remain valid for a period of two (2) years from the date on which it is made. The Memorandum of Understanding may be extended, subject to review, by mutual agreement of the Parties
6. Either Party may terminate this Memorandum of Understanding after giving the other party three (3) months' written notice of its intention to do so
7. Neither Party may use the name or logo of the other Party without the prior written consent of that other Party and neither Party shall represent to any third Party that the Parties have a legal relationship until there is a signed contract between the Parties in place
8. This Memorandum of Understanding is neither intended to place legally binding obligations on either party nor to give either party any authority to act on behalf of or to commit any expenditure by the other party
9. The Parties remain at liberty to discuss joint working with any third party

As witness the hands of the Parties hereto the day and year first above written

Signed for

Signed for
UNIVERSITY OF CALCUTTA

by

by

Vice-Chancellor

Professor Suranjan Das
Vice-Chancellor

in the presence of

in the presence of

Witness's name:
PROFESSOR **

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PROFESSOR **