



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

between

SLIET, LONGOWAL

and

TRIBHUVAN UNIVERSITY, KIRTIPUR



PREAMBLE

Sant Longowal Institute of Engineering and Technology, Longowal established by the Government of India in 1991 (Deemed to be university since 2007) and located in Longowal, Sangrur (Pb), India (hereinafter, 1st Party or SLIET, Longowal) and the Tribhuvan University, established in 1959 and located in Kirtipur, Nepal (hereinafter, 2nd Party) enter into this Memorandum of Understanding (hereafter, MoU) and do hereby affirm their intention to develop academic exchange and cooperation in education, research, capacity building and other related areas of mutual interest between the institutions.

ARTICLE 1: OBJECTIVES

Mutually recognizing the importance of strengthening cooperation between the Parties, this MoU aims to promote collaboration through education, research, capacity building, academic exchanges, and other related activities.

ARTICLE 2: SCOPE AND AREAS OF COOPERATION

Both the Parties agree to promote collaboration/cooperation in the following areas;

2.1 Academic exchange: exchange of students (short-term and long-term) and faculty members provided they fulfil all academic requirements of the host institution; conducting lectures and academic visits/seminars by inviting experts from both Parties; support faculty and students in participating relevant academic/scientific activities and research practices to broaden international horizons.

2.2 Research, dissemination, and capacity building ventures: joint research initiatives; exchange of scientific data/ information and research results; joint publications; capacity building activities; organizing joint symposia, conference, workshops, and meetings; sharing resources, teaching learning materials, expertise and technologies where possible; and other relevant ventures.

ARTICLE 3: FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

This MoU does not oblige any of the signing institution to commit their own regular funds towards its realization. Both parties shall, however, explore possibilities for the mobilization of required funds for financing the above-mentioned areas of cooperation.

ARTICLE 4: PROTECTION OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

Intellectual property rights shall be protected and enforced by each Party in accordance with prevailing laws, rules and regulations. Intellectual property rights developed through collaboration under this

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MoU shall be determined by the Parties through mutual consultation in a good faith of negotiation.

ARTICLE 5: IMPLEMENTATION

Implementation modalities of each type of collaboration, associated activities and financial aspects shall be mutually agreed upon on a case-by-case basis through a separate Memorandum of Agreements (MoAs).

ARTICLE 6: DISPUTE RESOLUTION

Any difference or dispute arising out of the interpretation or implementation of this MoU shall be settled amicably by the mutual consultation between the parties.

ARTICLE 7: DURATION, AMENDMENT, AND TERMINATION

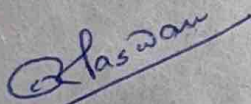
This MoU shall be effective for a period of **five (5) years** from the date of signing; and thereafter may be renewed for a longer period, unless terminated or replaced with a new MOU. It may be modified or extended by mutual written agreement by the Parties. This MoU can be terminated by either party with written notice three (3) months in advance. In case the MOU ceases to be in effect, the provisions of plans of operation shall be continued to apply to the extent necessary to secure the implementation of existing activities as agreed upon in the agreement of implementation.

ARTICLE 8: FOCAL/CONTACT PERSONS

Focal/Contact person from the 1st Party shall be Prof. Surinder Singh, Dean of Research & Consultancy and Coordinator of International Cell (Email: deanrandc@sliet.ac.in; surinder_sodhi@sliet.ac.in) and that from the 2nd Party shall be Prof. Vishnu Prasad Pandey, Executive Director, Centre for International Relations (Email: director.cir@tu.edu.np; vishnu.pandey@puc.edu.np).

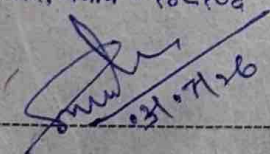
This MoU has been signed two copies in English by the undersigned representatives of the Parties in the presence of the witness hereof and have affixed their respective seals.

On Behalf of 1st Party



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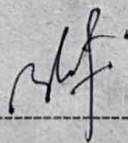
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