MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
Between
Al-Balqa Applied University
And
Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur

2020
Parties:

First Party: Al-Balqa Applied University.

Address: Salt, Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, Tel: 00962 5 353 349111, Fax: 00962 5 3532312, P. O. Box 19117, Email: (divan@bau.edu.jo), Represented by its President or designated officer hereinafter referred to as (the First Party).

Second Party: Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur,

Address: Kalyanpur, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh 208016, India, Tel: +91 512 259 0151, Email: (doir@iitk.ac.in), Represented by its Director or designated officer hereinafter referred to as (the Second Party).

Introduction:

The first party is a public university in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, one of the largest and most prestigious public universities in Jordan. Its faculties are spread throughout Jordan and contain scientific and humanitarian majors. It is an applied university that works to create applied university education opportunities in higher education in the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan. Where the second party is a public engineering institution located in Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh, India. It was declared to be an Institute of National Importance by the Government of India under the Institutes of Technology Act.

The institute was one of the first Indian Institutes of Technology, the institute was created with the assistance of a consortium of nine US research universities as part of the Kanpur Indo-American Program (KIAP).

The two parties after deciding of its legal entity to contract on the following:

Article 1. The aforementioned introduction of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is considered as integral part and reading as whole entity for all purposes and goals.

Article 2. Aims of MOU:#
The aim of this MOU is to encourage and develop cooperative projects between the two parties in the fields of education, culture and artistic activities.

**Article 3. Areas of Cooperation include, but not limited to, the following activities:**
Both institutions agreed to the following items as interactive activities:

1. Exchange of faculty members and researchers.
2. Exchange of students.
3. Joint research activities;
4. Exchange of academic materials, publications and other information;
5. Both Parties have agreed that:
   
   a. A total of 10 Students from BAU will be visiting IITK. The other expenses (other than tuition fees) of all the 10 students will be paid by the BAU. Out of these 10 students the tuition fees of 7 students will be paid by BAU while IITK will bear the tuition fees of three students.
   b. While the housing and mess charges for BAU students will be same as that of IITK students, they will be charged USD 1,500 as tuition fee per semester per student.
   c. The students will not be charged for the summer.

**Article 4.** It is known to both parties that if this agreement results in any intellectual property product or patent jointly, the product shall be the right of the two parties provided that a separate agreement need to be signed to exploit the product and/or utilize this product in any legitimate legal manner. Both parties are committed to providing legal protection for such intellectual property or patent.

**Article 5.** The laws relating to intellectual property in force in the country in which any patent or any right of intellectual property product is created shall apply to the two parties.

**Article 6.** It is known to both parties that no financial obligations are incurred by any party to other as a result of the MOU and/or the implementation of its terms.
Article 7. General Conditions:
1. It is known to the two parties that neither of them is permitted to advertise and/or use the names and logos of the other team except through written consent.
2. The two parties are committed to respect the good reputation of each team and strive to properly represent this joint cooperation.
3. This MOU can be amended by mutual consent of the parties. Any amendments to this MOU can only be made in writing and after consultation and mutual consent of the parties. Such amendments, once approved by the parties, will become part of this MOU.
4. It is agreed that neither of the two parties shall be considered as the commercial agent of the other team or its representative and shall not be entitled to appear as such in any way.

Article 8. The two parties agreed to form a joint committee that will be responsible for proposing a plan of action to activate this MOU and issue a report on the activities related to this agreement. Each party will be provided with a copy of this report.

Article 9. This MOU is valid for five years, starting from the date of the latter signature by the two parties.

Article 10. This MOU consists of an introduction and ten articles, including this article, and has been edited on four pages and in two original copies. Each party has received a copy to act accordingly.

First Party
Al-Balqa Applied University
President
Professor Abdallah S. Al-Zoubi
Date: 14, May, 2020

Second Party
Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur
Director
Professor Abhay Karandikar
Date: 14 May 2020