



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
THE INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY KANPUR
AND
THE UNIVERSITY OF OSLO, NORWAY

Preamble

With the view of promoting cooperation in academic education and research between the Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur, and the University of Oslo, Norway, the following agreement is established:

Article 1

The cooperation may concern any field or subject upon which the parties agree. It will include various activities, such as:

1. Collaborative research, lectures and symposia
2. Exchange of scholars and researchers
3. Exchange of students
4. Exchange of information and materials in fields which are of interest to both parties

Article 2

Implementation of exchange or other kinds of cooperation based on this agreement shall be the concern of the relevant faculties or departments on a case-by-case basis. Cooperation at present is mainly based on existing research cooperation within the Geosciences, particularly within the fields of Hydrology, Glaciology, and Climate with a focus on Energy Resources. A specific plan shall be worked out for each joint activity, including details regarding common data-sharing, and intellectual property rights, in research projects where this is relevant. This plan shall also ensure that appropriate arrangements are made before the arrival of a faculty member or a student to the host university.

Article 3

Both universities shall seek financing of joint activities from sources available to them.

Article 4

This agreement shall take effect upon the date of signatures and will remain valid for a period of 5 years and thereafter, it will be renewed automatically for another 5-year period, unless one party notifies the other of its wish to terminate the agreement, at least ninety days in advance.

Article 5

This agreement is written in two originals in English, both of equal validity.



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