

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between



Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur,  
West Bengal, India

And



National Institute of Technical Teachers' Training  
and Research (NITTTR), Kolkata, India



This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as "MOU") is made on this 22<sup>ND</sup> day of JUNE 2021

**BETWEEN**

**Indian institute of Technology- Kharagpur** (hereinafter referred to as "IIT-Kgp") a public technical and research institute established by the government of India in Kharagpur, West Bengal, India, Kharagpur, India – 721302

**AND**

**National Institute of Technical Teachers' Training and Research, Kolkata** (hereinafter referred to as "NITTTR, Kolkata") established under Ministry of Education, Govt. of India whose address is at Block-FC, Sector-III, Salt Lake City, Kolkata 700106, West Bengal, India.

**IIT-KGP and NITTTR, Kolkata** referred to singularly as "the Party" and collectively as "the Parties".

**OBJECTIVE**

Each Party will, subject to the laws, rules, regulations and national policies from to time to time in force, governing the subject matter in their respective countries, endeavour to take necessary steps to encourage and promote co-operation in the following areas:

1. Identifying opportunities for **faculty training in customized training program (in both content and pedagogy including online pedagogy)**. Arrangements will be made on a need basis through needs assessment.
2. Identifying opportunities for **exchange of faculty, student and resource** in case to case basis
3. Strengthen Incubation Centre activities for mutual benefit by conducting appropriate joint programmes and activities
4. Conduct entrepreneurship development activities by undertaking collaborative activities
5. Development and mutual sharing of virtual laboratory facilities for training purpose
6. Promote Indian Knowledge System and Ancient Indian STEM in various ways
7. Sharing and exchange of Educational Technology facility for mutual benefit by conducting training and educational research



#### Agreed Strategies:

The parties will cooperate, map, and implement mutually beneficial activities and programs, which may include:

1. Organizing joint **seminars, workshops, symposia, and/or conferences** through different physical and online platforms
2. Other **innovative educational and training** activities including research in engineering and technical education system

#### Agreed Parameters:

1. This document sets out an understanding that has been reached and as such is not intended to be legally enforceable.
2. Each party acknowledges that the other remains independent and that this understanding confers no rights unless by express agreement, and that each have external limits on the extent and nature of cooperation permitted between the parties.
3. The parties recognize that they are separate organizations and subject to different accountabilities and organizational guidelines.
4. In case of disputes arising out of or related to any of the clauses contained in the MOU, it would be attempted to resolve the same bilaterally.
5. This Memorandum of Understanding will come into effect on the date of signing and will remain in effect for a period of five (5) years or until the termination by either party with Three (3) months prior written notice. However, in case of such early termination, all existing commitments will continue to be honoured and all ongoing activities will be brought to successful completion.

#### FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

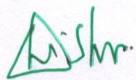
1. This MOU will not give rise to any financial obligation by one Party to other.
2. Each Party will bear its own cost and expenses in relation to this MOU.
3. All financial terms and conditions related to joint activities will be governed by separate activity specific agreements.



Communication:

Any communication under this Memorandum of understanding (MOU) will be sent to the Registrar of Indian Institute of Technology, West Bengal, India, Kharagpur, India - 721302 and to the Sr. Administrative Officer, Block- FC, Sector-III, Salt Lake City, Kolkata 700106 for NITTTR, Kolkata.

Signed this 22<sup>ND</sup> day of JUNE 2021

  
Signature-----

**Prof. Debi Prasad Mishra**

Director

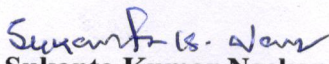
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