MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING



ITM UINIVERSITY GWALIOR



and

JIWAJI UNIVERSITY GWALIOR

Whereas both the parties are higher education institutions with full legal capacity to establish commitments and whose mission includes providing quality learning opportunities to the students and communities as well as promotes academic research.

This **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING** (MOU) is concluded between following parties:

ITM UNIVERSITY GWALIOR including ITM GROUP OF INSTITUTIONS GWALIOR, which expression shall mean and include its successors in interest and assigns of the first part (hereinafter referred to as ITM), and

JIWAJI UNIVERSITY GWALIOR which expression shall mean and include its successors in interest and assigns of the second part (hereinafter referred to as JU)

Whereas both parties consider the promotion and support of teaching, research and community outreach to be of primary importance in the fulfillment of their mission goals and objectives.

- The MoU shall establish the criteria under which ITM and JU will carry our collaborative activities of mutual interest with due approvals of their respective statutory bodies.
- 2. Both parties agree to cooperate under the following areas of mutually acceptable interest.
 - (a) Exchange of Scientific and Technical information.
 - (b) Organizing cooperative scientific meetings such as joint workshops, symposia topic of common interest.

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- (c) Development and implementation of joint research projects/ research work.
- (d) Capacity building of Scientists, researchers & staff, including scholarships, exchange and training for scientists, researcher and staff.
- (e) Joint publications of books and journals.
- (f) Other activities mutually agreed upon by the parties.
- (g) Use of infrastructure, laboratory instruments, library, manpower, facilities for the welfare for each other by mutual consent.
- (h) Any other mutually agreed activity that would benefit both institutions.

3. GENERAL

- 3.1 The Jiwaji University has faculty/scientists in Sciences, Management and humanities who have enough capabilities to teach and conduct basic research in their areas of specializations.
- 3.2 The ITM has faculty/scientists who have enough capabilities to conduct basic research in Engineering, Sciences, Management, Agriculture, Nursing and possess expertise in teaching, research and have setup IDEA-PAD as a technology Incubator.

4. ACADEMIC AND DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES

- 4.1 The faculty of ITM and JU may participate in the teaching programs of each other's Institutions in the areas of Engineering, Sciences, Management, Agriculture, Nursing and other areas of mutual interest on request and subject to mutual convenience. For the mutual benefit of the two institutions, ITM and Jiwaji University, there will be exchange of faculty members/research students/PG students as per mutual convenience. Honorarium for the lectures delivered will be paid by respective Institutions as per Institutional norms.
- 4.2 The faculty of ITM and faculty members of Departments of Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Engineering, Management, Biology based subjects etc. of Jiwaji University will work towards joint research projects in areas of mutual interest, thereby mutually using leading research facilities developed in ITM and Jiwaji University.

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- **4.3** Also, both the ITM Jiwaji University would extend technical assistance to to each other in digitalization and developing online services in administrative as well as academic sectors.
- 4.4 The Faculty working at the ITM/JU shall be recognized as Ph. D supervisors/co-supervisors with due approval of the competent statutory bodies. The candidate may opt for co-supervisors from either of the universities (ITM/JU) as deemed necessary for the research work. Provided faculty members of the ITM/JU should fulfill the qualifications to become a research co-supervisor as per their Ordinances.
- **4.5** Both the parties agree to cooperate in the design of academic courses and programs. Training programs of specific duration may be organized by mutual consent for the benefit of students enrolled in both Universities.
- **4.6** Both Universities agree to extend technical assistance to each other in setting up of Incubator in desired fields.
- **4.7** Ph.D. students of both University may be allowed to carry out partial research work in partner University with the consent of respective Deans of Schools/Heads & departments and approval of VC/Director. Both are agree to extend their research facilities and expertise to research students depending on the resource available. While carrying out studies analysis, shall be governed by ITM/JU rules as applicable.
- **4.8** For any IPR data and information resulting from collaborative research activities under this MoU, shall be shared as per the separate agreement to be executed on case to case basis.

5. DURATION AND OTHER TERMS OF MoU

- 5.1 The MoU will be effective for a period of 10 years from the date of signature. The duration may be extended with the consent of both the parties under mutually agreed terms and conditions. The MoU may be terminated by either party by giving one year notice in writing.
- 5.2 Nodal officers may be designated by both parties to coordinate and function as per the modalities of MoU

- 5.3 It is further agreed that the Vice-Chancellor, Jiwaji University and Vice Chancellor ITM University & Director ITM-GOI through periodic meetings will monitor the progress of this MoU. Any change/modification/termination as introduced/ suggested by the Review Committee (comprising of Vice-Chancellor, Jiwaji University and Vice Chancellor ITM University & Director ITM) will be binding on both the organizations.
- 5.4 This Memorandum of understanding reflects the respective Institution's commitments to terms and conditions mentioned in MOU. This memorandum of understanding may be amended or terminated at any time by either party provided that notice of termination or amendment is given by the notifying party to the other party before thirty (30) days of the date on which the termination or the amendment is intended to become effective. The commitments, made before the date of termination of MOU, will continue to be operative.
- 5.5 Any dispute and for controversy arising from the interpretation or application of this MoU shall be settled amicably through consultation or negotiation by the parties within the spirit of collaboration equality and sincerely.

For ITM UNIVERSITY GWALIOR	For JIWAJI UNIVERSITY GWALIOR
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