

# **Guidelines for Administering MoUs**

#### Purpose:

To ensure the effective administration and utilization of Memorandums of Understanding (MoUs) for fostering collaborations and achieving the objectives outlined in each agreement.

# **1.** Appointment of MoU Ambassador:

- Each MoU will have a dedicated **MoU Ambassador**, who will be a faculty member deputed by the concerned Dean or HoD.
- The MoU Ambassador will be responsible for ensuring the MoU remains functional, effective, and aligned with its objectives.

# 2. Responsibilities of the MoU Ambassador:

### • Monthly Reporting:

- Submit a **monthly report** detailing the status and progress of the MoU.
- The report should include:
  - Activities conducted under the MoU.
  - Challenges faced in implementation.
  - Suggestions for improvement or further collaboration.

### • Annual Planning:

- By July 15th every year, the MoU Ambassador must submit a Plan of Activities for the upcoming academic year.
- The plan should include specific, measurable, and time-bound activities aligned with the MoU's objectives.

# 3. Mandatory Activities:

- A minimum of two activities must be conducted in each half of the year:
  - First Half (July to December): At least two activities by December.
  - Second Half (January to June): At least two activities by June.
- Activities may include:
  - Guest lectures, workshops, or seminars.



- Collaborative research projects.
- Exchange programs (students, faculty, or industry experts).
- Joint conferences or symposiums.
- Curriculum enhancement initiatives.
- Any other activity as outlines in the MoU.

#### 4. Reporting Format:

- Reports must be submitted using the prescribed format, including:
  - Title and description of activities conducted.
  - Outcomes achieved.
  - Supporting documents (photos-geotagged, attendance sheets, feedback).
  - Proposed improvements for subsequent activities.
- The reports should be uploaded on Prabandh.

#### 5. Monitoring and Evaluation:

- The Dean or HoD will review the monthly reports and ensure compliance with the MoU objectives.
- A **bimontly review meeting** will be conducted to evaluate the progress and impact of the MoUs.
- Non-compliance or underperformance may result in the reassignment of the MoU Ambassador or revision of the MoU's terms.

### 6. Closure or Renewal of MoU:

- Before the MoU's term ends, the Ambassador must submit a **comprehensive report** detailing:
  - Key achievements and outcomes.
  - Challenges encountered.
  - Recommendations for renewal or closure.
- Decisions on renewal will be based on the MoU's impact and alignment with institutional goals.

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By adhering to these guidelines, ITM University aims to maintain meaningful collaborations and maximize the benefits of every MoU.