



Memorandum of Understanding

Between

Rabindranath Tagore University, Bhopal

And

Sanchi University of Buddhist-Indic Studies, Sanchi

This memorandum of understanding (here in after called as the 'MOU') is entered into on this the (Date 30/10/2021), by and between Rabindranath Tagore University, Bhopal (Here in after first party) and Sanchi University of Buddhist-Indic Studies (Here in after SUBIS is called second party).

The Parties,

Rabindranath Tagore University (formerly known as AISECT University) Madhya Pradesh's first private University, established in 2010, is a leading skill-based university of central India. The University was established by India's leading education and skills organization, ALL INDIA SOCIETY FOR ELECTRONICS AND COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY (AISECT). The University is ranked among top 200 universities by NIRF in 2019 and 2020 by MHRD (Govt. of India). The University also got NAAC 'B' grade. The University is running programmes in faculties like Engineering, Education, Management, Law, Information Technology, Arts, Science, Commerce, Nursing and Paramedical. It focuses on imparting skills and knowledge to empower students for employment and entrepreneurship. The University has also created entrepreneurship cell, IPR cell, Industry Academia cell, incubation center with start-up cell. The University has established a Pradhan Mantri Kaushal Kendra in the campus and has also set up Atal Incubation Centre by Niti Aayog, Govt. of India in the campus. The University is having rich Library, Computer center and advanced research-based software labs. The University is known for its Research in the areas of renewable energy, material science, seismic energy, agriculture and arts and culture. In this context the University has set up 9 centers of excellence*. The University is carrying out research project from DRDO (Govt. of India), NCTU (Taiwan) and IIT Delhi, Bio Diversity Board (Govt. of M.P.) etc. The University has excellent placement record, more that 80% student get placed. In short span of 10 years the University has got various awards and accolades at national and international levels. The University is recognized by UGC and member of AIU and ACU. The University institutes got approvals from AICTE, NCTE, BCI, INC and Paramedical Council of Madhya Pradesh

And

The Sanchi University of Buddhist-Indic Studies (hereinafter referred to as SUBIS), with its headquarters in Sanchi, Salamatpur Dist. Raisen MP India is a unique University in the Country catering to global outreach and Internationalizing Indian academics, art, educational commitments and traditions. The Mission is to inculcate Global Priorities, Educational commitment, Environment and initiatives in safe and academically rich Sanchi University to motivate India Courses abroad and foreign students' registration in Raisen MP for mutual benefit.; to reach out to far of countries through Languages, Diaspora initiatives, Cultural richness, Intellectual pursuits, Collaborative academic events.; to enhance Global interdependence bringing in one window solution to create large bouquet of continents' presence in Madhya Pradesh; to reach out to all institutions of academic importance through courses, care and colloquial.



ARTICLE1: OBJECT

Both institutes agree to develop the following collaborative activities in the academic areas of mutual interest on the basis of equality and reciprocity.

The two institutions shall seek to promote

a. Faculty exchanges

- The exchange of faculty to the mutual benefit of both institutions.
- Collaboration in Teaching, research and development and consultancy studies in the field of mutual interest.
- Exchange of academic materials and publications.
- Conducting Lectures.
- Undertaking joint research.
- Attachment of staff purpose of curriculum development and review, upgrading of teaching and research skills.
- Participating in seminars, workshops, conferences, symposiums and other types of academic discussions.
- Conducting joint consultancy work.

A specific plan will be worked out for each activity; setting forth detailed arrangements for collaboration will be agreed. Terms and conditions for each visit or such exchange including those concerning monetary implications will be worked out between the institutes. A Separate agreement will be entered as per requirements.

b. Student Exchange

RNTU and SUBIS agree that student exchange will be guided by principles listed below:

A home institution refers to the institution where a student is a full-time student and from where he/she is expected to graduate. A host intuition refers to an institution that receives a student for a brief period of time to undertake a pre-determined programme of study and research (mutually agreed upon in advance).

- I. Exchange students will be selected by mutual agreement between the home institution and the host institution.
- II. His/her programme of study at the host institution will be determined by mutual consultation between his/her academic advisor at the home institution and his/her "interim" academic advisor identified by the host institution.
- III. Since the host and home institution is within the same city, travel and food arrangements during the events can be made by the host institution on prior information.

c. Placements

- I. To exchange information on fairs pertaining to placement, training on placements and placement drives.
- II. To jointly organize placement drives.

d. Skill Development Programs

- I. To exchange information on Skill development programmes.
- II. To jointly organize short term Skill development Programmes and to invite each other's students to participate therein.

e. Entrepreneurial Activities

- I. To exchange information on Entrepreneurial Activities
- II. To jointly organize **Entrepreneurial workshops** and training activities and to invite each other's students to participate therein.
- III. To promote and encourage students' entrepreneurs.

f. Other areas

- 1. To exchange information or research and educational programmes.
- II. To exchange information on teaching material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programmes.
- III. To jointly organize short-term continuing education programmes on topic of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.
- IV. To organize jointly seminars, conference or workshops on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.
- V. To propose and engage jointly in research or training programme sponsored by funding agencies and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.



- VI. The provision of culture and intellectual enrichment opportunities for staff and students of both institutes.
- VII. To use laboratory facilities in specific cases with prior information.
- VIII. To permit students, staff and faculty members to use library facility.

ARTICLE 2: COORDINATION

Each institution shall appoint one member of its teaching/ research faculty to coordinate the programme on its behalf. Further, a coordination committee consisting of a programme coordinator from the side of SUBIS and a program coordinator from the side of RNTU will periodically review and identify ways to strengthen cooperation between the two institutions.

ARTICLE 3: VALIDITY

The memorandum shall remain in force for a period of FIVE years commencing from effective date. Institutions may extend the term by written agreement signed by both after review.

ARTICLE 4: TERMINATION

Either institution may terminate the MOU by giving written notice of three months in advance to the other institution. Once terminated, neither SUBIS nor RNTU will be responsible for any losses, financial or otherwise, which the other institutions may suffer. However, SUBIS and RNTU will ensure that the provisions of this Memorandum shall continue to apply to all activities in progress until their completion.

ARTICLE 5: AMENDMENTS/ MODIFICATIONS

This MOU may be amended or modifies by a written agreement signed by the representatives of both institutions.

ARTICLE 6: ADHERENCE TO LAWS

Participating faculties, Staff and students involved in any activities under this memorandum must adhere to the law of the country and rules and regulations of the institutions.

ARTICLE 7: LEGAL EFFECT

Nothing in this memorandum shall be constructed as creating any legal relationship between the institutes. This Memorandum is a statement of intent to foster genuine and mutually beneficial collaboration.

ARTICLE 8: DISPUTE RESOLUTION

In case, there be a dispute to any aspect of academic cooperation. Authorized Signatory, RNTU and Authorized Signatory, SUBIS will jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence, mutual respect and shared responsibility.

RNTU and SUBIS welcome the establishment of this Memorandum for cooperation and jointly agree to the provisions as set out above.

Signed For

Authorized \$ignatory *

Rabindranath Tagore University,

Bhopal

Witness 1:

Signature.

Designation....

Authorized Signatory

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Sanchi University of Buddhist-Indic Studies Sanchi, Raisen, MP

Witness 2:

Signature....

Name Vikas Zain

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