

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

*This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter called as the 'MoU') is entered into on this February 21, 2022, Monday*

*Between*

*Ahwaja Moinuddin Chisti Language University (KMCLU)*

*And*

*University of Lucknow (LU)*

*A. Objective : In particular, this MOU is intended to*



*The goal is to foster collaboration, provide opportunity for global experience, and to facilitate advancement of knowledge on the basis of reciprocity, best effort, mutual benefit, and frequent interactions. KMCLU and LU agree:*

- a) To exchange information on research and educational programmes.*
- b) To exchange information on teaching, learning material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programmes.*
- c) To jointly organize short-term education programmes on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.*
- d) To jointly organize seminars, conferences, or workshops on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.*
- e) To jointly propose and engage in research or training programmes sponsored by funding agencies, and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.*
- f) To exchange, on a reciprocal basis, students at Undergraduate, Graduate and Doctoral levels for limited periods of time for purpose of education and/or research.*

*KMCLU and LU further agree that detailed terms and conditions that guide each activity identified above will be separately determined and agreed upon by the two institutions. These terms shall include a technical description of the proposed activity, financial arrangements, and person(s) responsible for its implementation. etc.*

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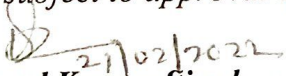
- B. Joint Sponsored Research, Development and Consulting* KMCLU and LU agree to help collaborate and invite faculty members to participate in research or development programmes. The detailed terms and conditions to govern the aforementioned collaborative programmes will be framed on the basis of mutual agreement between KMCLU and LU.
- C. Exchange of Faculty and Staff* KMCLU and LU agree to encourage collaboration between faculty and students from the two institutions. Specifically, institutions will encourage members of their faculties to undertake short visits to or take up fixed term visiting assignments at each other's institution as per the existing norms. Terms and conditions for each visit or an assignment, including those concerning stipend, travel, and housing, name of the concerned faculty member will be worked out between KMCLU and LU. Notwithstanding the above, KMCLU and LU will examine ways to identify financial resources to fund international travel by their faculty/students.
- D. Exchange of Scientific and Technical Material* : KMCLU and LU will exchange information on research and educational programmes and teaching learning material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programmes. Also, KMCLU and LU agree to explore ways to share teaching/learning material, and other relevant literature, while respecting each other's intellectual property and other rights. Further, if both the institutes will utilize each other's lab facility such as Media lab they will pay a nominal charge to the host institution on the account of services/space/premises to the host institution as per the decision taken by the Executive Council and Finance Committee of the host institution.
- E. Joint Conferences, workshops and short-term courses* : KMCLU and LU agree to help identify and invite faculty members from the other institution to participate in conferences, workshops and short-term courses. The terms and conditions for such participation will be worked out by mutual agreement between KMCLU and LU.
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F. **Intellectual Property** : KMCLU and LU agree to respect each other's rights to intellectual property. Further, the intellectual property rights that arise as a result of any collaborative research or activity under this MoU will be worked out on a case-by-case basis, and will be consistent with the officially laid down IPR policies of the two institutions.

G. **Co-ordination** : Each institution shall appoint one member of its teaching/research faculty to coordinate the programme on its behalf.


H. **Tenure and Termination** : This MoU will take effect from the date it is signed by representatives of the two institutions. It will remain valid for 12 months, and may be continued thereafter after suitable review and agreement. Either institution may terminate the MoU by giving written notice to the other institution six months in advance. Once terminated, neither KMCLU nor LU will be responsible for any losses, financial or otherwise, which the other institutions may suffer. However, KMCLU and LU will ensure that all activities in progress are allowed to complete successfully.

I. **Arbitration Clause** : Should there be a dispute relating to any aspect of academic cooperation, Registrar, KMCLU and Registrar, LU will jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence, mutual respect, and shared responsibility. This MoU is signed subject to approval of the respective academic/administrative bodies.

  
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