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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as MoU) is made and entered into as of 20-02-2020 (effective date) to establish an affiliation by and between

PG DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE, SAFA COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE, POOKATTIRI, EDAYUR P.O., VALANCHERY, MALAPPURAM DIST., KERALA – 676552, established in 2009, affiliated to University of Calicut, hereinafter referred to as PG Department of English, Safa College, as the *First Party*

And

DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH, GEMS ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE, RAMAPURAM, KADUNGAPURAM P.O., MALAPPURAM DIST., KERALA – 679321, established in 2008, affiliated to University of Calicut, hereinafter referred to as Department of English, GEMS College, as the *Second Party*.

This MoU is based on the decision taken by both parties on 03-02-2020



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PREAMBLE

SAFA COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE, POOKKATTIRI and GEMS ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE, RAMAPURAM have many areas of common interest in various disciplines. In some of these areas, the degree of mutual interest is so great that considerable advantage may be gained from pursuit on a collaborative basis in the fields of academics, education and research. Both parties have agreed to enter into an agreement at the institutional level with mutual understanding to achieve its objectives, through various students benefit programmes for academic, technological, socio-cultural promotion considering the scope and challenges of the new National Education Policy 2020 with the following identified but not limited to objectives

ARTICLE 1: OBJECTIVE

This MoU is based on the decision taken in the discussion of both parties on 03-02-2020, whereas both parties agreed to associate and carry-out the academic activities to improve the knowledge in academic areas of mutual interest, on a basis of equality and reciprocity. Now both parties have agreed to enter into this MoU formulated as per below mentioned terms and conditions:

1. To provide academic guidance and instructions based on PG and UG syllabus of University of Calicut,
2. First Party & Second Party believe that collaboration and cooperation between themselves will promote more effective use of each of their resources, and provide each of them with enhanced opportunities
3. Both the Parties intend to co-operate and focus their efforts on co-operation within the areas of Skill Based Training and Education.

ARTICLE 2: PURPOSE

The departments aim to create a framework or platform of collaboration in areas that may include, but not restricted to, the following:

a. Academic Tie Up

1. **Exchange of Faculty and staff:** Faculty members of both departments may deliver offline/online lecture(s) as resource persons for portions or special topics of a few identified courses with mutual consultation at a mutually convenient timing. On the lecture(s) or interactions, the faculty member may be considered to be on duty at the

beneficiary institution. Heads of the Institution may mutually alter the dates if such duties of assigned faculty members are seen to hamper important academic or evaluation assignments at his / her place of posting.

2. **Joint organization of Seminars / Symposia / Workshop:** Seminars / Workshop / Symposia may be jointly organized by faculty members of the Departments of both institutions.
3. **Guidance in Career counseling:** The Departments will share information on career counseling and opportunities for higher students in India and abroad.
4. **Joint organization of Placement drive:** Both Departments will jointly organize Placement Drives for the benefit of the graduating and graduated students. This is a non-binding MoU and there shall be no financial obligation on the part of either institution.
5. **Exchange of research and educational materials, Publications and academic Information:** Both parties will share resources such as Library, e-Library and Resource centres for the benefit for the undergraduate and postgraduate students of both institutions for the purpose of research and study.
6. **Co-supervising post-graduate students:** Both Departments may co-supervise student projects/dissertations. This is a non-binding MoU and there shall be no obligation on the part of either departments

b. Student Exchanges

Student exchange activities (at graduate and post graduate level) cover visits to either institution for any of the following purposes:

1. Participating in events/programmes organized by the departments;
2. Participating in taught classes;
3. Availing of academic and non-academic resources for the purpose of research and study.

ARTICLE 3: CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

Both *PG Department of English, Safa College* and *Department of English, GEMS College* agree that any information which is exchanged pursuant to this Memorandum

of Understanding will be kept strictly confidential and used solely for the purpose covered by this Memorandum of Understanding, unless such information was obtained by a third party who does not have an obligation of confidentiality toward the information-disclosing party and entered public domain.

ARTICLE 4: INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

Ownership of any intellectual property (including but not limited to confidential information, know-how, patents, copyrights, design rights, rights relating to computer software, and any other industrial or intellectual property rights) developed jointly during the course of this MOU shall be vested in both institutes to this Memorandum.

Both institutes shall have the joint right to determine the commercial exploitation and disposition of such intellectual property, and both institutes shall make joint applications for the registration of the same. Before any registration or commercialisation of any intellectual property takes place, the institutes agree to reach a separate agreement covering issues such as exploitation rights and revenue sharing.

Any publication regarding such intellectual property shall only be possible with the prior written consent of both institutes, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld.

ARTICLE 5: RENEWAL, TERMINATION AND AMENDMENT

This Memorandum of Understanding shall enter into force on the date of signing and shall initially be valid for a period of three years. Thereafter both parties shall agree on mutual consent on the continued validity of this Memorandum of Understanding.

In any other circumstance, or other detailed collaboration between the two parties, a separate MoU shall be drawn up as and when required.

The Departments, PG Department of English, Safa College and Department of English, GEMS, agree that this Memorandum of Understanding shall enter into force on the basis of goodwill and shall not be legally bound. Nothing mentioned in this Memorandum of Understanding shall deem constitute partnership between the signing Institutions appointing one party as an agent of the other.

This Memorandum of Understanding will be effective upon signature by both the Head of Institutions for a period of three years, at which time it will be reviewed for possible renewal for further three-year period. Either party may, on three (03) month notice in writing,

terminate the MoU in advance of its normal expiration or request the recognition of its conditions.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the duly authorized officers of the parties have executed this Memorandum of Understanding/ Agreement on the date, month and year herein mentioned above.

Signed in duplicate, in English language by:

For and on behalf of

PG DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE
SAFA COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE,
POOKATTIRI

Signature:

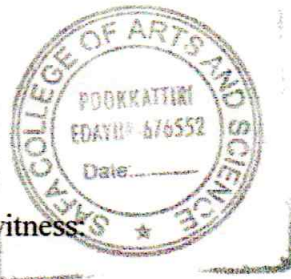
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Official Seal:



In presence of witness:

WITNESS:

Signature:

Name: Mohamed Shamir P
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For and on behalf of

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Signature:

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