



Kopergaon Taluka Education Society's

K. J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce and Science, Kopergaon

CRITERION- 3

RESEARCH, INNOVATION AND EXTENSION

Key Indicator- 3.5 Collaboration

International MoU Documentation

with

**K. J. Somaiya College and UiTM, MARA
University, Kedah Branch, Malaysia.**

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN



**UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MARA
MALAYSIA**

AND



**KOPARGAON TALUKA EDUCATION SOCIETY'S
K. J. SOMAIYA COLLEGE OF ARTS, COMMERCE &
SCIENCE, KOPARGAON, MAHARASHTRA, INDIA**

**ON FRIENDSHIP AND COOPERATION, PROMOTION OF
MUTUAL UNDERSTANDING, ACADEMIC, CULTURAL AND
SCIENTIFIC THOUGHT AND PERSONNEL EXCHANGE**

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This **Memorandum of Understanding** is executed on this ^{14th} day of **July**.....2022.

BETWEEN

UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MARA (hereinafter referred to as "**UiTM**"), an institution of higher learning established under the Universiti Teknologi MARA Act 1976 whose address is at Chancellery, Universiti Teknologi MARA, 40450 Shah Alam, Selangor Malaysia and shall include its lawful representatives and permitted assigns;

AND

K.T. E. Society's, K. J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce & Science, Kopergaon (hereinafter referred to as "**K.T. E. Society's, K. J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce & Science, Kopergaon**"), an Institution of Higher Education affiliated to Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune (SPPU) and established under the 2(f) & 12 (B) of the UGC Act, 1956 whose address is at **K.T. E. Society's, K. J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce & Science, Kopergaon, Dist. – Ahmednagar, State – Maharashtra, India (423601)** and shall include its lawful representatives and permitted assigns;

(Hereinafter referred to singularly as "the Party" and collectively as "the Parties")

WHEREAS

- A. **UiTM** is an established University with a track record of educational excellence and research and with a dynamic programme of collaborative arrangements with many international counterparts.
- B. **K.T. E. Society's, K.J.Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce & Science, Kopergaon** is an established College which strives to strengthen its educational abilities and research and has entered into various collaborative arrangements with

others to enhance its academic links and cooperation for rural mass in the vicinity of Kopargaon Taluka.

- C. The Parties are desirous of entering this Memorandum of Understanding to declare their respective intentions and to establish a basis of cooperation and collaboration between the Parties upon the terms as contained herein.

NOW THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITNESSES AS FOLLOWS:

ARTICLE 1: OBJECTIVE

The Parties, subject to the terms of this Memorandum of Understanding and the laws, rules, regulations, and national policies from time to time in force in each party's country, shall endeavour to strengthen, promote and develop academic, cultural and research co- operation between the Parties on the basis of equality and mutual benefit.

ARTICLE 2: AREAS OF COOPERATION

2.1 Both parties agree to encourage the following activities, in particular, to promote international academic cooperation in the following areas:

- i. institutional exchanges between faculty and staff from each partner institution;
- ii. acceptance of undergraduate and graduate students of each partner institution for periods of study and/or research;
- iii. organization of symposia, conferences, short courses, and meetings on research issues;
- iv. exchange of information pertaining to developments in teaching, student development and research institutions;
- v. mutually promote information and activities of the other Party within the scope of the Memorandum of Understanding on their respective websites (subject to prior written approval for the use of any logos or trademarks); and
- vi. cooperation in any other areas as agreed to by the Parties from time to time.

2.2 For the purpose of implementing the co-operation in respect of any areas stated in paragraph 2.1 the Parties shall enter into legally binding agreements subject to terms and conditions as mutually agreed upon by the parties including clauses on "confidentiality", "suspension", "protection of intellectual property rights" and "settlement of disputes".

ARTICLE 3: FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENTS

- 3.1 This Memorandum of Understanding shall not give rise to any financial obligation by one Party to the other.
- 3.2 Each Party shall bear its own cost and expenses in the implementation of this Memorandum of Understanding.

ARTICLE 4: EFFECT OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding serves only as a record of the Parties' intentions and does not constitute or create, any legally binding or enforceable obligations, express or implied, under domestic or international law.

ARTICLE 5: NO AGENCY

Nothing contained herein is to be construed so as to constitute a joint venture partnership or formal business organisation of any kind between the Parties or so to constitute either party as the agent of the other.

ARTICLE 6: ENTRY INTO EFFECT AND DURATION

- 6.1 This Memorandum of Understanding shall become effective as of the date of signatures of both parties, or if the dates vary, then the date of the later signature.
- 6.2 This Memorandum of Understanding shall remain in effect for a period of **THREE (3)** years.

- 6.3 This Memorandum of Understanding may be extended for such further period as may be agreed upon in writing by both parties.

ARTICLE 7: TERMINATION

This Memorandum of Understanding may be terminated by either party with a minimum of THIRTY (30) days written notice. Activities in progress at the time of termination of this Memorandum of Understanding shall be permitted to conclude as planned unless otherwise agreed.

ARTICLE 8: NOTICES

Any communication under this MoU shall be in writing in the English language and delivered by registered mail to the address or sent to the electronic mail address or facsimile number of **UiTM** or the **K.J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce & Science**, as the case may be, shown below or to such other address or electronic mail address or facsimile number as either Party may have notified the other Party and shall, unless otherwise provided herein, be deemed to be duly given or made when delivered to the recipient at such address or electronic mail address or facsimile number which is duly acknowledged:

To Universiti Teknologi MARA

Address : Universiti Teknologi MARA Kedah Branch
: 08400 Merbok, Kedah, Malaysia.

Attention : **SYAZLIYATI BINTI IBRAHIM**

Tel No. : +604-4562000

Fax No. : +604-4562223

E-mail : syazliyati@uitm.edu.my

To **K.J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce & Science, Kopargaon**

Address : Kopargaon, Dist. – Ahmednagar,
: State – Maharashtra, India (423601)

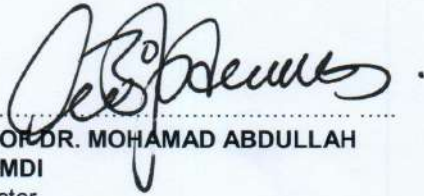
Attention : **DR. RAVINDRA ASHOK JADHAV**

Tel No. : +917057328879,

E-mail : ravindrajadhavitc@gmail.com

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective organizations, sign this Memorandum on the date as above written.

SIGNED by, for and on behalf of
**UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MARA
MALAYSIA**



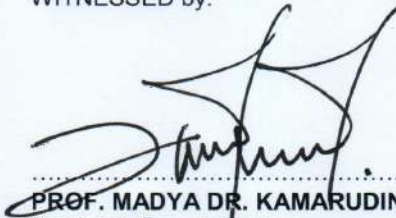
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**PROF. DR. MOHAMAD ABDULLAH
HEMDI**
Rector
UiTM Kedah Branch

SIGNED by, for and on behalf of
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Commerce & Science, Kopargaon,
India**



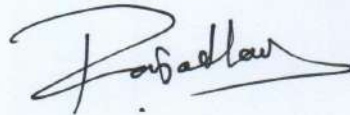
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PRIN. DR. BIRENDRASINGH YADHAV
Principal,
K.J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce
& Science, Kopargaon

WITNESSED by:



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PROF. MADYA DR. KAMARUDIN OTHMAN
Academic Deputy Rector
UiTM Kedah Branch

WITNESSED by:



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Dr. RAVINDRA ASHOK JADHAV
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Our ref: 100-UiTMKDh (KORP.8/11/1)
Date : 25 July 2022

Principal,
K.J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce and Science,
Kopargaon, Dist. - Ahmednagar,
Maharashtra, India, Pin. Code - 423601

Dear Sir,

SIGNED MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN UiTM AND K.J. SOMAIYA COLLEGE OF ARTS, COMMERCE AND SCIENCE

With all due respect the above is referred.

2. Please find the enclosed documents of the signed Memorandum of Understanding between UiTM and K.J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce and Science for your kind perusal.
3. In this regard, please sign both copies and keep a copy for K.J. Somaiya College of Arts, Commerce and Science and kindly return the other copy to the following address:

**Rector
Universiti Teknologi MARA (UiTM)
Kedah Branch
Sungai Petani Campus
08400 Merbok
Kedah, Malaysia**

4. We look forward to working with you to make this collaboration successful. If you wish to have further information, Ms Syazliyati Ibrahim is available at +60134362404 or email her at syazliyati@uitm.edu.my. Thank you and we are keen to meeting you soon.

"UiTM Kedah Soaring for Excellence"

Sincerely,

ASSOC. PROF. DR. KAMARUDIN OTHMAN
Deputy Rector (Academic Affairs)
(Exercising the duties of the Rector)
UiTM Kedah Branch
Malaysia