

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

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Kolkata - 700106



And

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NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNICAL TEACHERS' TRAINING AND RESEARCH, KOLKATA (hereinafter referred to as "NITTTR-K") which expression shall include its legal successors and/or permitted assigns of the other part and **Veer Surendra Sai University of Technology, Burla** (hereinafter referred to as "VSSUT"), which expression shall include its legal successors and/or permitted assigns of the other part hereby agree to sign a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU).

Both the above being hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Parties".

1. BROAD OBJECTIVE:

Recognize the mutual interest in the field of joint teaching, training and other related activities and dissemination of knowledge & skills.

Recognize the importance of other institutions role in creating the number of placement opportunity, Faculty Development Programme, Faculty Exchange Programme, Staff Development Programme and other activities.

2 SCOPE:

NITTTR-K shall provide support to VSSUT in developing quality teaching-learning process in Undergraduate, Post-Graduate (including Doctoral) teaching programmes in various engineering and allied disciplines.

2.1 UG & PG Teaching:

VSSUT, Burla would endeavor to enhance the quality of UG/PG teaching in science/ engineering and allied disciplines in order to bring it at par with the best in the country with support from NITTTR-K.

2.1.1 UG Teaching:

The scope of the MOU shall cover the following items:

- i. NITTTR-K shall help VSSUT in Development of Faculty of its Constituent/Affiliated institutions through its existing training programmes in the areas of content updating & professional skill development. Further, if required by NITTTR-K, other such specific programmes shall be worked out jointly on project mode.
- ii. NITTTR-K shall provide access to VSSUT the resource materials on electronic/print media, to be selected jointly in mutual agreed basis.
- iii. NITTTR-K shall provide VSSUT or its authorized person on-campus access to its Central Library as per existing provision of NITTTR-K.

2.1.2 PG Teaching Programme:

- i. NITTTR-K shall help VSSUT to develop and organize specialized programmes for training the faculty of VSSUT engaged in PG level teaching and research.
- ii. VSSUT would receive access to NITTTR-K's advanced in-campus laboratory facilities; the details of which would be jointly worked out.
- iii. NITTTR-K shall assist VSSUT in making reference materials (journals, thesis and so on) available for the PG work, wherever possible.
- iv. VSSUT and NITTTR-K shall identify from time to time, research areas for joint supervision of M.Tech. programme.
- v. NITTTR-K and VSSUT shall identify from time to time research areas in the field of Educational Technology / Educational Management and Educational Administration

3 FINANCE:

- 3.1 A Seed Corpus if required shall be arranged by each institute for meeting the initial TA/DA expenses of the resource persons / experts/ officers etc.
- 3.2 The cost of running any of the items mentioned in 2.1.1 and 2.1.2 would be jointly worked based on these scope and deliverables and shall be borne by concerned institute. The details would be worked out on a case-to-case basis. [in this regard Table 1 given in Annexure-1 may be referred to].
- 3.3 The mode of payment, including advance payment wherever, applicable, shall be mutually worked out.

4 INDEMNITY CLAUSE:

VSSUT shall indemnify NITTTR-K from the risks of any liability through the various affiliated and constituent institutions of the former.

5 INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT:

The IPR created out of any joint research and learning shall be the common property of the Parties (NITTTR-K and VSSUT). The Parties can thereafter commercialize the IPRs on mutually agreed terms and conditions. However, existing IPRs prior to the MOU at the disposal of either of the Parties shall be excluded from any joint ownership.

6 PERIOD OR VALIDITY OF THE MOU:

The MOU shall remain valid for a period of three years initially, starting from the date of signing the MOU. The MOU can however, be extended or terminated at any point of time through mutual consent if such situation occurred.

7 OPERATIONALIZATION OF MOU:

Specific projects, as mutually agreed upon by the parties, shall be identified by VSSUT for assistance from NITTTR-K in which the scope and the deliverable of the specific project shall be specified. Further, the cost of the same, mode of payment and the time frame shall be spelt out on a case-to-case basis.

8 FORCE MAJEURE:

Notwithstanding any item contained in this MOU, neither Party shall be held responsible for actions beyond their control (e.g., natural calamity, law & order situation and so on) and no compensation shall be claimed by either Party from other nor shall be paid.

9 ARBITRATION:

In case of disputes arising out of or related to any of the clauses contained in the MOU, it would be attempted to resolve the same bilaterally.

Signed this 29th day of January 2021.

Signature



(Prof. Debi Prasad Mishra)
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In Presence of:

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ANNEXURE-1

Table-1: Following are the financial implications for organizing any training programme or other activities

Head	Mode Programme held	Private Institutes and Govt. Institutes covered under TEQIP
Course Fee	Anywhere any mode (contact or virtual)	• Chargeable
Accommodation	At NITTTR, Kolkata	• Chargeable
	At your place (VSSUT)	• Chargeable
	ICT mode	• NA
TA	NITTTR, Kolkata	• Not reimbursable
	At your (VSSUT) place	• Not reimbursable
	ICT Mode	• NA
Overhead cost for conducting course	Anywhere (either NITTTR,K or VSSUT)	• Chargeable (10% of the course fees)
Consultation Fee for project etc.	Anywhere (either NITTTR,K or VSSUT)	• Chargeable

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