

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU) BETWEEN

S.I.W.S. N. R. SWAMY COLLEGE OF COMMERCE & ECONOMICS AND

SMT. THIRUMALAI COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

Plot No. 337, Sewree Wadala Estate, Major R. Parmeshwaran Marg, Wadala, Mumbai 400 031

This MoU is entered on 25th FEB 2021 by and between S.I.W.S. N. R. SWAMY COLLEGE OF COMMERCE & ECONOMICS AND SMT. THIRUMALAI COLLEGE OF SCIENCE, Plot No. 337, Sewree Wadala Estate, Major R. Parmeshwaran Marg, Wadala, Mumbai 400031 (hereinafter called S.I.W.S. College), affiliated to The University of Mumbai

and

BALKUMARI COLLEGE,

Narayangarh, Chitwan, Bagmati Province, Nepal 44207

The aforesaid Institutes are hereinafter referred to individually as Institute and collectively as Institutes.

1. Objectives of MoU :

The objectives of MoU are:

- a. To organize curricular, co-curricular and extra-curricular activities with mutual cooperation to promote academic interest between S.I.W.S. College and Balkumari College
- b. To promote academic research/consultancy facilitating Faculty and student exchange programs between S.I.W.S. College and Balkumari College
- c. To promote the usage ICT facilities for the enhancement of quality education at S.I.W.S. College and Balkumari College

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2) Technical areas of Collaboration :

- a. Delivery of expert lectures on relevant topics to promote academic interest and value addition through online/offline mode.
- b. Provide necessary support and collaborations wherever applicable in organizing conferences / seminars / workshops / and life skill programs / FDP between Institutes for enhancement of skills in respect of staff and students.
- c. Co-operate in activities such as placements, Job Mela programs etc.
- d. Mutual co-operation between IQAC's of both Institutes.
- e. Faculty Exchange

3) Proposed modes of collaboration :

S.I.W.S. College and Balkumari College, propose to collaborate through the following :

- a. Co-operation and promotion of education and training in areas of mutual interests and any other appropriate mode of interaction beneficial to both the institutes.
- b. A specific plan with be worked out by the Institutes wherever necessary depending upon the requirements and availability of resources.

4) Terms and Conditions :

- a. For continuing education to teachers and students, the financial arrangements will be made as per the mutually agreed terms
- b. For the visits related to advice and consultancy, travel and other expenses of the both the Faculty of the Institutes shall be financed by the Parent College.
- c. Both Institutes agree to help, identify and invite the faculty members and researchers from other Institutes to participate in Conferences, seminars workshops and short-term courses as advisory/ organizing committee members.
- d. Preference will be given to staff and students of either Institutes.
- e. This MoU may be amended, renewed and terminated by mutual written agreement of the Institutes at any time.
- f. Either Institute shall have the right to terminate this MoU upon 30 days prior written notice to the other Institute.



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g. On mutual consent of both the Institutes, review meetings will be conducted once in three months with Co-ordinators, Vice-Principals and Principal.

5) Confidentiality :

- a. The institutes agree to maintain confidentiality of all information/data obtained from either Institute or created during the performance of the MoU and will not disclose the same to any third party without the written consent of the other Institute.
- b. The above confidential clause under this MoU excludes the information/data possessed by either institute before entering into the MoU or independently developed and/or information already available through public domain.

6) Duration of MoU :

This MoU unless extended by mutual written consent of the Institutes, shall expire in **three years** after the effective date specified in the opening paragraph. However, on review, this MoU shall be extended for another **Two years** by mutual consent.

7) Co-ordinators :

Both Institutes will designate persons who will have responsibility for co-ordination and implementation of this agreement.

8) Intellectual Property Rights:

The Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) that arise as a result of joint research and collaborative activity under the agreement will be worked out on a case tocase and will be consistent with officially laid down IPR policies of the two Institutes.



9) Signed in Duplicate :

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This MoU is executed in duplicate with each copy being official version and having equal validity. By signing below, the Institutes, acting by their duty authorized officers, have caused this Memorandum of Understanding to be executed, effective as of the day and year first above written.

On Behalf of

Dr. Usha Iyer Principal S.I.W.S. College

PRINCIPAL S.I.W.S. N.R. Swamy College of Commerce & Economics & Smt. Thirumalai College of 3clence, Wadala, Mumbai - 400 031

Place : MUMBAI

Date: 25-02-2021

