

**Memorandum of Understanding**  
**On Exchange of Students/Faculty and Promotion of Research**  
**Between**  
**Pāndit Prithi Nath (PG) College, Kanpur**  
**And**  
**Jagran College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Kanpur**

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is effective as on 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 to establish an affiliation by and between-

**Pandit Prithi Nath** College, known as short name P.P.N.College, founded in the year 1959 is one of the prominent educational institutions, which is located at Mall Road, Parade Crossing, P.P.N. Market, Colonel Ganj, Kanpur of Uttar Pradesh state. It is affiliated with Chhatrapati Shahu Ji Maharaj University. The college is imparting the best education in 19 Undergraduate and 13 Postgraduate subjects in Arts, Science, Commerce, Business Administration, Computer Applications and BTC.

And

**Jagran College of Arts, Science and Commerce** is an Educational institution registered under section 2F and 12B of UGC Act 1956, established in the year 2006 under self-financing scheme of CSJM University, to cater to the growing requirements of Higher Education of the region in general, and of Kanpur district, in particular, located at 620 W-Block, Saket Nagar, Kanpur - 208014 (hereinafter referred to as "JC", which expression shall unless it be repugnant to the context or meaning thereof mean and include its successors, administrators, authorized representatives and permitted assigns).

**Preamble**

WHEREAS PPN Kanpur and JC Kanpur have many areas of common interest in academics and considerable advantage may be gained from their pursuit on a collaborative basis in the fields of academics, education and research.

NOW THEREFORE, PPN and JC have decided to enter into this Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as MOU), which defines the framework for the cooperation of the two institutions set out in the following sections.



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## ARTICLE 1: OBJECT

Both Institutes agree to develop the following collaborative activities in the academic areas of mutual interest, on a basis of equality and reciprocity.

The two institutions shall seek to promote:

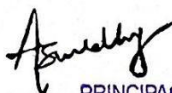
### I. Faculty Exchange

- a) The exchange of faculty to the mutual benefit of both institutions,
- b) Collaboration in teaching, research and development, and consultancy studies in the field of mutual interest,
- c) Conducting lectures,
- d) Undertaking joint research,
- e) Participating in seminars, symposiums, and other types of academic discussions

### II. Student Exchange

PPN Kanpur and JC Kanpur agree that student exchange will be guided by principles listed below. A home institution refers to the institution where a student is a full-time student, and from where he/she is expected to graduate/ postgraduate. A host institution refers to an institution that receives a student for a brief period to undertake a pre-determined programme of study or research.

- a) Exchange students will be selected by mutual agreement between the home institution and the host institution.
- b) An exchange student will continue to be treated as full-time student at his/her home institution.
- c) An exchange student will be considered as full-time "exchange" student at the host institution.
- d) His/her programme of study at the host institution will be determined by mutual consultation between his/her academic advisor at the home institution and his/her "interim" academic advisor identified by the host institution.
- e) The host institution will evaluate an exchange student's performance in each course or module, award a letter grade or marks, and issue a letter to that effect.
- f) The home institution may award to the exchange student credits earned at a host institution, but only after the home institution has established correspondence

  
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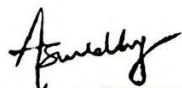


between courses taken at the host institution viz-a-viz those offered at the home institution.

- g) If an exchange student has undertaken research, then the host institution will evaluate the exchange student's performance in the research, and issue a letter to that effect, together with a technical "report" of the research carried out.
- h) If an exchange student has undertaken research, then the home institution will take note of the performance evaluation and the technical report, and take steps in accordance with its own procedures.
- i) PPN Kanpur and JC Kanpur agree to arrange for classes/lecture for student exchange.
- j) The exchange students will pay tuition and other fees at their home institution.

### III. Research:

- a) to exchange information on research and educational programs,
- b) to exchange information on teaching, learning material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programs,
- c) to jointly organize short-term continuing education programs on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein,
- d) to organize jointly seminars, conferences, or workshops on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein,
- e) to propose and engage jointly in research or training programs 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,
- g) to encourage the provision of cultural and intellectual enrichment opportunities
- h) to use laboratory facilities in specific cases for a limited period,
- i) to permit students and faculty members to use library facility.
- j) PPN and JC agree that detailed terms and conditions that guide each activity identified above will be determined separately 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.

  
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## **ARTICLE 2: COORDINATION**

Each institution shall appoint two members of its teaching/research faculty to coordinate the programme on its behalf. Further, a coordination committee consisting of a programme coordinator from the side of PPN Kanpur, and a programme coordinator from the side of JC Kanpur, will periodically review and identify ways to strengthen cooperation between the two institutions.

## **ARTICLE 3: CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

Both the institutions does not absolve any confidential information during the research activity.

## **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 commercialization 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: VALIDITY**

The Memorandum shall remain in force for a period of one year commencing from effective date. Institutions may extend the term by written agreement signed by both after review.

## **ARTICLE 6: TERMINATION**

Either institution may terminate the MOU by giving written notice of six months in advance to the other institution. Once terminated, neither PPN Kanpur nor JC Kanpur will be responsible for any losses, financial or otherwise, which the other institutions may suffer. However, PPN Kanpur and JC Kanpur will ensure that the provisions of this Memorandum shall continue to apply to all activities in progress until their completion.

  
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## ARTICLE 7: AMENDMENTS/MODIFICATIONS

This MOU may be amended or modified by a written agreement signed by the representatives of both institutes.

## ARTICLE 8: ADHERENCE TO LAWS

Participating faculties and students involved in any activities under this Memorandum must adhere to the law of the present country/UGC and rules and regulations of the institutions.

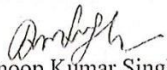
## ARTICLE 9: LEGAL EFFECT

Nothing in this Memorandum shall be construed as creating any legal relationship between the institutes. This Memorandum is a statement of intent to foster genuine and mutually beneficial collaboration.

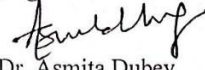
## ARTICLE 10: DISPUTE RESOLUTION

In case, there be a dispute relating to any aspect of academic cooperation, Principal, PPN Kanpur and JC Kanpur will jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence, mutual respect, and shared responsibility. PPN Kanpur and JC Kanpur welcome the establishment of this Memorandum for cooperation and jointly agree to the provisions as set out above.


Signed for PPN

  
Prof. Anoop Kumar Singh  
Principal

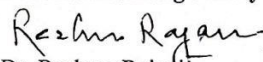
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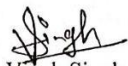
  
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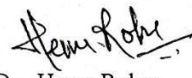
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