

Memorandum of Understanding for Academic Cooperation

between

RPS Degree College, Balana, Mahendergarh and

RPS College of Engineering and Technology

RPS Degree College, Balana, Mahendergarh and RPS College of Engineering and Technology recognize their strengths in research and education in one or more disciplines of science engineering, management and humanities, and their mutual interest in engaging themselves in academic cooperation. RPSDC and RPS CET therefore agree to establish a programme for academic cooperation in the areas of mutual interest, and in accordance with terms and conditions set forth in this memorandum of understanding (MoU).

A. Objectives:

The goal is to foster collaboration, provide opportunity for global experience, and to facilitate advancement of knowledge on the basis of reciprocity, best effort, mutual benefit, and frequent interactions. RPSDC and RPS CET agree:

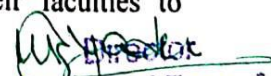
1. to exchange information on research and educational programmes
2. to exchange information on teaching, learning material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programmes
3. to jointly organize short-term continuing education programmes on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein
4. to jointly organize seminars, conferences, or workshops on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein
5. to jointly propose and engage in research or training programmes sponsored by funding agencies, and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein
6. to exchange, on a reciprocal basis, students at Undergraduate and Postgraduate levels for limited periods of time for purpose of education and /or research. RPSDC and RPS CET further agree that detailed terms and conditions that guide each activity identified above will be separately determined 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, etc.

B. Joint Sponsored Research, Development and Consulting:

RPSDC and RPS CET agree to help identify and invite faculty members from the other institution to participate in research or development programmes. The terms and conditions for such participation will be worked out by mutual agreement between two institutions.

C. Exchange of Faculty:

RPSDC and RPS CET agree to encourage collaboration between faculty from the two institutions. Specifically, institutions will encourage members of their faculties to



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undertake short visits to, or take up fixed-term visiting assignments at, each other's institution as per the existing norms.


D. Student Exchange:

RPSDC and RPSCET 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. A host institution refers to an institution that receives a student for a brief period of time 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 between courses taken at the host institution vis-a-vis 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.

E. Tenure and Termination:

This MoU will take effect from the date it is signed by representatives of the two institutions. It will remain valid for three years, and may be continued thereafter after suitable review and agreement. Either institution may terminate the MoU by giving written notice to the other institution six months in advance. However, RPSDC and RPSCET will ensure that all activities in progress are allowed to complete successfully.


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