



## **Memorandum of Understanding**

**between**

**Indian Institute of Technology Delhi**

**and**

**University of Tromsø - The Arctic University of Norway**

### **Preamble**

Recognising the mutual benefits to be gained through a cooperative programme promoting scholarly activities and international understanding UiT The Arctic University of Norway (UiT) and Indian Institute of Technology Delhi (IITD) agree to the following:

### **Objectives**

This cooperation shall include but not be limited to:

- i) the development of collaborative research and educational projects;
- ii) the organisation of joint academic and scientific activities, such as courses, conferences, seminars, symposia or lectures; joint cultural and educational endeavours; field and laboratory work in the sphere of both partners interest;
- iii) the contribution to the development of the Universities curricula;
- iv) the exchange of research, teaching, technical and administrative staff;
- v) the exchange of students and PhD candidates;
- vi) the exchange of publications and other materials of common interest.

### **Implementation**

In order to carry out and fulfil the aims of this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU), the partner institutions shall each appoint a coordinator who shall manage the development and conduct of joint activities.

Either party may initiate proposals for activities under this MoU.

Specific details of any activity shall be set forth in a Supplemental Letter of Agreement, which shall become and integral part of the general MoU upon signing by the leaders at each institution.

### **Duration and termination of the Memorandum of Understanding**

This MoU shall become effective on the date that it is signed by both parties and shall be valid for a period of 5 years, but may be renewed by mutual consent.

Any changes to this MoU shall be subject to the written consent of both parties.

This MoU may be terminated by either party at any time provided that the terminating party gives written notice of its intention at least six months prior to termination.

Any dispute arising under the terms of this MoU shall be referred to an independent mediator as agreed by both Parties.

Nothing in the above MoU shall be construed as being legally binding.

**In the spirit of international friendship and cooperation, we hereby set our signatures.**

**Delhi, 4<sup>th</sup> February 2020**

Signed on behalf of

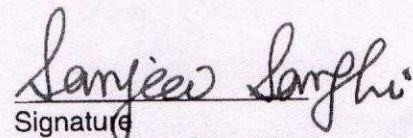
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Signature  
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Signed on behalf of

Indian Institute of Technology Delhi



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Alumni Affairs & International  
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### **Contact**

In order to carry out and fulfil the aims of this Memorandum, the partner institutions shall each designate a coordinator who shall manage the development and conduct of joint activities:

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