Memorandum of Understanding
for Academic Cooperation
between
Indian Institute of Technology Delhi
and
University of Taipei

University of Taipei (UT) and Indian Institute of Technology Delhi (IITD) recognize their strengths in research and education in one or more disciplines of science, engineering, management and social sciences, and their mutual interest in engaging themselves in academic cooperation.

Therefore, UT and IITD agree to establish a program for academic cooperation in areas of mutual interest, and in accordance with terms and conditions set forth in this memorandum of understanding (MoU). UT and IITD agree:

(a) to exchange information on teaching, learning material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programs,
(b) to exchange, on a reciprocal basis, faculty and students for limited periods of time for purpose of education and/or research.
(c) to jointly propose and engage in research projects sponsored by funding agencies at mutually agreeable terms
(d) to explore high value joint academic programs for industry and government organization at global level
(e) to jointly organize short-term training/continuing education programs on cutting edge topics of mutual interest at agreeable terms to both sides
(f) to jointly organize seminars, conferences, or workshops on topics of mutual interest for wider dissemination of knowledge

UT and IITD agree that detailed terms and conditions that guide each activity identified above, if required, will be separately agreed upon by the two institutions by signing the implementing agreement for each activity. These terms shall include a description of proposed activity and financial arrangements.

Each party will ensure appropriate protection of Intellectual Property Rights generated from cooperation pursuant to MoU, consistent with their respective laws, rules and regulations and international agreements to which both parties are committed. In case of joint publication, the use of the name, logo and/or official emblem of the participants on any publication, document
and/or paper will require prior permission of both the participants. Further, the Parties shall not assign any rights and obligations arising out of the IPR generated from inventions/activities carried out under the MoU to any third Party without consent of the other party. Commercialization of technology in any other country shall be done jointly through a separate agreement. All Confidential Information shall remain the exclusive property of the disclosing party.

Each institution shall appoint one member of its teaching/research faculty to coordinate the program on its behalf. The coordinator, thus appointed, will periodically review and identify ways to strengthen cooperation between the two institutions.

This MoU will take effect from the date it is signed by representatives of the two institutions. It will remain valid for five (5) years. The MoU is automatically renewed after the end of term if there is no objection received from either party, unless the parties decide otherwise. The agreement may be revised at any point of time by mutual agreement. Either institution may terminate the MoU by giving written notice to the other institution six months in advance. Once terminated, neither UT nor IITD will be responsible for any losses, financial or otherwise, which the other institutions may suffer. However, UT and IITD will ensure that all activities in progress are allowed to complete successfully.

Should there be a dispute relating to any aspect of academic cooperation, the parties will jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence, mutual respect, and shared responsibility.

This MoU is signed subject to approval of the respective academic/administrative bodies.

Prof. Hsia-Ling Tai
President
University of Taipei
Taiwan
Date 2017/08/01

For Director V. Ramgopal Rao
Sanjeev Sanghi, Ph.D
Dean (Alumni Affairs & International Programs)
Indian Institute of Technology Delhi
India
Date 2017/08/01
Annexure-A to
Implementing Agreement
for
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between
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Indian Institute of Technology Delhi

On reciprocal basis, the Institute will provide free of cost Boarding and Lodging plus Rs.5000/- per month as pocket allowance. The incoming exchange students will be accommodated in the Guest for a day (Free of Cost).

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IITD exchange students will be given a special financial assistance up to 90000 NTD (around 2900 USD, for airfare, accommodation, living cost etc.) per person/semester.
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Indian Institute of Technology Delhi (IITD) and University of Taipei, Taiwan (UT) agree to establish a programme for exchange of undergraduate, postgraduate and Ph.D. students based upon the Memorandum of Understanding between the two institutions and in accordance with terms and conditions set forth in this implementing agreement.

IITD and UT agree that student exchange will be as per the guidelines listed below. A home institution refers to the institution where a student is a registered 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 a registered student at his/her home institution.
c) The exchange student will pay tuition and other fees at his/her home institution.
d) An exchange student will be considered as a student/visitor at the host institution.
e) For UG/PG students, 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. In the case of Ph.D. students, the exchange student's area of research at the host institution will be determined by mutual consultation between his/her Research Guide at the home institution and his/her "interim" Research Guide identified by the host institution.
f) 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.
g) This agreement also facilitates credit transfer of exchange students between the two institutions. The home institution may award to the exchange student credits earned at a host institution based on its credit transfer policy.
h) If an exchange student chooses to undertake research at the host institution, his area of research will be determined by mutual consultation between his/her Research Guide at the home institution and his/her "interim" Research Guide identified by the host institution. 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.
i) 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.
j) For Ph.D. students, the exchange will be for a period normally ranging from six months to one year. The exchange can take place at any time of the research programme. It is expected that the student would normally have completed his/her course credit requirement at the home institution.
k) IITD and UT will make effort to maintain the reciprocity in numbers of
exchange students over the period of the MoU. It, however, will not be insisted upon and will not be dependent upon the areas of research of the exchange students.

i) IITD and UT as host institution will provide suitable financial assistance to the exchange students to bear expenses towards living costs including accommodation, food, transportation and medical insurance (Annexure-A).

m) As a host institution, IITD and UT will make every effort to arrange for subsidized housing for exchange students.

n) IITD and UT will examine ways to identify financial resources to fund international travel by students.

This agreement will take effect from the date it is signed by representatives of the two institutions and will remain valid for the same period of the MoU.

Signed by

Sanjeev Sanghi
For Director V. Ramgopal Rao
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Indian Institute of Technology Delhi
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