



**Memorandum of Understanding
Academic and Research Collaboration
Between
National Institute of Technology Manipur, Langol, Imphal,
Manipur
and
National Institute of Technology Nagaland, Chumukedima
Nagaland**

National Institute of Technology Nagaland, Chumukedima-797 103, Nagaland and National Institute of Technology Manipur, Langol, Imphal -795 004, Manipur have agreed to the following protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research related activities.

Scope:

The scope of collaboration on academic and research activities in this Memorandum of Understanding is in the following categories:

- Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest.
- Exchange of academic information, Scholarly information, materials and publications based on mutual agreements.
- Exchange of students and faculty.
- Conducting joint seminars, workshops and other academic meetings.
- Offering specialized courses like Tribal Medicines, Indian Knowledge System, etc.

Students Exchange:

Pursuant to the agreement for academic exchange, NIT Nagaland and NIT Manipur, will exchange students according to the terms laid out in Annexure 1. It is desired by both parties that there will be significant flow of students in both directions based on mutual agreements.

Research Collaboration:

Faculty from both Institutions will collaborate in the supervision of exchange students and in joint research in disciplines of mutual interest. All such joint research activities will be governed by the terms laid out in Annexure 2.


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Commencement, renewal, termination and amendment

This MOU will come into force upon affixing of the signatures of the representatives of the partner institutions and will remain in effect for five years. This MOU may be renewed upon its expiry, with the agreement of both partner institutions.

If either partner institution wishes to terminate the MOU at the end of five years period it must notify the other institution not less than six months prior to the expiry of the MOU.

This MOU or its renewal and the actions taken under it may be reviewed at any time. Modifications may be made by mutual agreement and any amendment or extension to the agreement may be formalized by the exchange of letters between the two parties.

For

National Institute of Technology, Nagaland,
Chumukedima -797 103, Nagaland

Signature

Prof. S. Venugopal
Director

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Chumukedima-797103, Nagaland

Witness

Registrar/कुलसचिव
National Institute of Technology,
राष्ट्रीय प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान
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National Institute of Technology Manipur,
Langol, Imphal -795 004, Manipur

(Prof. Gontam Sutradhara)
29.1.2023

(Prof. P. Albino Kumar)
27.1.2023

2) Chandan Malakar
Associate professor, Dean R & C



Annexure 1

1. Students under the student exchange programme will be classified as special exchange students. Special exchange students will be permitted to take courses on credit/audit, as well as participate in research activities/project work.
2. In any case, the consent of the teacher/project supervisors/ research supervisors is required. Such consent will take into account among other things whether the student has pre-requisites for the course/project.
3. Neither institution will require admission or tuition fees of exchange students under this MOU
4. Course credits will be determined by the home institution based on its curriculum.
5. The number of students and time duration will be worked out on a case to case basis.
6. Participants may not spend more than one year normally in the exchange programme.
7. Participants will be subjected to the rules and regulations of the host institution

Selection and Nomination

The nomination of students should be by the end of the 6th semester. The student nomination should be accompanied by:

- Curriculum Vitae.
- Statement of aptitude from a member of student's department/school.
- A specific outline of the programme of students of the host institution and a statement of objectives of the students.

When a nomination is forwarded by the home institution, it is presumed that the sending Institution considers the student suitable for the proposed program and consents to send the student if selected by the host institution.

The host institution will evaluate the nominations and determine their suitability for selection under the student Exchange Programme.

Where the exchange student is pursuing a research or implementation project as part of the BTech, MTech, MSc or PhD (or equivalent) degree programme, the host institution will provide a suitable faculty member to jointly assist (along with supervisor in the parent institution) the exchange student in formulating research project or jointly supervising the exchange student in the event that a research project has already been identified.

The host institution will inform the home institution of any academic or other problems that may arise during the period of student's residence in the host institution. The host institution will take appropriate action under its established policy and procedures, in consultation with the home institution to deal with such problems.


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Annexure 2

1. Proposals for collaborative research work under this Memorandum will be submitted with the prior approval of the Head of each institution, or his / her nominee.
2. Each institution will nominate one of its members as its representative in charge of the cooperative programme. Individual programme of work under this Memorandum will be jointly planned and conducted by the nominees of both parties.
3. Progress of work of any individual programme will be reviewed and approved by designated authorities of both parties.
4. The final approval of any project will depend on the availability of guaranteed support funds.
5. Neither NIT Nagaland nor NIT Manipur will be held responsible for any liability to the party, and neither party shall be required to purchase any insurance against loss or damage to any property due to activities to which this agreement relates.

Every collaboration will have its own agreement/ contract which address issues such as IPR, funding pattern, disclosure of information etc.



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