

भारतीय प्रीद्योगिकी INDIAN INSTITUTE OF



Memorandum of Understanding

BETWEEN

Indian Institute of Technology Jammu

Govt. College for Women, Parade Ground, Jammu

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is entered into and is effective as of Date 15th November, 2022 by and between the Indian Institute of Technology, Jammu (IITJMU) and Govt. College for Women, Parade Ground, Jammu (GCW Parade Ground Jammu), and shall be known collectively as the "Parties" and singularly as a "Party".

Recitals:

Whereas, cordial relations exist between IITJMU and GCW Parade; and Whereas, IITJMU and GCW Parade Ground have discussed mutual goals regarding opportunities for collaboration; and

Whereas, IITJMU and GCW Parade Ground desire to establish collaboration for the benefit of students and faculty of their respective educational institutions:

Now, therefore, the Parties enter into this Memorandum of Understanding, in order to materialize fundamental concepts regarding the collaboration.



Article 3 (Specific Collaborations)

While the parties may design and implement a range of activities under the broad framework of objectives laid out above, the IITJMU and GCW Parade Ground, Jammu have identified the following two activities where significant and mutually beneficent collaborations between the institutes are conceivable:

- A. The Centre for Essential Skills (CES) IIT Jammu currently offers skillbased courses in digital tools, finance, entrepreneurship, critical thinking and decision making, usability engineering and is planning to start a number of courses on culture, humanities and life skills shortly. The CES IITJMU will offer certificate courses for the students of GCW Parade Ground Jammu.
- B. GCW Parade Ground will offer the services of its faculty in teaching courses at IITJMU on demand basis. These arrangements shall be on mutually agreed terms.
- C. The GCW Parade Ground and IITJMU shall coordinate and collaborate in research activities including projects in the sciences, humanities and commerce streams through exchange of faculty, researchers and students.
- D. Curriculum redesign and modernization in the humanities with the support of GCW Parade Ground and sciences and engineering with the support of IITJMU shall be attempted by both parties. (The redesign and modernization of the curriculum in the streams of humanities, sciences and engineering shall be attempted jointly by both the parties.)
- E. A research centre at GCW Parade Ground is being proposed to offer Ph.D. programme and is financially supported by the HED, UT of J&K. IITJMU will provide important insights during the setup of the College Research Centre, GCW Parade Ground. The enrolled PhD students can use the research facilities of IITJMU.

Understanding of the Parties

In contemplation of establishment of the collaboration, the Parties agree as follows:

Article 1 (Objectives)

- A. To contribute further to the stated goals and objectives of both institutions (IITJMU and GCW Parade Ground Jammu) through mutual cooperation.
- B. To strengthen collaboration between IITJMU and GCW Parade Ground by exploring opportunities in the following broad areas:
 - 1. Visits by academic and/or other staff
 - 2. Visits by students and participation in events and activities
 - 3. Exchange of academic materials and other information
 - 4. Training and competency building programs
 - 5. Sharing of best-practices
 - Special short-term academic projects

Article 2 (Responsibilities of Parties)

- A. Both institutions commit themselves to identify concrete areas of academic collaboration and to explore the means to achieve a successful collaboration.
- B. The College officials who will have the responsibility in coordinating the Program for the parties are:

For IITJAMMU: Prof. Manoj S. Gaur

For GCW Parade Ground: Dr. S. P. Sarswat

Article 4 (Understanding of Parties)

- A. The Parties understand and acknowledge that they are making a significant commitment to this collaborative effort. Accordingly, the Parties agree to expend their best efforts on the design, implementation, and successful continuation of the collaboration.
- B. This MOU shall remain effective from the date of execution until the end of the term of five (5) years, at which time it will terminate unless extended by mutual written consent of the two parties.
- C. The Parties understand and acknowledge that this Memorandum of Understanding will provide the foundation for a comprehensive agreement concerning the details of the collaboration and that the parties may, if they so agree sign separate written agreements for the activities designed and agreed for implementation under this MOU.

In witness whereof, the Parties have caused their fully authorized representatives to execute this Memorandum of Understanding.

Signatures of

Prof. Manoj S Gaur

Director, IIT Jammu

Date: 15th November 2022

Principal,

GCW Parade Ground