Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

FOR FACILITATING

COLLABORATIVE TRANING, EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

Between



Gurukula Kangri Vishwavidyalaya (GKV), Haridwar (Uttarakhand) – India

and



Uttarakhand State Council for Science & Technology (UCOST),
Dehradun (Uttarakhand) – India

Preamble

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is for cooperation in science, research training and service fields for developing a collaborative arrangement, whereby the Institutions may participate in collaborative teaching, training, research and other agreed activities to further enhance relationship between two institutions.

This MoU is entered on 4th March 2020, Wednesday between

Gurukula Kangri Vishwavidyalaya, Haridwar (herein after referred as "GKV") was founded on March 4, 1902 by Swami Shraddhananda Ji with the sole aim to revive the ancient Indian Gurukula System of education. It is a deemed to be university fully funded by UGC/Govt. of India. GKV has been accredited a four-star status by NAAC. GKV is running PG and Ph.D. courses in various science streams like Science, Life Science and Pharmaceutical Science also all departments have a number of faculties who are engaged in active research in different fields. It is also running B. Tech courses with different branches. These courses have one semester training program in their curriculum.

Uttarakhand State Council for Science & Technology, Dehradun (herein after referred as "UCOST") is an autonomous organization under Dept. of Information, Science & Technology, Govt. of Uttarakhand, working for science popularization and promotion of S&T for holistic development of the state, acting through Director General, which expression shall, unless repugnant to the context, include its successor, administrators, assigns or representatives.

Both Institutions state that they:

Recognize the value of academic interchange and lively engagement in an international scholarly community by members of academic and research institutions.

Discern the significance and importance collaboration in the pursuit of international cooperation and awareness by each institute's interest in and need for establishing and sustaining such cooperative ties.

Confirm the significance of the furthering of knowledge and the creative role of the international scholarly communication and collaboration in the development and dissemination of learning and research.

Hence, in the spirit of promoting exchanges between them in all pertinent area of science education, research and service, both the intuition agree as follow: -



A. General Objectives

- To exchange information, article, reports and teaching/research material in order to support the educational and research programs of each institution in the field of Professional Competencies.
- To strengthen and encourage communication and collaboration in education and research between members of two institutions, particularly with respect to the Professional Competencies program.
- iii. To simulate contacts between investigators in science from two institutions.
- iv. To develop scientific projects for collaborative research, teaching, technical cooperative, evaluation and publication. The human and technical resources which will contribute in designing and operating the program shall be specified from each intuition. Also, the mechanism and action to evaluate supervise and utilize the products of the aforementioned programs, shall be jointly established.
- To promote bilateral co-operation in scientific research and education in different faculties involving.
 - a) Teaching and Exchange of scientific researchers
 - b) Organising lecture seminars and scientific meetings
 - c) Development of projects of common interest
 - d) Visit of faculty members/scientists and students for the mutual benefits of both institutions
 - e) Co-operation in conduct of research (except finances).

B. Scholar Exchange and Education Collaboration.

- To develop learning opportunities through courses, seminars, workshops and others means from both intuitions to pursue activities related to scholars, academic program, particularly with respect to the development of a Professional Competencies curriculum adapted for use at respective institution.
- ii. To facilitate visit by students from GKV to UCOST.
- To facilitate the exchange of science faculty/ research members and visiting scholar dedicated to participate in teaching and research.
- iv. In all cases, the exchange of faculty members/ research and visiting scholars will occur within the regulation of each institution and will take place on an individual basis.

C. Legal Conditions

- i. This MoU is a statement of intent and in no way intended to create legal or binding obligation or either institution and serves only as a record of institution, current intention to enhance the relationship of the institutions going forward. This MoU does not create legally enforceable rights claim, interest, duty, or obligation in favour of either of the party as against other party.
- ii. All cooperation is on self-finance basis and none of the institutions is obliged to support each other financially for the purpose of this MoU.
- iii. The institution agrees to designate the following person as administrative focal point for any administrative aspects for this MoU:

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- iv. All students and faculty exchanges will be approved at the departmental and faculty level through the appropriate mechanisms as per defined procedures.
- v. For the purpose of coordinating visits, correspondence and projects, exchange visitors will communicate with a counterpart in the institution where cooperative research or teaching occurs.
- vi. All risk procedures within the policy structure as defined by concerned institution will be carried out and reported on before any exchange take place.
- vii. Before any particular cooperative project or program is initiated, all financial detail shall be negotiated specially allocation to effect by administration authorities. Notwithstanding anything contained in this MoU, each institution will remain responsible for their own initiative in matters of finance.
- viii. Cooperative projects requiring financial support shall not be initiated in the expectance of support by either institution before such funding has been explicitly agreed to and committed by written consent and further agreement would be required.
- ix. This MoU shall come into effect for period of (10) Years upon the signature of both parties and shall be renewed with their mutual consent and signature. It may be extended by written agreement of both partners.

- x. In case of any dispute of difference relating to this MoU, both parties agree to resolve the same through mediation before going to arbitration to litigation.
- xi. Either party may terminate this MoU with six months advance written notice to other party, competent court in Haridwar, Uttarakhand shall have exclusive jurisdiction.
- xii. Both parties of this MoU agree to act in good faith and in a spirit of mutual understanding and accommodation to facilitate achievement of goals set under this MoU.

In witness thereof, the parties herein have appended their respective signature the day and year above stated:

Signed for and on behalf of Gurukula Kangri Vishwavidyalaya, Haridwar, Uttarakhand-249404

Signed for and on behalf of Uttarakhand State
Council for Science & Technology, Vigyan
Dham, Dehradun, Uttarakhand-248007

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Name: Dr Rajendra Dobhal

Designation: Director General Date:

Name: Prof Roop Kishore Shastri Designation: Vice Chancellor

Date:

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