



## Memorandum of Understanding

Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for scientific and cultural cooperation between the **Samarkand State University, Uzbekistan** and the **Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, India**

Prompted by a mutual desire, the **Samarkand State University, Uzbekistan** represented by Rector **Prof. Rustam Khalmuradov** (first party) and the **Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, India** represented by Director of the Institute, **Prof. Devang Khakhar** (second party) hereinafter referred to as the contracting parties. In a view of the positive relationships existing between the two institutions and in order to make cooperative efforts to ensure their joint interests and cooperate in the programs of mutual interest and joint experience and conclude certain agreements with regard to teaching staff and student exchange, research cooperation, creative activities and any other activities that can be done in accordance with joint agreement. This memorandum is not intended to create binding or legal obligations on either party and Intellectual properties generated under this MoU shall be governed by the IPR policies of respective institutions. The two parties have agreed to sign this MOU as per the following articles:

### Article 1

Both parties would agree on mutual activities that aim to develop the academic, scientific and cultural projects for the benefits of students and academic staff in both institutions.

### Article 2

Both parties would agree on certain fields of cooperation such as:-

- Exchange of students for a given period through a recognized exchange program.
- Exchange of faculty members of the institutions,
- Exchange of documentation and research material.
- Coordinating in joint or collaborative research projects.
- Cooperation in efforts to commercialize technologies developed at the two institutions or partners in ways that are mutually beneficial.

### Article 3

Both parties would exchange visitors from administrative and technical departments for training purposes. However, the number of visitors; their specialties and the purpose of their visits should be determined in advance by correspondences.

#### **Article 4**

Both parties will exchange scientific books, publications, periodicals, and research results in the fields of science. This will be in native languages of both counters.

#### **Article 5**

Protection of copyrights will be subjected to endorsed and legal systems of both parties.

#### **Article 6**

Designated Academic Coordinators and respective office/department of both parties who will follow up the execution of this Memorandum of Understanding, they are as follows:

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#### **Article 7**

In the case of adding a new item or amending any texts of the present MOU, all amendments must be agreed upon by both parties in advance.

#### **Article 8**

Both parties should coordinate for facilitating Visa-visiting delegations of both of them.

#### **Article 9**

This Agreement will be effective upon signature by the representatives of both institutions for a period of five (5) years, at which time it will be reviewed for possible renewal for further five (5) years periods.

## Article 10

Disputes that can be evoked from the execution of the MOU are resolved between the contracting parties in the case to reach a solution or to conclude the issue through forming a coordination committee for this determination. In case of failing in reaching a solution, the Committee is working to end the memorandum of understanding.

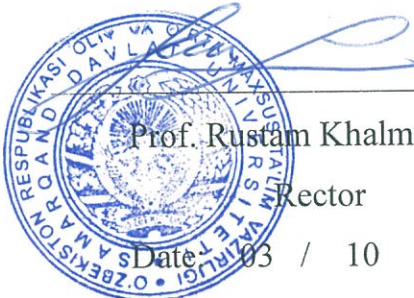
## Article 11

Either party may, on six months notice in writing, terminate the Agreement in advance of its normal expiration or request the negotiation of its conditions. Under such circumstance, staff or students who have commenced an activity under the Agreement will be allowed to complete the activity under the condition applying when notice was given.

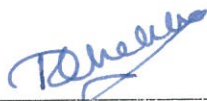
**Signed in Samarkand On October 3, 2018, in two original copies in English.**

**For the Samarkand State University**

**For Indian Institute of Technology Bombay**



Prof. Rustam Khalmuradov  
Rector  
Date: 03 / 10 / 2018



Prof. Devang Khakhar  
Director  
Date: 19 / 9 / 2018