



ILLINOIS INSTITUTE
OF TECHNOLOGY

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, USA

AND

PIMPRI CHINCHWAD EDUCATION TRUST, PUNE, INDIA

This Memorandum of Understanding is entered into this Thurs day of 10th Sept 2020, between Illinois Institute of Technology ("IIT"), Chicago, Illinois, USA an Illinois not-for-profit corporation with its principal place of business at 10 West 35th Street, 19th floor, Chicago, Illinois 60616 USA and the Pimpri Chinchwad Education Trust, Pune, ("PCET") and its institutes Pune, India, having its Principal address at Sector-26, Pradhikaran, Nigdi, Near Akurdi Railway Station, Pune - 411 044. Maharashtra, India, hereinafter referred to as IIT and PCET.

1. IIT and PCET hereby agree to encourage cooperation through research and study in furtherance of the advancement of learning as stated below:
 - a. To encourage faculty to identify mutual interests and collaborate by organizing visits from one party to the other for the purpose of engaging in or planning research; serving on thesis committees, presenting research findings, lecturing, or conducting workshops,
 - b. To encourage qualified faculty to cooperate in PhD or Post doctoral research projects and thesis advising.
 - c. To facilitate the admission of qualified students from one party's academic units to the other's for the purpose of enrolling in courses, degree programs, summer programs, and certificate programs; or participating in research projects;
 - d. To foster the exchange of academic publications and scholarly information; and
 - e. To promote other academic activities which enhance the above-mentioned goals.





2. Both parties acknowledge that visits by faculty and students from one to the other shall be subject to the entry and visa regulations of the United States and India and shall comply with the regulations and policies of IIT and PCET.
3. Both parties agree that students will be responsible for all expenses at the host institution that are not covered by scholarships. Further, both universities agree that, if applicable, U.S. Federal and State Financial aid for IIT students will be awarded and disbursed solely by IIT.
4. Both parties agree that all expenses, including research material, international and domestic travel, per diem, honoraria and all other costs, for visiting faculty and researchers, shall be the responsibility of the home university or determined on a case-by-case basis and agreed to in writing by the parties prior to the visit.
5. Both parties agree to review this Memorandum of Understanding after five years following the date of signing, and acknowledge that this Memorandum is subject to revision and termination at any time by mutual consent or by six months' written notice by either party.
6. Both parties agree that this Memorandum of Understanding is incorporated into, and will provide the foundation and framework for, projects developed by academic and administrative units from the two universities and documented in other subsequent Agreements.
7. All communications from both the parties, will be through of Contact (SPOC), on behalf of Pimpri Chinchwad Education Trust, **Dr. Anuradha D. Thakare** and on behalf of IIT **Mr. Srikumar Panyam**, Director, India Operations or **Dr. Darsh Wasan**, Vice President-International Affairs. In case of any change in the details of SPOC of any university, they will inform to other university.

Signatures Follow



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.....Signatories.....

Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago USA	Pimpri Chinchwad Education Trust, Pune India
Name of Official: Peter K. Kilpatrick	Name of Official: Shri. V. S. Kalbhor
Designation: Provost	Designation: Secretary
Date: 10 th September, 2020	Date: 10 th September, 2020

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