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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between



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UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION OF
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&



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UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY
MEGHALAYA, INDIA (USTM)

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THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) is made and entered into this
6th day of April 2019.

BETWEEN

University Grants Commission of Bangladesh (hereinafter referred to as '**UGC**')
represented by the Chairman and whose address for this purpose is at
University Grants Commission of Bangladesh, 29/1, Agargaon, Sher-e-Bangla
Nagar, Dhaka-1207 of the one part;

AND

University of Science & Technology, Meghalaya, India (hereinafter referred to
as '**USTM**') represented by the Vice Chancellor, whose address for this
purpose is at Techno City, Kling Road, Baridua, 9th Mile, GS Road, Khanapara,
Ri Bhoi District, Meghalaya state 793101, India, of the other part.

Whereas **USTM** has requested **UGC** to mentor the upcoming university to
achieve its objectives, through various programmes for the academic
promotion and administrative guidance with the following identified but not
limited to:

1. Within fields that are mutually acceptable and in accordance with the
rules and regulations governing each institute, UGC will facilitate &
coordinate the interaction of the universities of Bangladesh with USTM to
pursue the following general forms of cooperation :

- 1.1 Exchange Visits by students, faculty and administrators for study
and research, teaching and discussions in accordance with
regulations of both governments and universities;



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- 1.2 Exchange of materials in education and research, publications, and academic information, instruction and cultural programmes;
 - 1.3 Institution of fellowships in furtherance of the above objective.
 - 1.4 Exchange of information including, but not limited to, exchange of library materials and research publications;
 - 1.5 Joint research projects and programmes related to global education in the following areas and not limited to;
 - 1.5.1 Peace and conflict transformation;
 - 1.5.2 Water resource and solid waste management;
 - 1.5.3 Women empowerment;
 - 1.5.4 Micro finance
 - 1.6 Any other issues related to the overall spread and promotion of education and for all round development of both the countries in specified areas that may be applicable by rule of law of the respective lands.
2. Joint research by both the institutions in the field of History, Culture, Environment, Liberation War etc may be taken up and promoted as per the need of the changing scenario.
 3. Both the organizations can launch fellowships/scholarships for the competent students/scholars for higher study & research based on terms & conditions prescribed by the authority from time to time.
 4. Both the institutions will fulfil the criterion from time to time as governed by their respective nation for any collaborative activity.
 5. To gear up the process of activities of both the institutions to wear a global outlook and bring about transformation in the Education System transparently for achieving global standards and to reap optimized standardized outputs.



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6. Both parties understand that all financial arrangements will have to be negotiated as the need arises, and will depend on the availability of funds.
7. Specific details for the implementation of these activities in regards to this memorandum will be developed mutually for specific projects.
8. In order to enhance the efficiency of their cooperative activities, the UGC and the USTM agree that it shall be possible to introduce changes and additions to the Agreement by means of mutually agreed upon additional written clauses. This memorandum will have, from time to time, annexes attached to it with regard to these specific projects. These provisions may be added at any time by mutual agreement made in writing.
9. All activities developed under the auspices of this Agreement with the procedures, policies and practices, of each institution as well as all applicable laws and regulations, including applicable portions of the Export Control Acts of India and Bangladesh.
10. Both institutions acknowledge that the visit by faculty and students from one institution to the other shall be subject to Entry and Visa Regulations of India and Bangladesh and shall comply with regulations and policies of the UGC and the USTM.
11. This non-binding Agreement will be effective for a period of five years, effective from the date of signing. At the end of each five-year period, this Agreement will be automatically renewed by mutual agreement for an additional five years, unless the UGC and the USTM provide written notification of a decision of non-renewal prior to the expiration date. A minimum period of six months' notice will be required from each party wishing to terminate the Agreement. In the event of termination, all commitments to students and scholars participating in



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the programmes will be honoured by relevant parties. Where the Agreement continues to be active, the two institutions agree to review it every two years from the date thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF **UGC AND USTM**

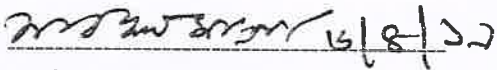
Hereunto have executed this Memorandum of Understanding on the year and date first above written:

SIGNED BY
For and on behalf of

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For and on behalf of

**University Grants Commission of
Bangladesh**

**University of Science &
Technology, Meghalaya, India**



**Prof Abdul Mannan
Chairman, UGC**



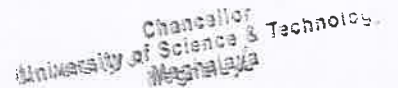
**Mahbubul Hoque
Chancellor, USTM**

Date:


Date:

Seal:

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In the presence of:

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(FARID UDDIN AHMED)

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Date:

In the presence of:

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Date:


**Registrar
University of Science & Technology,
Meghalaya**