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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

between

St. Albert's College (Autonomous), Kochi, Kerala, India.

and

Scheme for Trans-disciplinary Research
for India's Developing Economy Centre, Mahatma Gandhi
University, Kottayam, Kerala, India.

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is signed on the 25th day of March 2022 between St. Albert's College (Autonomous), Kochi, Kerala, India (hereinafter referred to as "ALBERTS") represented by its Chairman, Rev. Dr. Antony Thoppil as the first party and Scheme for Trans-disciplinary Research for India's Developing Economy Centre, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala, India (hereinafter referred to as "STRIDE MGU"), represented by its Coordinator and Associate Professor, Dr. Abhilash Babu as the second party. First Party and Second Party may be collectively referred to as the "Parties" or individually as a "Party."

No. 60/17 Date 5.03.2021

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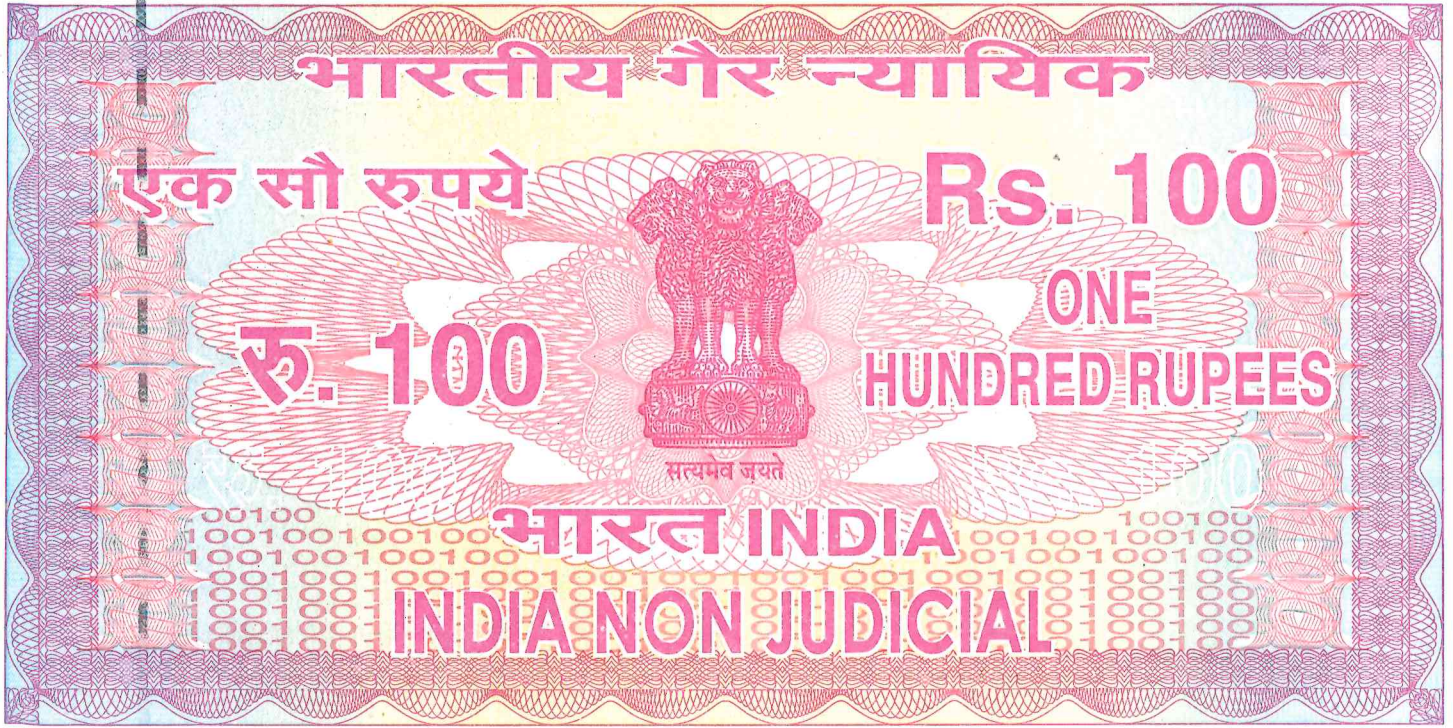
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Purpose

Whereas

1. ALBERTS is an autonomous college based in Ernakulam, Kerala offering 49 programs in both UG and PG and 10 research degrees.
2. ALBERTS, through its Department of Physics, is desirous to associate with STRIDE MGU on various areas as discussed in the purview of this MoU, which will be mutually beneficial to both organizations.

Whereas

3. STRIDE MGU was established to support high impact research in thrust areas of humanities and human sciences including arts, Indian languages, culture and knowledge systems through networking of experts from institutions and organizations across India.
4. STRIDE MGU is desirous to associate with ALBERTS on various areas as discussed in the purview of this MoU, which will be mutually beneficial to both organizations.

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NOW THEREFORE THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITNESSES AS FOLLOWS

ALBERTS and STRIDE MGU recognize that this collaboration would be of mutual benefit and would provide strengths in research and education and their mutual interest in engaging themselves in academic and industrial cooperation. As per the purpose of the said agreement, all the parties shall undertake the following activities with the approval of the authorized signatories.

5. ALBERTS and STRIDE MGU can collaborate in future to conduct lectures, workshops, seminars, research conferences and similar events in areas of mutual interest for the benefit of students, Institutes, Corporate sectors and society at large.
6. ALBERTS and STRIDE MGU can organize and participate in Joint Symposia / Conferences / Workshops / Short-term courses conducted by either of the organization;
7. ALBERTS and STRIDE MGU can explore Joint research grants & Publications in scientific journals with intimation to each other.

General Provisions

8. Treatment of intellectual property rights developed through collaborations under this MoU will be the common property of both the parties.
9. Any research publications arising from joint activity will be jointly published. Data generated through such collaborative research will be published in scientific journals jointly with intimation to each other.
10. All questions not foreseen related to this MoU will be handled by the parties by mutual agreement.
11. Nothing in this MoU is intended to affect other cooperation or collaborations between the parties.

Costs

12. Each Party will be responsible for its own costs in connection with all matters relating to collaborations under this MoU. Where possible and appropriate, the Parties may also seek funding for collaborations from any research organization funding. Common Costs shall be shared equally.



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13. Where applicable, the fee for services from STRIDE MGU to ALBERTS and vice-versa will be as agreed with the approvals of the signatory authorities.

Applicable Law and Jurisdiction

14. Any disputes or issues of interpretation with regard to this MoU shall be resolved amicably between the Parties. In case no amicable solution is found such disputes or issues shall be submitted to the exclusive jurisdiction of three (3) arbitrators mutually agreed by the parties. The arbitration proceedings shall be conducted in English. The seat of the arbitration shall be in a mutually agreed location. This MoU shall be governed by and construed under the laws of India and would be tried in the jurisdiction of courts in Ernakulam district.

Indemnity


15. Each Party agrees to protect, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the other Party and their related parties from and against all liability, claims, loss, damage, and costs (including legal costs and expenses) due to deficiency in performance of any acts under this MoU.


Assignment

16. Neither party will assign its rights or obligations under this MoU without the prior written consent of the other Party, however such requests shall not be withheld unreasonably. This MoU will be binding upon the Parties and their respective legal successors and permitted assigns.

Confidentiality

17. The Parties agree that there is no intention to share any confidential or proprietary information in any collaboration under this MoU. If either Party wishes to disclose information it considers to be confidential or proprietary to the other Party, the Party needs to take prior written consent of the other Party.
18. Students might be working on confidential projects and should not be disclosing any confidential information. Students cannot share data collected during the study in any of


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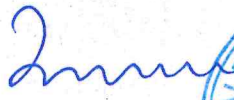
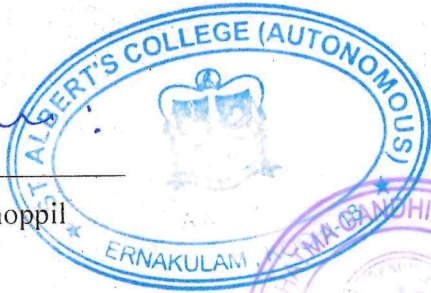
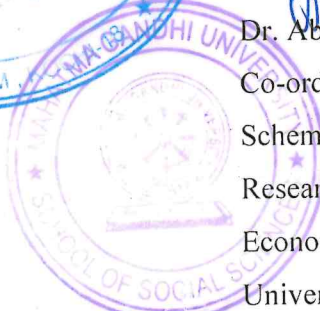
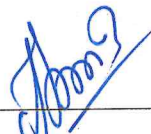

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their assignments, however are free to share their learnings without impacting confidentiality agreements with clients.

Tenure of MoU

19. This MoU shall be effective for a period of five (5) years from the date of execution of this agreement, and can terminate or amend this agreement by giving the other party a written notice one (1) month in advance.

The Parties to this Memorandum of Understanding hereby confirm their agreement to its terms by the following signatures:

 _____ Rev. Dr. Antony Thoppil Chairman St. Albert's College (Autonomous)	 	 _____ Dr. Abhilash Babu Co-ordinator Scheme for Trans-disciplinary Research for India's Developing Economy Centre, Mahatma Gandhi University
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Principal:



Witness 1:



HoD:


Louie Frobel P.G.

Witness 2:

