

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN



KURUKSHETRA UNIVERSITY, KURUKSHETRA

AND



DEFENCE INSTITUTE OF PSYCHOLOGICAL RESEARCH  
DELHI

25<sup>th</sup> AUGUST, 2010

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

The Memorandum of Understanding executed this day 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2010, Kurukshetra

### BETWEEN

Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra (KUK), Haryana -136119 (KUK), through its Registrar, presently Prof. Raghuvendra Singh Tanwar, duly authorized to enter into and sign MOU on behalf of Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra (hereinafter referred to as KUK)

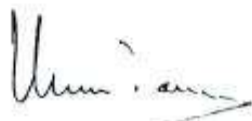
### AND

Defence Institute of Psychological Research (DIPR), through its Director presently Dr. Manas K. Mandal, Sc 'H' duly authorized in this regard. (herein after referred to as DIPR)

The expressions of KUK and DIPR shall, however, mean and include the Institutions/Organisations, their successors, appointees, assignees etc.

### **Now this Memorandum of Understanding Witnessh:**

1. DIPR, Delhi will be a 'Research Affiliate' of KUK.
2. There will be collaboration between the academic faculties of KUK and the scientists and officers of DIPR in the areas of common interests.
3. This collaboration will extend the facilities of the two Institutions/labs for complementing joint research projects and to train each other's students / faculties to facilitate research and training in the area of behavioural sciences.
4. The two Institutions will conduct joint programs including courses and training as per mutual interest.
5. Wherever there is potential for research funding from national / international agencies, the applications for such funding areas of mutual interest may be pursued jointly after obtaining permission of the Competent Authority (DRDO HQrs) and the office of the Vice Chancellor, KUK.
6. Research Students working at DIPR be allowed to register for PH.D. degree to be awarded by KUK. Eligible DIPR Scientists and the



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Professors from KUK will either be the supervisor or co-supervisor, depending on the expertise and the topic of research pursued by the scholar. By-laws of KUK governing the admission and award of Ph.D. degree will apply to such joint Ph.D. program.

7. The stay and working of Ph.D. candidates from DIPR in the institute during the period of research will be considered as residency period and they will be considered as regular scholars by KUK.
8. KUK, after getting approval from appropriate academic body of the university, will recognize and certify the academic training courses conducted by DIPR in collaboration with Department of Psychology, KUK from time-to-time for officers of DRDO and Indian Armed Forces.
9. Ph.D. students working at KUK will be able to carry out a part of their work at DIPR and if needed a DIPR scientist may be a co-guide.
10. KUK and DIPR will cover the cost of research journals and other expenditure incurred in connection with the research collaboration, at their respective levels.
11. DIPR will provide short-term training to students and faculty members of KUK in their areas of specialization on the formal request from the University. A maximum of 4 such requests per year will be accepted.
12. Scientists of DIPR may be invited to deliver lectures in specific courses or seminars of KUK.
13. Mobility of Professors / Faculties of KUK and Scientists and officers of DIPR between KUK and DIPR for attending and/or delivering lectures in short term courses not exceeding the duration of a fortnight like Continuing Education Programs or Refresher Courses will be encouraged. The financial implications of the same will be borne by the organising institution.
14. Any issue arising on intellectual property rights ownership, sharing etc. especially in National or International agencies' funded projects will be dealt appropriately by a joint committee including the third agency(sponsoring/funding agency).



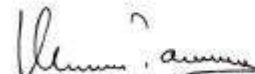
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15. This MOU will come into force on the date of its signature by both parties and will be in force for a period of ten years (if not terminated). This MOU may be extended/amended by mutual consent in writing by both the parties.

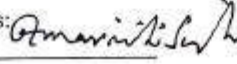
16. This MOU may be terminated by either institution at any time provided that the terminating institution forwards written notices of intention to terminate atleast six months prior to termination but not within the first three years.

17. In case of any dispute arising out of this Memorandum of Understanding or in its enforcement the concerned parties to this MOU will resolve the same amicably by mutual consent of both the parties. However, in case the dispute remains unresolved it shall be referred to an arbitrator to be appointed by mutual consent of both the parties subject to Delhi/Kurukshetra jurisdiction. The decision of the arbitrator shall be final and binding upon both the concerned parties.

In witness whereof, the Registrar, KUK, and the Director, DIPR have hereinto signed this MOU on the day and year first above written.

  
(Prof. Raghuvendra Tanwar)  
Registrar,  
Kurukshetra University,  
Kurukshetra

  
Aug 25, 2010  
(Dr. Manas K. Mandal, Sc 'H')  
Director,  
Defence Institute of Psychological  
Research, Delhi - 110054.

Witness:  
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