

Memorandum of Understanding Between



NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, AGARTALA

And

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MADRAS

This Memorandum of Understanding (this "Memorandum") is made this ... th day of March 2018

BETWEEN

National Institute of Technology, Agartala , represented by the Director, hereinafter referred to as "NITA";

AND

Indian Institute of Technology Madras, Sardar Patel Road, Opposite to C.L.R.I, Beside The Adyar Cancer Institute, Adyar, Chennai, Tamil Nadu 600036, India, represented by the Director hereinafter referred to as "IITM"

Purpose: The Parties hereby establish a formal affiliation for the purpose of concerning for PDF of faculty members of National Institute of Technology Agartala during vacation period at IITM.

OUTLINE OF IITM - NITA F-PDF PROGRAMME

- 1. NITA will identify their faculty for the IITM-NITA F-PDF program. The program period will be for 3 years.
- 2. The NITA F-PDF will identify an IITM faculty willing to be a mentor, through mutual consultation. The role of the mentor will be to facilitate various aspects of research and stay of the NITA faculty at IITM.
- 3. It is expected that an F-PDF will spend about 2.5 months per year at IITM.
- 4. The F-PDF will be free to identify and pursue a research problem of her/his choice. She/he can discuss with various faculty members at IITM and can access library, hospital and research facilities, by following the existing procedures in place. These processes will be similar to those followed by the Institute-PDFs at IITM.
- 5. A suitable contingency amount to the F-PDF will be sanctioned by NITA as per prevailing rules.

TERM AND TERMINATION OF MOU

This Memorandum of Understanding shall in all respects be construed as a statement of intent, is not binding on either party, and neither party shall be liable to the other form any damages,

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expenses, fees or losses whatsoever. Upon full execution of definitive agreement documents for any program contemplated by this Memorandum, such definitive agreement documents shall control and this Memorandum of Understanding shall not be used to interpret the provisions of such agreement. Further, this Memorandum shall not be construed to impose any specific terms or conditions of any intended or anticipated programs and activities between the Parties and specifically excludes the grant of any benefit to, or the imposition of any obligation on, any Party.

This Memorandum shall become effective as of the Effective Date and shall continue for the term of 3years. Thereafter, it can be renewed for additional terms upon the written consent of both Parties and upon such terms and conditions as agreed to by the Parties at the time of renewal.

Either Party may terminate this Memorandum at any time upon giving at least ninety (90) days prior written notice to the other Party. There shall be no penalty payment due upon the early termination of this Memorandum.

- 1. No waiver of a provision, breach or default shall apply to any other provision or subsequent breach or default or be deemed continuous.
- 2. This Memorandum shall continue in full force and effect, exclusive of any provision deemed to violate applicable law.
- 3. This Memorandum may be executed to counterparts, all of which together shall constitute one agreement.

The Parties have executed this Memorandum by their respective duly authorized representatives.

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Name: Dr. Prasun Chakraborty

Title: Chairman IR&AA

National Institute of Technology, Agartala.

Indian Institute of Technology Madras

Name: Prof. Ashok Kumar Mishra Title: Dean Academic Research

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