

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

between

**Sathyabama Institute of Science and
Technology**

and

Universitas Mercu Buana



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This MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING is entered into and executed this day of 2 February 2018 in the city of Jakarta , by and between:

Universitas Mercu Buana, a private University organized under the laws of Republic of Indonesia, with office address at Jalan Meruya Selatan No. 01, Kembangan, Daerah Khusus Ibukota Jakarta 11610, Indonesia, represented by its vice rector, Prof. Dr. Dana Santoso Saroso and hereinafter referred to as "UMB".

and

Sathyabama Institute of Science and Technology, a private university established under the laws of the Republic of India, with an office address at Jeppiaar Nagar, Rajiv Gandhi Salai, Chennai – 600 119. Tamilnadu, India represented by its pro vice chancellor, Dr. T. Sasipraba and hereinafter referred to as "SIST".

Recognizing the importance of higher education, research, and training in the regional development of the Republic of Indonesia and the Republic of India;

Desiring to enhance bilateral cooperation in higher education, research, and training, in accordance with the national laws and regulations of the Republic of Indonesia and the Republic of India;

University of Mercu Buana (UMB) and Sathyabama Institute of Science and Technology (SIST) hereinafter referred to jointly as "the Parties," do hereby agree on the following:

ARTICLE I - OBJECTIVES

The objective of this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is to promote mutual cooperation in education and training on a reciprocal basis, for the advancement of knowledge and intellectual development.

ARTICLE II - SCOPE OF COOPERATION

UMB and SIST will, inter alia:

1. Facilitate the exchange of faculty experts, researchers, academic personnel, and students.
2. Facilitate the exchange of literature, research findings, and other related publications, subject to the relevant national laws, rules, and regulations covering the Parties, as well as international conventions on intellectual property.
3. Facilitate short semester visit for students in either universities.
4. Facilitate joint and/or double degree programs and ensure credit transfers and mutual recognition of courses and degrees of both Parties.
5. Support joint research by faculty members and/or researchers from parties, which can be funded by both institutions, private sector, and/or government agencies/departments.

6. Support teaching and learning activities through visiting lecturing activities in both parties concerned.
7. Facilitate joint thesis supervision of students of either university.
8. Facilitate academic staff development programs.
9. Encourage participation by faculty members and students in each other's educational congresses, conferences, workshops, symposiums, training courses, exhibits, and other activities related to the objectives of this MoU.
10. Consider any other collaborative efforts that both parties may deem fit.

ARTICLE III – IMPLEMENTATION

The Parties shall implement the MoU through specific arrangements, programs, and/or projects subject to the available funds of the Parties, the details of which shall be agreed upon in a separate Memorandum of Agreement to be signed by the Parties.

ARTICLE IV – ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Both parties concerned will retain control and authority on academic matters or business/industry code of conduct in their respective degree, diploma programs, and positions in business/industrial institutions. However, amendments and customizations of MoU to meet regulatory compliance shall be done with mutual consent of the two parties involved.

ARTICLE V – FUNDING

The cost of the cooperative activities under this MoU shall be funded in terms to be mutually determined by the Parties and shall be subject to the availability of funds.

ARTICLE VI – SUSPENSION

Each Party reserves the right for reasons of security, public order, or public health, to suspend temporarily, either in whole or in part, the implementation of this MoU, which shall be effective sixty (60) days after notification has been given to the other Party.

ARTICLE VII - CONFIDENTIALITY AND INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

1. The Parties shall ensure that educational data, information, and intellectual property rights mutually provided and developed which are carried out under this MoU shall not be transferred or supplied to a Third Party without prior written consent of the other party.
2. In case of any specific arrangement, program, or project that may result in intellectual property rights, the Parties shall enter into a separate agreement in accordance with the laws and regulations of their respective countries.

ARTICLE VIII - SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

Any dispute arising from the implementation of the provisions of this MoU shall be settled amicably by consultations or negotiations.

ARTICLE IX - AMENDMENT

This MoU may be reviewed and amended at any time, by mutual written consent of the Parties.

ARTICLE X - DURATION AND TERMINATION

1. This MoU shall be effective for a period of five (5) years and may be extended for the same period by mutual consent of the Parties.
2. The termination of this MoU shall not affect the validity and duration of any arrangements, programs, activities, or projects made under this MoU until the completion of such arrangements, programs, activities, or projects, unless otherwise agreed upon by the Parties.

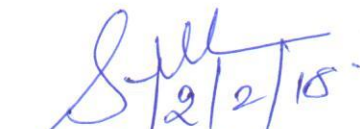
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective institutions, have signed this MoU on 2 February 2018 in the city of Jakarta, Indonesia.

On behalf of
Sathyabama Institute of Science and
Technology

On behalf of
Universitas Mercu Buana

Signed by:

Signed by:


Dr. T. Sasipraba
Pro Vice Chancellor



Prof. Dr. Dana S. Saroso
Vice Rector for Innovation, Alumni and
International Affairs

Witnessed by:

Witnessed by:


Dr. Preethi Sheshadri
Head of International Relations


Dr. Adi Nurmahdi
Head of International Programs

