



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

Sathyabama Institute of Science and Technology

And

Hasan Kalyoncu University

WITNESSETH THAT:

WHEREAS, Sathyabama Institute of Science and Technology (hereinafter referred to as "SATHYABAMA"), Chennai, India and Hasan Kalyoncu University (hereinafter referred to as "HKU"), Gaziantep, Turkey desire to promote the enrichment of their teaching and learning, research and discovery, and engagement missions; and

WHEREAS, SATHYABAMA and HKU desire to strengthen and expand the mutual contacts between the two universities; and

WHEREAS, SATHYABAMA and HKU desire to provide for an exchange of faculty and students and other collaboration between the two universities on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth;

NOW THEREFORE, it is mutually agreed as follows:

I. Scope of Agreement

This Agreement, together with Faculty and Student Exchange Agreements, shall include, but not be limited to, the following types of collaboration:

- a. Short and Long-term Faculty Exchange
- b. Undergraduate and Graduate Student Exchange
- c. Visiting Student Programs
- d. Administrative Support Programs
- e. Collaborative Research and Discovery, Learning and Teaching, and Engagement
- f. Other mutually agreed educational programs

II. Period of Agreement

This Agreement becomes effective on the date of the last signature and will remain in full force and effect for a period of five (5) years. Prior to the expiration date, the agreement may be reviewed for possible renewal for a further five (5) year period. In addition, either can party terminate this agreement as indicated in Section III below.

III. Termination

This Agreement may be terminated prior to the Termination Date in any of the following ways:

- a. Termination by Agreement. The Parties may mutually agree to terminate this Agreement in writing, on the terms and dates stipulated therein.
- b. Early Termination. Either Party may terminate this Agreement at any time with or without cause by delivering written notice of termination to the other Party at least ninety (90) days prior to such early termination.
- c. Termination for Cause. Either Party may terminate this Agreement upon a material breach by the other Party which is not cured within thirty (30) days of written notice of such breach to the other Party. Any second or subsequent material breach within a particular one (1) year term, whether such breach is of the same kind or not, shall be grounds for immediate termination of this Agreement.
- d. Ongoing Obligations. Upon the termination of this Agreement, the provisions herein shall cease to be in force and effect; provided, however, that termination of this Agreement shall have no effect on the following obligation of either party: (i) obligations accruing prior to the date of termination; and (ii) obligations, promises, or covenants contained herein that are expressly made to extend beyond the term of this Agreement, including without limitation, confidentiality of information.

IV. Activities under this Agreement

It is expected that activities taking place under this Agreement will be initiated primarily by academic units and International Offices within each university, and in coordination with their respective administrative units concerned with international activities. All activities undertaken must conform to the policies and procedures in place at each institution.

V. Planning and Management of Activities

Each distinct collaboration program or activity will be described in a separate Activity Agreement drawn up jointly by the collaborating units and signed by authorized signatories of each Party. Such agreements will specify the names of those individuals on each campus responsible for the implementation of the program. Activity Agreements will be approved by Coordinator for International Office, the Pro Chancellor/ Vice Chancellor/ Pro Vice Chancellor at SATHYABAMA and the Coordinator for International Office, the Rector/ Vice Rector/ Dean/Director of the appropriate School at HKU.

VI. Funding of Activities

Activity Agreements should make financial costs and obligations explicit. Collaborating units are encouraged to work together to identify and secure any outside funding which may be needed. Projects requiring funding must be approved by both institutions.

VII. Use of Name

HKU will not use the name of SATHYABAMA, nor of any member of SATHYABAMA program staff, in any publicity, advertising, or news release without the prior written approval of an authorized representative of SATHYABAMA. SATHYABAMA will not

use the name of HKU, or any employee of HKU, in any publicity, advertising, or news release without the prior written approval of HKU.

VIII. Nondiscrimination

SATHYABAMA and HKU agree that no person shall on the grounds of race, color, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, or creed be excluded from participation under the terms of this Agreement.

IX. Modification

The terms of this Agreement may be changed or modified only by written amendment signed by authorized agents of the parties hereto.

X. Prevailing Language

Should this document be executed in two languages, the English version of this Memorandum of Understanding represents the understanding of both Parties. Any other version is provided as a translation. In the event of conflict between the two versions, the English version will prevail.

VI. COMMUNICATION AND COORDINATION

To provide for consistent and effective communication between HKU and SATHYBAMA, the following points of contact are established:

For SATHYABAMA

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