



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

ORIENTAL UNIVERSITY (OUI)

INDORE, INDIA

AND

RAJA RAMANNA CENTRE FOR ADVANCED TECHNOLOGY (RRCAT)

INDORE, INDIA

This **Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)** is effective as of **May 24, 2022** to establish an affiliation by and between

Oriental University, Indore, the first Private University of Indore established in 2011 having the philosophy to contribute to a broader sphere, thereby offering diverse programmes in Agriculture, Commerce, Computer Applications, Education, Engineering, Law, Library & Information Sciences, Management, Pharmacy, Science etc. hereinafter referred to as OUI, through its authorized representative, Dr. Dhruva Ghai, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, of the **FIRST PART**,

and

Raja Ramanna Centre for Advanced Technology, Indore, India, a premier unit of Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) with vast expertise and facilities for research in the field of particle accelerators and laser science and technology having its office at Indore, Madhya Pradesh, India hereinafter referred as RRCAT, through its authorized representative, Dr. Shankar V. Nakhe, Director, of the **OTHER PART**, for the purpose of academic and research collaboration.

WHEREAS the aforesaid parties are hereinafter referred to individually as *party* and collectively *Parties*.

1. OBJECTIVES:

Since RRCAT, Indore is actively engaged in and has expertise and facilities for research in various areas of Science and Engineering in general and photonics in particular, OUI is interested in sending its PhD Students, Research Fellows, M. Tech. / M. Pharm./ M.Sc./PhD students to pursue research / projects at RRCAT in all the areas of Science and Engineering.



Both Parties agree to develop collaborative activity in the areas of mutual interest honouring the confidentiality of the respective institutes.

In addition, the researchers from both the institutes will be able to carry out their research /project work using facilities and expertise at both the institutes, namely, RRCAT and OUI.

The duration of research work at respective campuses would be decided through mutual discussion by the research supervisors on either side.

Several scientists from RRCAT, who are recognized as guides for Ph.D. and M. Sc. / M. Tech. / M. Pharm. may help in implementing the collaborative programmes under this MoU.

2. VALIDITY:

The Memorandum shall remain in force for a period of 5 years commencing from the effective date. Parties may extend the term by written agreement signed by both the Parties.

3. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS:

The protection and exploitation of any intellectual property arising out of a collaborative research project will be addressed jointly on case to case basis through mutual agreement and within the framework of IPR policies of both the institutes.

4. TERMINATION:

Either Party may terminate the MoU at any time by giving written notice of 30 days in advance to the other Party. Neither Party will be responsible for any losses, financial or otherwise, which the other Party may suffer. However, both the Parties will ensure that the provisions of this Memorandum shall continue to apply to all activities in progress until their completion.

5. AMENDMENTS / MODIFICATIONS:

This MoU may be amended or modified by a written agreement signed by the representatives of both Parties.

6. DISPUTE RESOLUTION:

In case, there be a dispute relating to any aspect of the cooperation, Chancellor / Vice Chancellor, OUI and Director, RRCAT will jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence, mutual respect, and shared responsibility.

OUI and RRCAT welcome the establishment of this Memorandum for cooperation and jointly agree to the provisions as set out above.



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For and on behalf of the RRCAT

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Shankar Nakhe

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Designation: Director, RRCAT,
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2. Dr. Shovan K. Majumder

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Dhruva Ghai

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