





# BERHAMPUR UNIVERSITY



## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING FOR SCIENTIFIC AND EDUCATIONAL COOPERATION

BETWEEN

PARALA MAHARAJA ENGINEERING COLLEGE,  
SITALAPALLI, BERHAMPUR  
ODISHA - 761003

AND

BERHAMPUR UNIVERSITY, BHANJA BIHAR,  
BERHAMPUR, ODISHA-760007, INDIA

Berhampur University and the Parala Maharaja Engineering College agree that for encouragement and development of cooperation and exchange in areas of mutual academic interest, it is desirable to enhance research and educational processes at both the universities/institutes and to strengthen mutual understanding between their respective staff, scholars and students. The Parala Maharaja Engineering College, represented by Principal and Berhampur University, represented by the Vice-Chancellor, Berhampur University, hereby agree on academic and educational cooperation and have set forth the following Articles of Mutual Agreement:

### Article 1

Both universities agree on, but is not limited to, the following based on their academic and educational needs:

1. Exchange of scholars and staff.
2. Exchange of students.
3. Exchange of academic information and materials.
4. Joint research activities and publications.
5. Organisation and participation in conferences and academic meetings such as courses, seminars, symposia or lectures.

6. Other academic exchanges that both organizations agree to.

#### **Article 2**

The implementation of each exchange programme or joint project based on this agreement shall be negotiated on a case-by-case basis and agreed upon in writing by both organizations. Any such exchange programme or collaborative project entered into, as outlined above, will form an appendix to this basic agreement.

#### **Article 3**

The exchange programmes and/or projects, as mentioned in Article 2, are not intended to be legally binding documents. They are meant to describe the nature and suggest the guidelines of the programme or project. Nothing, therefore, shall diminish the complete autonomy of either university/college, nor will any constraint be imposed by either upon the other carrying out the agreement.

#### **Article 4**

To carry out and fulfil the goals of this agreement, both organizations shall designate a programme coordinator to develop and coordinate the specific programmes and projects agreed upon. The appendix, as part of the general agreement, shall include such items as:

1. Elaboration of the responsibilities of each university/college for the agreed-upon activity.
2. Schedule for the specific activity.
3. Budget and sources of financing for each activity.
4. Any other item deemed necessary for the efficient management of the activity.

The programme coordinators will be responsible for evaluating activities under this agreement according to the practices of the respective parties. Both sides will approve letters of agreement according to the standard procedures adopted by the signatory parties.

#### **Article 5**

This agreement shall take effect on the day it is signed and shall continue until terminated by agreement between the parties. Any changes must be agreed to in writing by both parties. A minimum period of six months notice will be required from either party wishing to terminate the agreement.


As a witness to their consent to this agreement, the appropriate authorities hereunto provide their signatures.

For Parala Majharaja Engineering College  
Odisha, India



Dr. Raghunandan Swain

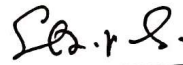
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Principal,  
Parala Maharaja Engineering College

Date: 09/02/2022

For Berhampur University, Odisha  
India,



Dr. Sukanta K. Tripathy

Director, RCII, BU

Date: 09/03/2022



Vice-Chancellor,  
Berhampur University

Date: 9<sup>th</sup> March 2022