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**Memorandum of Understanding
On
Academic Cooperation
Between**



Gurudas College
1/1, Suren Sarkar Road, Phulbagan,
Kolkata - 700054



St. Joseph's College
North Point, P.O.- Darjeeling,
PIN-734104

This Memorandum of Understanding is hereby solemnised between Gurudas College, 1/1, Suren Sarkar Road, Phulbagan, Kolkata - 700054 and St. Joseph's College, North Point, P.O.- Darjeeling, PIN-734104 for nourishing and honing collaborative academic growth and development of both the colleges for a period of Five Years w.e.f. 01/08/2023 with the following shared vision:

1. Building up academic partnerships
2. Institutes preparedness for NEP matters.
3. Teacher – Exchange Programme
4. Joint national/international seminars/workshops
5. Library and staff development programmes.

NOW THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITNESSETH and it is agreed by and between both the colleges hereto as follows:

1. STAFF AND STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAMME:

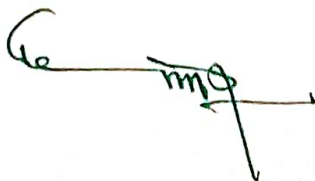
- (a) Each party will accept visiting faculty members and students from the other party. The host party will arrange and bear all expenses for board and lodge for the visiting party. All other expenses, including the travel expenses, shall be the responsibility of the visiting party.
- (b) That the exchange shall be in a manner of a maximum of four students and two teachers in a given semester.
- (c) That each party will take necessary permissions and/or approval from concerned and competent authorities on matters of staff and student exchange, and all issues arising thereof.
- (d) That the selection of students and teachers for such exchange programmes shall be the responsibility of the Principal of the concerned college, and that the host college shall accept only the list duly signed, sealed and communicated by the Principal of the visiting institution to the Principal of the host institution.

2. ACTIVITY EXCHANGE PROGRAMME:

- (a) That the activity exchange programme shall include exchanges in terms of games and sports, cultural exchange, and the exchange of research materials, publications, and information to facilitate academic and cultural interchange between the parties of the MoU.
- (b) The number of faculty and staff members under the activities exchange programme shall be as per the requirement of the activity, and shall be decided and settled prior to the programme between the signatories of this agreement.

3. TENURE OF THE MOU:

- (a) The MoU shall stand valid for a period of Five years from the date of its execution. However, it shall be automatically renewed unless any party hereof communicates for its termination, with a prior written notification to the other Party, at least before three months from the date of its expiry.



4. COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS AND ABSENCE OF AGENCY:

- (a) Both Parties shall comply with the relevant laws in the jurisdiction in which it is in situ, and that all the visiting members from either of the institution shall comply with all relevant laws in the jurisdiction of the host party.
- (b) That **NOTHING** in the MoU gives rise to a relationship of agency between the parties.

IN WITNESS whereof both the parties have set and subscribed their respective hands and seals, and this MoU has been duly executed on the date shown at the beginning of this MoU

[Signature] 01.08.2023
Signed by duly authorized
Representative of Caritas College,
Kolkata
Principal
Caritas College
(Govt. Sponsored)
Kolkata-74

[Signature] 01.08.2023
Signed by duly authorized
Representative of St Joseph's College,
Dae Principal
St. Joseph's College
North Point, P.O.
Darjeeling - 734104

Witness
Name: *[Signature]*
01.08.2023

Address: *[Signature]*
Kolkata - 700054

Designation: *[Signature]*
IQAC Coordinator
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KOLKATA-700 054

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Name: Fr Dr Binay Acharya (Kandahar, SJ)

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