

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

GURU NANAK DEV UNIVERSITY, INDIA And

THE BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER, USA

This Memorandum of Understanding is entered into as of June 12, 2019 (the "Effective Date"), by and between GURU NANAK DEV UNIVERSITY, INDIA ("GNDU") and BOARD OF REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF OKLAHOMA, a public body, USA ("OUHSC"). In the spirit of intellectual cooperation, scholarly exchange, and the development of international understanding, GNDU and OUHSC agree to establish a program of exchange and collaboration including work on Entrepreneurship Development, as well as other related matters of mutual interest that may emerge over time.

- I. The purposes of the cooperation are to promote cooperative research and to facilitate the international exchange of ideas, the development of new knowledge, and to enhance global research acumen. The modes of cooperation could include:
 - a) Faculty visits for collaboration in research and teaching;
 - b) Student mobility programs for learning and research
 - c) The development and implementation of cooperative research projects, professional
 - d) Development programs, and capacity-building efforts aimed at enhancing policy implementation;
 - e) The dissemination of findings through scholarly publication, white papers and in the media;
 - f) Efforts to ensure sustainability of the programs.
2. To achieve the goals of this cooperation, both parties will, insofar as the means of each allow:
 - a) Promote institutional exchange by inviting faculty and student researchers of the partnering institution to participate in appropriate research activities;
 - b) Organize symposia, conferences, and meetings on timely research issues;
 - c) Develop and carry out joint research programs;
 - d) Exchange information pertaining to the agreed-upon research areas.
3. Prior to the initiation of any particular project or activity, the specific terms of cooperation and exchange for that project will be discussed and agreed upon in writing by the appropriate responsible representatives of both institutions.
4. Both parties understand that all financial arrangements for specific exchange activities must be mutually agreed upon in advance.

5. In addition, the scope of the activities will be subject to funds available at the institutions for the type of collaboration undertaken. Nothing in this Agreement obligates either party to commit or transfer any funds, assets or other resources in support of projects or activities between the parties.

6. Either party may propose to the other specific individual research projects for collaboration. Such proposal may be made at any time and the parties will develop a written agreement for each agreed-upon project. The protection and exploitation of any intellectual property arising out of a research project will be addressed in each individual project agreement early on and on an ongoing basis. In general, the two institutions shall co-own jointly developed intellectual property resulting from clearly defined collaborative projects. Parties shall execute clearly defined non-disclosure agreements to protect the confidentiality of intellectual property received.

7. The Parties agree to comply with all applicable U.S. export control laws and regulations, including the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR), 22 CFR 120-130, the Export Administration Regulations (EAR), 15 CFR 730-799, and the Foreign Assets Control Regulations (FACR), 31 CFR 500-599, in the performance of this agreement. Neither party will export or re-export controlled items or technologies without first obtaining any necessary export licenses or other government approval such as qualifying for exemptions or license exceptions.

8. OUHSC will invite selected students who are already registered for their Masters or PhD program at their parent institute (GNDU) for research training at OUHSC laboratories to enable them to get their thesis part completed under the co-mentorship of OUHSC mentor (Principal Investigator) and the GNDU mentor. Upon completion of their thesis project, they will obtain formal degree at their home institute (GNDU). OUHSC will not be responsible for sponsoring these students for their travel and living expenses. Eligibility and the selection criteria will be decided jointly by international research training committees of both institutes.

Day to day implementation of this Agreement will be coordinated by Prof. Preet Mohinder Singh Bedi
GURU NANAK DEV University, India and

Dr. Dharambir K. Sanghera, College of Medicine, University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center, USA.

The parties agree that in the course of implementing this MOU, they will not engage in unlawful discrimination on the ground of race, gender, sexual orientation, age, religion, social class, national or ethnic origin or disability.

9. Amendments to this MOU may be made at any time after consultation and agreement between the two universities. Any such amendment must be in writing and signed by both parties.

11. This MOU will remain in force for a period of one year from the Effective Date. The MOU can also be suitably modified, as agreed to in writing by both parties, to reflect an increased scope, nature of engagement /activities including financial commitments, if any. Prior to the expiration date, the MOU may be reviewed for possible renewal for an additional one-year period. In addition, either party may terminate the MOU in advance of its normal expiration by providing the other with ninety (90) days prior written notice. In this case.

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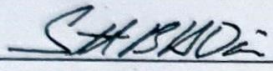
public announcement or suggestion of endorsement without the prior written approval of the other party.

13. Each party will be responsible for its own negligent and intentional acts and omissions with the OUHSC's liability governed by the terms of the Oklahoma Governmental Tort Claims Act, 51 Okl. St. §§ 151 et seq

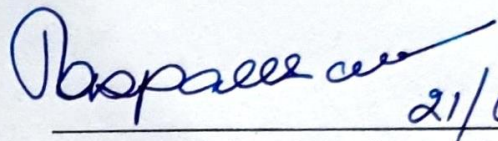
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have two (2) copies of this instrument, each of which shall be considered an original.

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GURU NANAK DEV UNIVERSITY

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