



# **PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY PUDUCHERRY – 605 014**



**142<sup>nd</sup> MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

**Date: 19.03.2022**

**AGENDA & NOTES**

**PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY  
PUDUCHERRY**

**ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY SECOND MEETING OF THE  
EXECUTIVE COUNCIL**

**DATE: 19.03.2022**

**VENUE: Council Hall  
R. Venkataraman Nagar  
Puducherry**

**TIME: 11:30 A.M.**

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**Outgoing Members: -**

1. Prof. S. Balakrishnan, Director, Directorate of Studies,  
Pondicherry University
2. Prof. H. Kalpana, Head, Department of English,  
Pondicherry University

**New Members:**

1. Prof. T. Tharanikkarasu, Director, Directorate of Studies,  
Educational Innovations & Rural Reconstruction, Pondicherry  
University.
2. Dr. Chakradhar Behera, Professor & Head, Department of Sanskrit,  
Pondicherry University
3. Dr. T. Sivakumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer  
Sciences

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**ANNEXURE-I**

2022.142.02      To record the Action Taken Report of the 141<sup>st</sup> Meeting of the Executive Council held on 22.12.2021.

**ANNEXURE-II**

2022.142.03

**TO CONSIDER REVISION IN THE AFFILIATION FUND/ FEES PRESCRIBED IN THE APPENDIX-I OF THE ORDINANCES GOVERNING ACADEMIC MATTERS OF THE UNIVERSITY AND CONSEQUENT AMENDMENT IN THE ORDINANCES**

The following revision in the Fund/Fees prescribed in the Appendix-I of the Ordinances Governing academic matters of the University are proposed based on the recommendations of the Affiliation Committee of the University:

**One Time Fee for Autonomous Colleges**

As per the UGC Regulations 2018 for Autonomous Colleges onetime fee can be prescribed by the University at the time of conferment of Autonomous Status to the College and such fees can be prescribed by the Executive Council of the parent University. Accordingly, the following one time fee is proposed to be prescribed to the Autonomous Colleges at the time of conferment of Autonomous Status based on the recommendation of the Committee constituted to review the Affiliation and other Funds:

<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Category of Institution</b>	<b>One Time Fee for Conferment of Autonomous Status</b>
1.	Arts & Science/Law	Rs. 10,00,000/-
2.	Engineering	Rs. 75,00,000/-
3.	Medical	Rs. 3,00,00,000/-
4.	Dental	Rs. 1,00,00,000/-
5.	Para-Medical Nursing/Pharmacy	Rs. 30,00,000/-
6.	Education	Rs. 30,00,000/-
7.	Veterinary/Agriculture	Rs. 10,00,000/-

The matter was also placed before the Affiliation Committee in its meeting held on 28.01.2020.

The Affiliation Committee recommended to collect the one time fee for the Autonomous Status in two installments in cases of the Colleges expressing difficulties in payment of the said fee in one installments vide its Minutes dt.28.01.2020.

**Honorarium to Inspection Committee Members**

As per the Fees structure prescribed in the Academic Ordinances, the rate of Honorarium for Inspection Committee Members is Rs.2,000/- per College Inspection per Committee Member. This Honorarium has been increased for the External Inspection Committee members to Rs.3,500/- for the academic year 2019-20 subject to ratification by the AC/EC.

Subsequently, the Affiliation Committee vide its Minutes dt.28.01.2020(Sl.No.8) approved the raise in Honorarium to Inspection Committee Members from Rs.2000/- to Rs.5,000/- subject to maximum of Rs.10,000/- per day. Accordingly the above increase in the Honorarium is proposed for approval of the Council.

### **Late Fee for Belated Applications for Affiliation**

The Affiliation Committee vide its Minutes dt.28.01.2020(Sl.No.10) recommended to levy a late fee as detailed below for the belated application received for New Courses/Increase in Intake/Continuation of Provisional Affiliation etc.

Engineering Colleges	- Rs. 20,000/-
Medical Colleges	- Rs. 1,00,000/-
Arts & Science and other Colleges	- Rs. 10,000/-

Consequent on the above proposed new fees/revision in existing honorarium the following amendments in the Appendix-I of the Ordinances Governing Academic Matters of the University are proposed:

Existing Version	Amended Version	Justification /Remarks
<b><u>APPENDIX -I</u></b>  <b><u>Inspection Committee fund, affiliation fund, endowment etc.</u></b>  <b>Inspection Committee Fund (Local Inspection Committee)</b>  First Visit : Rs. 15,000/- + TA/DA & Honorarium Rs. 2,000/- per college inspection per Committee member  Second Visit: Rs. 15,000/- + TA/DA & Honorarium @ Rs. 2,000/- per college inspection per Committee member  Assistance charge of Rs.500/- per college inspection for the non teaching officers / non teaching staff who are assisting the inspection committee.	<b><u>APPENDIX -I</u></b>  <b><u>Inspection Committee fund, affiliation fund, endowment etc.</u></b>  <b>Inspection Committee Fund (Local Inspection Committee)</b>  First Visit : Rs 30,000/- + TA/DA & Honorarium @ Rs.5,000/- per college inspection per Committee member.  Second Visit: Rs 30,000/- + TA/DA & Honorarium @ Rs. 5,000/- per college inspection per Committee member.  Assistance charge of Rs.1,000/- per college inspection for the non-teaching officers/non-teaching staff who are assisting the inspection committee.	Based on the recommendations of the Affiliation Committee vide its Minutes dt.28.01.2020 the increase in Honorarium of the Inspection Committee Members is incorporated.

<p><b>Late Fund :</b> Upto 15 days : Rs. 25,000/- Upto 30 days : Rs. 50,000/- Beyond 30 days: Rs. 50,000/-+Rs.2,000/ Per day for a period of one month till closure</p> <p><b>V. Other Fees</b> 1.For change of Name – Rs. 50,000/- 2. For change of Trust – Rs. 50,000/- 3. For Gender change – Rs. 50,000/- (Men-Women, etc.) 4. For Colleges/Institution closure – Rs.1,00,000/- 5. For course closure –Rs. 1,00,000/-</p> <p><b>6. Processing fees</b> i) a) Application processing fees for new college – Rs. 50,000/-b)Application processing fees for new college under Indian Medicine – Rs. 25,000/- ii)Application processing fees for new courses – Rs. 25,000/- iii) Application processing fees for increase in intake – Rs. 5,000/- iv) Processing fees of applications for introducing new courses for which no syllabus is available – Rs.4,00,000/- for all disciplines</p>	<p><b>Late Fund :</b> Upto 15 days : Rs.50,000 Upto 30 days : Rs.1,00,000/- Beyond 30 days: Rs.1,00,000/-+ Rs.4,000/- per day for a period of one month</p> <p><b>V. Other Fees</b></p> <p>No change</p> <p><b>7. One Time Fee for Conferment of Autonomous Status</b></p> <table><tr><td>Arts &amp; Science/ Law</td><td>Rs. 10,00,000/-</td></tr><tr><td>Engineering</td><td>Rs. 75,00,000/-</td></tr><tr><td>Medical</td><td>Rs. 3,00,00,000/-</td></tr><tr><td>Dental</td><td>Rs. 1,00,00,000/-</td></tr><tr><td>Para-Medical Nursing/ Pharmacy</td><td>Rs. 30,00,000/-</td></tr><tr><td>Education</td><td>Rs. 30,00,000/-</td></tr><tr><td>Veterinary/ Agriculture</td><td>Rs. 10,00,000/-</td></tr></table> <p><b>Note:</b> In the cases of Colleges expressing difficulties in payment of the one time fee in one installment, Vice-Chancellor may permit such Colleges to pay the fee in two installments.</p>	Arts & Science/ Law	Rs. 10,00,000/-	Engineering	Rs. 75,00,000/-	Medical	Rs. 3,00,00,000/-	Dental	Rs. 1,00,00,000/-	Para-Medical Nursing/ Pharmacy	Rs. 30,00,000/-	Education	Rs. 30,00,000/-	Veterinary/ Agriculture	Rs. 10,00,000/-	<p>Based on the recommendations of the Affiliation Committee vide its Minutes dt.28.01.2020 as per the provision in the UGC Regulations 2018 for Autonomous Colleges, the one time Fee is incorporated.</p>
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<p><b>7. Fine</b></p> <p>(For unauthorized excess admission made in a course for which affiliation is already granted)</p> <table><tr><td>(i) For Arts and Science College</td><td>(a)UG- Rs. 30,000/- per seat (b) PG- Rs. 40,000/- per seat</td></tr><tr><td>(ii)All Professional Courses</td><td>(a) UG. Rs. 50,000/- per seat (b) PG- Rs. 75,000/- per seat</td></tr></table> <p><b>Note:</b> In addition to the above fines, Vice-Chancellor may decide on the quantum of fine to be imposed depending upon the gravity of the lapses of the concerned colleges on case to case basis.</p>	(i) For Arts and Science College	(a)UG- Rs. 30,000/- per seat (b) PG- Rs. 40,000/- per seat	(ii)All Professional Courses	(a) UG. Rs. 50,000/- per seat (b) PG- Rs. 75,000/- per seat	<p><b>8. Fine</b></p> <p><b>a) For late submission of Application for Affiliation</b></p> <table><tr><td>i)Engineering Colleges</td><td>Rs. 20,000/-</td></tr><tr><td>ii)Medical Colleges</td><td>Rs.1,00,000/-</td></tr><tr><td>iii) Arts &amp; Science and other Colleges</td><td>Rs. 10,000/-</td></tr></table> <p><b>b) For unauthorized excess admission made in a course for which affiliation is already granted</b></p> <table><tr><td>(i) For Arts and Science College</td><td>(a)UG- Rs. 30,000/- per seat (b) PG- Rs. 40,000/- per seat</td></tr><tr><td>(ii)All Professional Courses</td><td>(a) UG. Rs. 50,000/- per seat (b) PG- Rs. 75,000/- per seat</td></tr></table> <p><b>Note:</b> In addition to the above fines, Vice-Chancellor may decide on the quantum of fine to be imposed depending upon the gravity of the lapses of the concerned colleges on case to case basis.</p>	i)Engineering Colleges	Rs. 20,000/-	ii)Medical Colleges	Rs.1,00,000/-	iii) Arts & Science and other Colleges	Rs. 10,000/-	(i) For Arts and Science College	(a)UG- Rs. 30,000/- per seat (b) PG- Rs. 40,000/- per seat	(ii)All Professional Courses	(a) UG. Rs. 50,000/- per seat (b) PG- Rs. 75,000/- per seat	<p>Based on the recommendations of the Affiliation Committee vide its Minutes dt.28.01.2020 the fine for late submission of application for Affiliation is incorporated.</p>
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For consideration and approval of the proposed new fees/revision in existing honorarium and consequent amendment in the Appendix-I of the Ordinances Governing Academic matters.



2022.142.04

**TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE PROPOSED RENEWAL MOU BETWEEN CSIR FOURTH PARADIGM INSTITUTE, BANGALORE AND DEPT. OF EARTH SCIENCES, SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL CHEMICAL AND APPLIED SCIENCES, PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY**

CSIR Fourth Paradigm Institute, Bangalore and Dept. of Earth Sciences, School of Physical Chemical and Applied Sciences, Pondicherry University, Puducherry have renewed the Memorandum of Understanding(MoU) and agreed to the protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research related activities.

<b>MoU Proposal with whom</b>	CSIR Fourth Paradigm Institute, Bangalore.
<b>Received from</b>	Prof.S. Balakrishnan, Director (SEI&RR), Pondicherry University
<b>Coordinator of the MoU</b>	Dr.Srinivasamoorthy, Professor, Dept. of Earth Sciences, School of Physical Chemical and Applied Sciences.
<b>MoU Evaluation Committee recommendation / remarks</b>	The draft MoU for renewal was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee.
<b>School / Dept. concerned with MoU</b>	Dept. of Earth Sciences, School of Physical Chemical and Applied Sciences.
<b>Areas of Collaboration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• CSIR-4PI has set up a GHG monitoring station in the Pondicherry University Guest House campus with funding from DST in March 2008 and CSIR in 2012.<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• CO<sub>2</sub> monitoring station is a national facility for studying the impact of greenhouse gases on Global Climate particularly related to India.</li><li>• The station should continue for a long period of time as this station is very useful for GHG monitoring as it collects the air flowing from the land and also from the sea in different seasons depending on the direction of the wind blowing in this area.</li></ul></li><li>• The Pondicherry University has agreed to provide support for this work for a long time as this work is of national interest.</li></ul>
<b>Validity of the MoU</b>	Starting from date of signatures.

<b>Other financial specifications</b>	As per the MoU.
<b>Probable date of signing MoU</b>	As soon as possible
<b>Any other specific remarks</b>	No.

The draft MOU for renewal sent by the Coordinator of the MoU with CSIR Fourth Paradigm Institute, Bangalore was examined and recommended by the MOU Evaluation Committee of the University and also approved by the University authorities. A copy of the draft renewal MOU is attached as Enclosure.

Submitted for approval of the Council.

## Enclosure

	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Memorandum of Understanding</b> <b>ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH COLLABORATION</b>  between  <b>CSIR FOURTH PARADIGM INSTITUTE</b> <b>(formerly C-MMACS), Bangalore, India</b> and  <b>PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, Pondicherry, India</b></p>	
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This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is executed between the following parties:

**PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY** - A Central University under the Ministry of Education established under University Act 1985, Government of India, situated at Puducherry UT, India.

The **REGISTRAR**, Pondicherry University, is duly authorised to enter into and sign the MOU on behalf of Pondicherry University, Puducherry (hereinafter called as 'PU').

AND

CSIR-Fourth Paradigm Institute, (formerly C-MMACS)- established by **Council of Scientific and Industrial Research**, a society registered under the Societies Act of India 1860, having registered office at New Delhi, India.

The Head PME, CSIR-Fourth Paradigm Institute, is duly authorised to enter into and sign the MOU on behalf CSIR-Fourth Paradigm Institute, Bangalore (hereinafter called as CSIR-4PI)

### Background of the institutions

**Pondicherry University** offers Postgraduate and Doctoral research programs in multiple disciplines leading to Masters and PhD degrees from its campuses at Puducherry (Main), Karaikal, Mahe, Yanam and Andaman & Nicobar Islands. Post-doctoral Research Fellowships and National and International Collaborative Research Projects are also undertaken by faculty.

**Council of Scientific and Industrial Research**, a society registered under the Societies Act of India 1860, having its registered office at Anusandhan Bhavan, 2, Rafi Marg, New Delhi-110001, represented by one of its constituent laboratories, **CSIR Fourth Paradigm Institute**, with its principal place of work at CSIR-NAL Belur Campus, Wind Tunnel Road, Kempapura, Bellandur, Bengaluru, Karnataka 560 037, India (herein after called "**CSIR-4PI**", which expression shall, where the context so admits, include its successors and permitted assigns) on one part.

**CSIR-4PI**, Bangalore and **PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY**, Pondicherry have agreed to the following protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research related activities:

### **1. Preamble:**

Whereas, CSIR-4PI has set up a GHG monitoring station in the PU guest house campus with funding from DST in March 2008 and CSIR in 2012.

And Whereas, CO<sub>2</sub> monitoring station is a national facility for studying the impact of greenhouse gases on Global Climate particularly related to India.

And Whereas, the Parties feel that station should continue for a long period of time as this station is very useful for GHG monitoring as it collects the air flowing from the land and also from the sea in different seasons depending on the direction of the wind blowing in this area.

And Whereas, the PU has agreed to provide support for this work for a long time as this work is of national interest.

Now therefore, the Parties hereto agree to enter into this MoU for the maintenance of the GHG monitoring station with the terms and conditions as mentioned below:

#### **2.1 Responsibilities of CSIR-4PI:**

- ❖ Data collection, analysis and modelling for carbon fluxes.
  - ❖ Overall management and maintenance of the GHG monitoring facility set up at PU.
- The following persons will, on behalf of the respective Parties, be the sole individuals authorized for joint management of the GHG station:

CSIR-4PI	University
Name: Mr. K. Iranna Gogeri	Name: Prof. K. Srinivasa Moorthy
Address: CSIR-4PI, NAL Belur Campus, Bangalore - 560 037	Address: Department of Earth Sciences, Pondicherry University
Contact No: 080- 25051332	Contact No: 0413-2654916
Fax: -080-25220392	E-mail:
E-mail: iranna@csir4pi.in	moorthy.esc@pondiuni.edu.in

Either Party may change the exclusive contract by written notice to the other Party.

#### **2.2 Responsibilities of the PU:**

- ❖ PU will provide requisite support facilities, notably power, water, security, and routine check-up required for continuous operation of the instruments, uninterrupted power supply, air conditioning, and internet connectivity to remote monitor the health of the system and access data and data transfer to CSIR-4PI from time to time.
- ❖ PU, on request, provide logistic support for visiting CSIR-4PI representatives, in respect of accommodation and food in the guest house.
- ❖ PU will provide support with regard to collection of air samples in flasks provided by CSIR-4PI at regular intervals and also ensure uninterrupted data generation at the site. University will also take responsibility for any requirements by CSIR-4PI in the continuous operation of the instrument and other needed infrastructure at the GHG monitoring station.
- ❖ PU will ensure keeping the surroundings of the GHG station clean, particularly trimming the growth around the station, ensuring cables, etc. are free from tree branches, etc., for proper functioning of the same.

#### **2.3 Any Joint Responsibility and Co-ordination:**

Both the Parties will work together to make sure the facility created for continuous GHG monitoring functions without any major problem.

#### **3. Data and Knowledge Sharing (Intellectual Property Sharing) between the parties:**

Data generated by the GHG monitoring station will be shared between CSIR-4PI and PU. Either Party shall not use the shared data for manuscripts, reports, national and international presentations or any commercial use without the consent of the other Party. Any reports/publications from either of the parties,



using the said data, should acknowledge the other party for their collaborative work in the project.

**4. Financial arrangements:**

For the services and support rendered by the PU, CSIR-4PI agrees to pay a lumpsum of Rs. 3,00,000/- per year. The said amount will be transferred to the PU against an invoice referring to this MoU.

**5. Future Augmentation and Extension of Observational Facilities:**

The facility shall be augmented and extended depending on the need and requirement at that stage with mutual agreement.

**6. Closure/Discontinuation of the Observational Facility:**

The Parties agree to provide full support for the maintenance of the GHG monitoring station. In case, the station is closed due to some unavoidable reason, CSIR-4PI will take control over the station and the parties will decide mutually on future course of action.

**7. Force majeure:**

- i. Force majeure shall mean fires, floods, natural calamities or other acts such as war, turmoil, sabotage, explosions and quarantine restrictions beyond the control of either party.
- ii. Should any force majeure circumstance arise, each of the contracting party shall be excused for the non-fulfilment or for the delayed fulfilment of any of its contractual obligations, if the affected party within 30 days of its occurrence informs the other party in writing.
- iii. It is understood and agreed between the parties hereto that the rights and obligations of the parties shall be deemed to be in suspension during the continuance of the force majeure event as aforesaid and the said rights and obligations shall automatically revive upon the cessation of the intervening force majeure event.
- iv. If the force majeure conditions continue beyond six months, the parties shall then mutually decide about the future course of action.

**8. General:**

- i. Any amendments to this MoU will be treated as valid and effective if made in writing with the consent of the Parties to this MoU.
- ii. Either party will not assign its responsibilities to a third party without the consent of the other Party.
- iii. This MoU will be in effect as long as there is no breach of responsibilities by both the parties or terminated by the parties by mutual consent. The Parties obligations, if any, will survive even after the termination of MoU.
- iv. In case there is any change in the address of any of the parties mentioned here, it will be communicated to the other party.

**9. Disputes and settlements:**

All disputes or differences arising out of or in connection with this understanding shall be settled only through mutual discussion and negotiation. In the event that any such dispute or difference cannot be settled, as above, the same shall be referred to DG, CSIR and Vice-Chancellor, University. Pending settlement of any dispute, both parties shall continue to fulfil all obligations in accordance with this understanding except when such obligations are the subject matter of the said dispute.

<p>SIGNATURE:</p>     <p>Name and Designation</p> <p><b>The Head PME,</b> CSIR-Fourth Paradigm Institute</p>  <p>DATE:</p>	<p>SIGNATURE:</p>     <p>Name and Designation</p> <p><b>The Registrar,</b> Pondicherry University Legal Representative of Pondicherry University.</p>  <p>DATE:</p>
<p><b>WITNESSED BY:</b></p> <p>SIGNATURE</p>    <p>MOU Coordinator: Mr. K. Iranna Gogeri Scientist, CSIR-4<sup>th</sup> Fourth Paradigm Institute, Bangalore.</p>	<p><b>WITNESSED BY:</b></p> <p>SIGNATURE</p>    <p>MOU Coordinator Dr.K. Srinivasa Moorthy, Professor, Department of Earth Sciences, Pondicherry University</p>
<p>SIGNATURE</p>     <p>Name &amp; Designation International Relations, CSIR</p>	<p>SIGNATURE</p>     <p>A.Subramanyam Raju, Ph.D. Dean - International Relations Pondicherry University</p>

**2022.142.05**

**TO CONSIDER FIXING JURISDICTION OF CASES AT MADRAS HIGH COURT ONLY IN RESPECT OF ANY DISPUTE AGAINST PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY ON ANY MATTER.**

As per Section 7(1) of the Pondicherry Act, 1985, the Jurisdiction of the University has been extended to the whole of the Union Territory of Pondicherry, Andaman and Nicobar Islands and Union Territory of Lakshadweep. In view of diverse Jurisdiction involving 3 Union Territories, the University receives court cases filed against the University at different courts located in the University's Jurisdiction.

The University faces difficulty in appointing University Counsel and attending the court proceedings at different courts to defend the cases. As most of the cases are filed by the students against the University, a legal opinion has been obtained from one of the University Counsels. He has opined that a condition in the Affiliation Order itself that the Jurisdiction in respect of any dispute against Pondicherry University shall be at Madras High Court only with a further condition that the aforesaid condition shall have to be included in the prospectus and obtaining an undertaking from the students to that effect, at the time of admission itself might result in change of Jurisdiction to Hon'ble High Court of Madras in future cases.

In view of the above, it is submitted for consideration and approval of the council to fix Jurisdiction at Madras High Court only in respect of any dispute against Pondicherry University on any matter, so as to incorporate the said condition in all the documents like Affiliation Orders, Prospectus, Admission/Examination Applications, Recruitment Applications, Purchase Orders, Tenders, Work Orders, etc and obtain an undertaking to this effect from students (including University, affiliated Colleges & DDE students) and other stakeholders, wherever necessary.

For consideration and approval of the Council.

2022.142.06

**TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE PROPOSED MOU BETWEEN ATOMIC MINERALS DIRECTORATE FOR EXPLORATION AND RESEARCH (AMD), HYDERABAD AND SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL, CHEMICAL AND APPLIED SCIENCES, PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, PUDUCHERRY**

The University proposes to have an MOU with Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research (AMD), Hyderabad for promotion of research in the fields of Earth Sciences, Analytical Chemistry, Electronics, Instrumentation, etc. Apart from this, AMD is also extending training / dissertation / project work for the students of Universities for their partial fulfilment of their courses.

<b>MoU Proposal with whom</b>	Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research (AMD), Hyderabad
<b>Received from</b>	Dr. Deepak Kumar Sinha, Director, Dept. of Atomic Energy, Hyderabad
<b>Coordinator of the MoU</b>	Dr.M.S. Pandian, (Professor, Dept. of Earth Sciences) Dean, School of Physical, Chemical and Applied Sciences
<b>Approved by Authorities</b>	Yes.
<b>MoU Evaluation Committee / remarks</b>	The draft MoU is examined and recommended by the MoU Committee on 9.7.2020.
<b>Legal Opinion</b>	After recommended by the MoU Committee, the draft MoU vetted by the Legal Cell on 28.12.2020.
<b>School / Dept. concerned with MoU</b>	School of Physical, Chemical and Applied Sciences
<b>Objectives / Purpose</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>AMD being an exploration agency, has generated lot of data which is advancement in the earth science, which can be used for further research and pursuance of higher degree. Therefore, AMD encourages its scientists to pursue research leading to various degrees viz. M.Tech., Ph.D and D.Sc., on a topic relevant to its exploration activities. This MoU would help scientists to get involved for further research through enhancement of knowledge available in Universities.</li> <li>AMD's professional experience in the field of Geology, Geophysics, Nuclear Physics, Isotopic Dating, Analytical Chemistry, etc. can be shared with the students of the University in the form of lectures, mentoring of research scholars and AMD Studentship Programmes aimed at optimum</li> </ul>



	<p>Utilization of research available with AMD.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Similarly, it is the statutory object of the Pondicherry University to disseminate and advance knowledge by providing instructional, research and extension facilities in such branches of learning as it may deem fit and it endeavours to provide to students and teachers the necessary atmosphere and facilities for the promotion of (i) innovation in education leading to restructuring of courses, new methods of teaching and learning and integral development of the students' personality, (ii) studies in various disciplines, (iii) inter-disciplinary studies, and (iv) national integration, secularism and international understanding. The research and academic experience of Pondicherry University can be shared with the professionals from AMD in pursuing higher studies and research.</li></ul>
<b>Validity of the MoU</b>	For Five years starting from date of signatures.
<b>Other financial specifications</b>	As per the MoU.
<b>Any other specific remarks</b>	No.
<b>Probable date of signing MoU</b>	As soon as possible

The draft MOU sent by the Coordinator of the MOU with Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research (AMD), Hyderabad was examined and approved by the MOU Evaluation Committee of the University. The final draft MOU is attached as Enclosure.

Submitted for approval of the Council.

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
BETWEEN ATOMIC MINERALS DIRECTORATE OF EXPLORATION AND RESEARCH  
(AMD), HYDERABAD AND PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, PUDUCHERRY**

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter called the MoU) is entered into on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ two thousand twenty by and between the President of India acting through the Director, Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research (AMD), a Constituent Unit of Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) Government of India (hereinafter called "AMD" which expression shall mean and include its successors in interests and assigns) on the **ONE PART**;

**AND**

The Pondicherry University, a Central University, created by an enactment of the Parliament of India (No.53 of 1985) and is a body corporate with a perpetual succession and a common seal and acting through its Registrar (herein after called the "University" which expression shall mean and include its successors in interests and assigns) on the **OTHER PART**.

**1.0 Preamble:**

- 1.1 **Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research (AMD)** is a premier National Research Centre under the Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) with the primary mandate of exploration and research for atomic minerals required for the country's nuclear power programme. AMD has a big pool of scientists in Geology, Geophysics, Nuclear Physics, Chemistry, Electronics, Instrumentation and Engineering disciplines. AMD is interacting closely with Universities and other Academic Institutions for promotion of research in the fields of Earth Sciences, Analytical Chemistry, Electronics, Instrumentation, etc. Apart from this, AMD is also extending training/ dissertation/project work for the students of Universities for their partial fulfillment of their courses.
- 1.2 The vision of **Pondicherry University** is to serve as an enabler of societal transformation through state-of-art higher education and research that match global benchmarks by providing access, resources and opportunities. The University's motto is 'Vers la lumière' meaning 'towards the light'.

**2.0 Scope and objectives:**

- 2.1 AMD being an exploration agency, has generated lot of data which is advancement in the earth science, which can be used for further research and pursuance of higher degree. Therefore, AMD encourages its scientists to pursue research leading to various degrees viz. M.Tech., Ph.D and D.Sc., on a topic relevant to its exploration activities. This MoU would help scientists to get involved for further research through enhancement of knowledge available in Universities.
- 2.2 AMD's professional experience in the field of Geology, Geophysics, Nuclear Physics, Isotopic Dating, Analytical Chemistry, etc. can be shared with the students of the University in the form of lectures, mentoring of research scholars and AMD Studentship Programmes aimed at optimum utilization of resources available with AMD.
- 2.3 Similarly, it is the statutory object of **the Pondicherry University** to disseminate and advance knowledge by providing instructional, research and extension facilities in such branches of learning as it may deem fit and it endeavours to provide to students and teachers the necessary atmosphere and facilities for the promotion of (i) innovation in education leading to restructuring of courses, new methods of teaching and learning and integral development of the students' personality, (ii) studies in various disciplines, (iii) inter-disciplinary studies, and (iv) national integration

secularism and international understanding. The research and academic experience of Pondicherry University can be shared with the professionals from AMD in pursuing higher studies and research.

- 2.4 Realizing the above objectives, the Parties hereto have agreed to create a long term partnership in Research, Education and Training including undertaking of collaborative Research in the areas of mutual interest supported by funding through the respective institutions according to the broad framework set forth in this Memorandum of Understanding to facilitate advancement of knowledge on the basis of reciprocity based efforts, mutual benefits and regular interactions and monitoring in the following modes of collaboration, within the framework of the rules and regulations of the respective Parties to this MoU:

- (a) exchange of information on Research, Teaching, Learning materials and other literature relevant to the educational and Research programmes envisaged under this MoU such as earth sciences, analytical chemistry, electronics, instrumentation, geological, geophysical survey, mineral exploration, etc.;
- (b) joint proposals and engagement in research or training programmes while extending invitations to each others personnel/faculty to participate therein;
- (c) exchange on reciprocal basis, student/personnel at under graduate, graduate, doctoral levels for specified periods for the purposes of education and/or research;
- (d) providing opportunities for the personnel of both the Parties and the students to use to the maximum, the expertise and facilities available in both the Organizations through training and through exchange of thoughts and research results, academic research and training materials, etc.; and
- (e) sharing experience and expertise of both the Parties for mutual benefits.

**3.0 Duration of MoU, Extension and Termination:**

- 3.1. This MoU shall be valid for a period of 5 (five) years from the date of its signing.
- 3.2. This MoU may be extended for a further period of up to 5 years by mutual consent which should be in writing.
- 3.3. This MoU may be terminated by either Party by giving a written notice of not less than 3 months prior to the desired termination date to the other Party by mutual consent. However, both Parties agree that notwithstanding the termination, all continuing obligations to students, scholars, staff / personnel of both Parties, funding bodies or other entities under this MoU shall be met in full, subsequent to the notice of termination.
- 3.4. The termination of this MoU shall not affect the rights or obligations of either party regarding any binding offer or firm obligation approved and agreed to by the Parties prior to the notice of termination.
- 3.5. The termination of this MoU shall not invalidate any of the actions taken by either Party in good faith under the force of this MoU prior to such notice of termination.

**4.0 Amendment/Modification:**

No amendment to, or modification of, this MoU may be made except by written mutual consent between the Parties.

**5.0 Duties and Responsibilities of AMD:**

- 5.1 AMD will permit the exchange of resource personnel between AMD and the University for Specialized Lectures and practical demonstration. AMD will offer



services to the University without any honorarium or compensation of any kind, on mutual understanding basis.

- 5.2 AMD will invite teachers and students from the University for participation in various Seminars / Symposia / Workshops in AMD, Hyderabad. No registration fee will be charged upto five participants approved by the University authorities.
- 5.3 AMD will facilitate participation of M.Sc., M. Tech. & M. Sc.Tech students (Geology and Geophysics disciplines) in the AMD-Studentship Programme (AMDSP) with stipend at the rates prescribed and notified by AMD from time to time. A certificate of participation will be issued to such students. A copy of the prospectus on AMDSP as on date of signing of this MoU is annexed to this MoU and shall form part and parcel of this MoU. The terms and conditions of the AMDSP are subject to change from time to time and shall be binding on the University.
- 5.4 AMD will facilitate participation of M.Sc./M.Tech. (Geology, Geophysics, Physics, Chemistry disciplines) students of the University to pursue their project work in AMD's Laboratory/Field areas ranging from one month to two months duration. A certificate of participation will be issued to such students.
- 5.5 AMD will offer core samples and facilities in the core library at AMD, Hyderabad to research scholars of the University for pursuing research, if desired for joint investigations, subject to the provisions of the Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure Agreement referred to in para 8.1 hereinafter as well as the Atomic Energy Act, 1962 and the Rules made thereunder.
- 5.6. AMD will encourage the University to take up research and development projects of AMD's interest, funded by / through the Board of Research in Nuclear Sciences (BRNS), an advisory body of the Department of Atomic Energy, Government of India in which AMD will offer its scientists to act as Principal Coordinators. AMD will not, however, be involved in any manner in procurement of specialized/specific equipment for any BRNS project, which has to be managed in accordance with the BRNS guidelines stipulated for Principal Investigators (PI). AMD also will not have any role in the financing of such projects by BRNS and the same will be governed by BRNS rules and guidelines.
- 5.7 AMD will provide the knowledge based services of its scientists for evaluation of Graduate, Post-Graduate students and Ph.D. scholars if required, as per the rules of the University.
- 5.8 AMD will identify internal supervisors in AMD for the officer / staff who qualify for registration of Ph.D./D.Sc. in the University. The Internal supervisor will be in addition to the University guide for carrying out research and such internal supervisor identified by AMD shall be acceptable and binding on the University.
- 6.0 Duties and Responsibilities of the University:**
- 6.1 The University will permit the exchange of resource personnel between AMD and the University for specialized lectures and practical demonstration. The University will offer services to AMD without any honorarium or compensation of any kind on mutual understanding basis.
- 6.2 The University will recognize AMD as a Research Centre to pursue research leading to M.Tech./Ph.D./D.Sc. AMD scientists who prefer to pursue research in the University will be given relaxation, as may be possible, from the mandatory course work as prescribed by the University. Such scholars will be permitted to utilize laboratory facilities, library and online resources of the University.

- 6.3 The University will furnish to AMD, a copy of the Ph.D. thesis submitted by the research scholars who have used the facilities of AMD under this MoU.
- 6.4 The University will arrange lectures on specialized subjects to trainees of BARC Training School as well as the scientists and staff of AMD/DAE, as and when requested by AMD.
- 6.5 The University will offer their services to AMD in technical review of research papers and teaching materials for trainees.
- 6.6 The University will consider expertise available in AMD for the nominations in academic and scientific committees of the University for the advancement of science.
- 6.7 The University will also consider participation of AMD's Scientists in National level research projects undertaken by the University, for mutual benefit. AMD will not, however, participate in any consultancy projects which involves monetary benefit to the University or of commercial nature.
- 6.8 The University will extend all necessary and possible help to AMD in implementation of DAE's societal programmes such as the "AKRUTI Technology Package for Rural Deployment" and any other such programmes developed by DAE in future for societal developments. The University will also extend necessary and possible support to the public outreach programmes of DAE for propagating ideas of "**Safe and Clean Nuclear Energy in India**".
- 6.9 The University will invite AMD scientists for workshops, special lectures, seminars, etc. on subjects of mutual interest. No registration fee will be charged for such events from AMD upto five participants from AMD.
- 6.10 The University personnel shall comply with all the requirements, rules and regulations of AMD including safety, health, security, access and operational practices, when they are in AMD complexes.
- 6.11 The University shall not use AMD's/DAE's name, logo, etc., for the purpose of publicity through any public media like press, radio, television, internet etc. without the prior written permission from AMD / DAE authorities. This clause also mutatis mutandis apply to the scholars, students, contractors, sub-contractors, consultants, advisors, etc. of the University and the university shall be vicariously liable for any breach of this condition by any of these functionaries, in addition to these functionaries being individually liable for such breach.
- 7.0 **Financial and other Obligations:**
- 7.1 This MoU does not commit any specific financial obligation or liability on either Party. Each Party shall be responsible for its own costs in connection with all matters relating to the collaborations under this MoU except to the extent specifically mentioned in this MoU. All the expenses on implementation of the programmes under this MoU incurred/to be incurred by the Parties such as travel expenses, personal expenses, per diem, expenses on accommodation, health etc. shall be borne by the respective Party. However, in case of invited lectures, all such expenses of the invitee shall be borne by the inviting host party. In case of external funding of any programme, under this MoU, is considered necessary, either Party, by mutual consultation, may explore the same.



- 7.2. Nothing in this MoU constitutes or shall construe a Party as the partner, agent, employee or representative of the other Party. A Party to this MoU must not act independently of the other Party and does not have the right or power to commit the other Party on any matter or to incur any obligation on behalf or pledge the credit of, the other Party without the prior written approval of the other Party.

**8.0 Confidentiality and Non-Disclosure of Information:**

- 8.1 The Parties to this MoU agree that in general, there is no intention to share any confidential information or proprietary information in any collaboration under this MoU. At the same time, all information and documents to be exchanged pursuant to this MoU will be kept confidential by the parties and will be used subject to such terms as each party may specify. The parties will not use the information for purpose other than that specified without the prior written consent of the other party.
- 8.2 It is further agreed that in the event of any need to share or disclose any such information for the purpose of implementation of the programmes under this MoU, all such information shall remain the exclusive property of the disclosing party. The parties agree that this agreement and the disclosure of the Confidential Information do not grant or imply any license, interest or right to the Recipient in respect of any intellectual property right of the other party.
- 8.3 Unpublished information, whether oral, in writing or otherwise, discovered or conceived by the scientists or technicians and exchanged under the provision of this MoU will not be transmitted to any third party, unless otherwise agreed to by the parties in writing and unless due approval of the competent authority in AMD is specifically conveyed in writing.
- 8.4 The provisions of this clause shall continue to be in force even after expiry or termination of this MoU, except to the extent of information as may be brought in the public domain by way of lawful publication of research results, etc.
- 8.5 Any contravention of the "Restricted information" categories under Section 18 of the Atomic Energy Act, 1962 and "Official Secrets" under Section 5 of the Official Secrets Act, 1923 and rules made thereunder by the students / scholars and employees of the Parties or by any contractor, sub-contractor, consultant, advisor or the employees of the contractor/Agency will invite penal consequences under the aforesaid legislations. This clause shall also *mutatis mutandis* apply to the scholars, students, contractors, sub-contractors, consultants, advisors etc. of the University and the university shall be vicariously liable for any breach of this condition by any of these functionaries, in addition to these functionaries being individually liable for such breach.

**9.0 Indemnification in case of Liabilities:**

In case of any accidental death or injury or loss, including loss of property, of any kind to the students/scholars/employees of each Party or to any other person engaged by either Party for the purposes of this MoU while in the premises of the other Party / or during joint field traverses, neither Party nor its employees shall have any liability to the other Party or towards such students/scholars/employees. Each party hereby indemnify the other in this regard.

**10.0 Co-ordination and Monitoring:**

Both AMD and the University will nominate and designate one person each from the respective Party who will be responsible for the co-ordination and implementation of this MoU. A joint committee comprising two members from each Party and the co-ordinators so nominated shall monitor the academic benefits to both the institutions and progress of the achievements during the implementation of this MoU

and shall recommend the further course of action from time to time. The committee shall meet at least twice a year or more number of times as may be required.

**11.0 Intellectual Property Rights:**

- 11.1 Each Party acknowledges that the Participating Researchers may engage only in general, collaborative activities involving basic, non-proprietary research during exchange visits under this MoU. The Parties do not intend for the Participating Researchers to create or develop new intellectual property as a result of such visits. If intellectual property is created or developed by Participating Researchers under this MoU, the Parties will negotiate in good faith to resolve the issues including but not limited to ownership, responsibility for patent or other statutory protection and licensing.
- 11.2 If specific collaborative research Projects are identified by either Party, the same shall be decided by mutual discussions. In such an event, the Parties to this MoU shall enter into a separate written agreement ("Specific Collaborative Research Project MoU") before commencing any research activity, setting forth therein all the requirements, each Party's contributions, deliverables and commitments. Such Specific Collaborative Research Project MoU will also delineate the Parties' rights and obligations and will address, among other things, sources of funding and intellectual property rights. Each Party shall inform its Participating Researchers that they are responsible for reporting to their respective Co-ordinating officer regarding any proposed specific collaborative research projects that may arise from their visits and their interactions with one another under this MoU, prior to initiating projects or applying jointly for external funding for such projects. Each Party also shall inform its Participating Researchers of their obligations to abide by all regulations, policies and procedures of their employing institutions regarding the disclosing and handling of intellectual property and developed technologies that may arise under this MoU or under any Specific Collaborative Research Project MoU.

**12.0 Jurisdiction of Courts:**

The Courts having jurisdiction at Hyderabad and the Honourable High court for the State of Telangana at Hyderabad shall have the exclusive jurisdiction on matters arising out of this MoU.

**13.0 Arbitration:**

- 13.1 Notwithstanding clause 12.0 hereinabove, any differences of opinion, disagreement or dispute arising out of or in the course of implementation of this MoU, shall be amicably settled by mutual discussions between the Heads of both the Parties to this MoU. In the event no settlement could be arrived at by mutual discussions as above, the differences of opinions, disagreement or dispute shall be referred to the sole Arbitration of an Arbitrator appointed by Secretary, Government of India, Department of Atomic Energy. The award of the Arbitrator shall be final and binding on the parties to this MoU.
- 13.2 Performance under this MoU shall not be or stand suspended or terminated due to initiation or continuation of any arbitration proceeding and no payment due under this MoU to any Party shall be withheld unless such payment constitutes the subject of such arbitration proceedings. The venue of arbitration shall be such as the arbitrator at his discretion may determine.



13.3 Subject as aforesaid, the Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996, and the rules there under and any statutory modifications thereof for the time being in force shall apply to the arbitration proceedings under this clause. However, all payments due to AMD will be made during the period of dispute, unless that itself is the point of dispute.

13.4 In this clause the expression "Secretary, Government of India, Department of Atomic Energy" includes, if there be no such Secretary, Government of India, Department of Atomic Energy the officer who is for the time being the Administrative head of the Department of Atomic Energy, whether in addition to other functions or otherwise.

**14.0 Force Majeure:**

Neither of the Parties hereto shall be considered in default in performance of the obligations hereunder, if such performance is prevented or delayed because of any act of God or caused by reasons beyond the reasonable control of such Party and in such an event, the agreed time of completion of obligation under this MoU shall stand extended by a period equal to the period of delay so caused.

**DIRECTOR, AMD**

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**TO CONSIDER ADOPTION OF NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY (NEP)  
IN ALL SCHOOLS/CENTRES OF THE UNIVERSITY FROM THE  
ACADEMIC YEAR 2022-23**

Government of India has initiated steps for implementing the National Education Policy (NEP) which has far reaching implications to Higher Education. Pondicherry University is implementing the provisions of NEP in all its Schools/Departments/Centres from the Academic Year 2022-23.

Accordingly, all academic programmes are being redesigned with a focus on Skill Development, Multi-disciplinary learning, Blended modes of Teaching, Multiple entry-exit facility, Quality Accreditation, etc.

UGC has also constituted a Task Force for overseeing the implementation of NEP in Southern States with Dr. Gurmeet Singh, Vice-Chancellor, Pondicherry University as a member in a six member Committee.

Accordingly, Pondicherry University is providing leadership in implementing NEP in all affiliated colleges, autonomous Institutions located in Union Territory of Pondicherry, Andaman & Nicobar Islands and in Lakshadweep Islands.

For approval of the council.

2022.142.09

**TO CONSIDER THE APPOINTMENT OF ADJUNCT FACULTY [THREE POSITIONS] IN THE UGC CENTRE FOR MARITIME STUDIES.**

The following Eminent personalities are proposed for appointment as Adjunct Faculty:

**UGC Centre for Maritime Studies:**

1. Ambassador Rajiv Bhatia, Former Ambassador, Distinguished Fellow, Foreign Studies Programme at Gateway House, Mumbai

He is a member of CII's International Advisory Council, Trade Policy Council and Africa Committee. He is the Chair of FICCI's Task Force on Blue Economy, and served as Chair of Core Group of Experts on BIMSTEC.

He is a founding member of the Kalinga International Foundation and a member of the governing council of Asian Confluence. As Director General of the Indian Council of World Affairs (ICWA) from 2012-15, he played a key role in strengthening India's Track-II research and outreach activities.

During a 37-year innings in the Indian Foreign Service (IFS), he served as Ambassador to Myanmar and Mexico and as High Commissioner to Kenya, South Africa and Lesotho. He dealt with a part of South Asia, while posted as Joint Secretary in the Ministry of External Affairs.

2. Lt. Gen. (Dr.) Arvinder Singh Lamba, PVSM, AVSM, Ph.D., Former Vice Chief of Army Staff, Indian Army

From the elite Parachute Artillery Regiment, retired as Vice Chief of Army Staff after more than four decades of service to the nation. The General Officer has vast exposures to engagements in National Security, Defence Cooperation, Military Diplomacy, and International Relations during his service and as part of the strategic community after retirement.

As Vice Chief of the Army Staff, the officer was responsible for Army level monitoring of the External and Internal security environment, force transformation and strategic postulations for overall readiness of the Army.

A veteran of the 1971 war in Bangladesh, he has participated in major operations across the country, served in important command and staff appointments in various theatres and in Insurgencies within the country as also Sri Lanka.

The General Officer is a Ph.D. in Management Studies, Masters in International Relations from Kings College London, M.Phil and MSc in Strategic and Defence Studies from Indian Universities.

3. Vice Admiral Pradeep Chauhan, AVSM & Bar, VSMAn alumnus of the National Defence Academy, the Defence Services Staff College, the Naval War College, and the National Defence College, with B.Sc., M.Sc., and M.Phil degrees under his belt.

He is currently the Director-General of the National Maritime Foundation, New Delhi, which is India's foremost resource centre for the development and advocacy of strategies for the promotion and protection of India's Maritime interests.

The admiral retired on 30 November 2013 after an illustrious, rich and varied four-decade-long career in the Executive Branch of the Indian Navy. This included a stint in Antarctica, as also a three-year deputation to the Government of Mauritius, where he set up and commanded the Mauritius National Coast Guard.

The Profiles of the above dignitaries are placed in the Table as Annexure-I.

For approval of the Council.

**Estimated Budget for Annum**

S.No	Particulars	Total (Rs)
1.	Amb. Rajiv Bhatia: 1. Honorarium Rs.5000 x 5 lectures=Rs.25000 (Lecture and interaction with faculty and students) 2. Travel: maximum upto Rs.25000 3. Local Transport & Accommodation (boarding an lodging) for one week: (To be borne by University) 4. Contingency: Rs.10000(for concerned Centre)	60000
2.	Vice Admiral Pradeep Chauhan: 1. Honorarium Rs.5000 x 5 lectures=Rs.25000 (Lecture and interaction with faculty and students) 2. Travel: maximum upto Rs.25000 3. Local Transport & Accommodation (boarding an lodging) for one week: (To be borne by University) 4. Contingency: Rs.10000(for concerned Centre)	60000
3.	Lt.General Arvinder S. Lamba: 1. Honorarium Rs.5000 x 5 lectures=Rs.25000 (Lecture and interaction with faculty and students) 2. Travel: maximum upto Rs.25000 3. Local Transport & Accommodation (boarding an lodging) for one week: (To be borne by University) 4. Contingency: Rs.10000(for concerned Centre)	60000
	<b>Total</b>	<b>1,80,000</b>

**(Rupees in words: One lakh and eighty thousand)**

2022.142.10

**TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE SIGNING OF THE RENEWED MOU BETWEEN LUMIERE LYON 2, FRANCE AND DEPT. OF FRENCH, SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES, PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY**

University of Lumiere Lyon 2, France and Dept. of French, School of Humanities, Pondicherry University have renewed the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) and agreed to the protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research related activities.

<b>MoU Proposal with whom</b>	University of Lumiere Lyon 2, France
<b>Received from</b>	Dr. Nalini J. Thampi, Professor, Dept. of French, through the Dean, School of Humanities, Pondicherry University.
<b>Coordinator of the MoU</b>	Dr. Nalini J. Thampi, Professor, Dept. of French, School of Humanities, Pondicherry University.
<b>MoU Evaluation Committee recommendation / remarks</b>	The draft MoU for renewal was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee.
<b>School / Dept. concerned with MoU</b>	Dept. of French, School of Humanities, Pondicherry University
<b>Areas of Collaboration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Exchanges for teachers and researchers</li><li>• Exchanges for students</li><li>• Pedagogical or research programmes</li><li>• All actions considered to be held in common by both parties.</li></ul>
<b>Validity of the MoU</b>	Starting from date of signatures.
<b>Other financial specifications</b>	As per the MoU.
<b>Probable date of signing MoU</b>	As soon as possible
<b>Any other specific remarks</b>	No.

The draft MOU for renewal sent by the Coordinator of the MoU with University of Lumiere Lyon 2, France was examined and recommended by the MOU Evaluation Committee of the University and also approved by the University authorities. A copy of the draft renewal MOU is attached as Enclosure.

Submitted for approval of the Council



## COOPERATION AGREEMENT



Between

The **Université Lumière Lyon 2** – 86, Rue Pasteur, 69635 -- LYON Cedex 07--, France,

represented by its President,

and

**Pondicherry University**, Kalapet, PUDUCHERRY – 605014,

represented by its Registrar

The following has been agreed :

### **Article 1 :**

The signatory parties to this Agreement decide to institutionalise and organise cooperation in all the fields of teaching and research that are considered to be held in common.

### **Article 2 :**

This cooperation may notably concern :

- Exchange of teachers and researchers.
- Exchange of students.
- Pedagogical or research programmes.
- All actions considered to be held in common by both parties.

### **Article 3 :**

The implementation of the Agreement will lead to the drawing up of an annual work programme which will determine in particular :

The discipline concerned ; the nature and time schedule for the action ; the number of people involved in the exchange and its nature ; the duration of the exchanges.

### **Article 4 :**

As regards the exchange of teachers and researchers, the following principles have been agreed upon :

- Responsibility for payment of travel expenses taken by the home university.
- Responsibility for the payment of accommodation expenses taken by the host university on the basis of internal regulatory criteria.

The implementation of the Agreement is subject to both parties obtaining the financial means necessary.

### **Article 5 :**

As regards student exchanges, the exact conditions of the exchange :

numbers, level, validation of courses taken at the host university, enrolment conditions and so on, are to be the subject of a codicil attached to the present Agreement.

### **Article 6 :**

Both parties are responsible for guaranteeing that all participants in the exchange programmes have fulfilled all the legal requirements for the host country in terms of visas, social security, third party insurance and so on.

**Article 7 :**

Each university will appoint a Coordinator to take care of the implementation of the agreement.  
For University Lumière Lyon 2 : Prof. James Walker.  
For Pondicherry University : Prof. Nalini J. Thampi.

**Article 8 :**

The present Agreement is signed for a period of five years from the date of the signatures affixed here below. It may be modified by common consent and terminated by either party with six months' notice, in which case the programmes in progress will be continued until their agreed end date.

**Article 9 :**

This Agreement has been established in 4 originals :  
two in French and two in English, each being authentic.

For the Université Lumière Lyon 2

For Pondicherry University

Nathalie Dompnier,  
President,  
Representative of  
Université Lumière Lyon 2,  
Lyon, France  
DATE :

The Registrar,  
Pondicherry University,  
Legal Representative of  
Pondicherry University,  
Puducherry, India  
DATE :

WITNESSED BY :

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Vice-Président,  
Direction des Relations Internationales,  
MOU Coordinator, Université Lumière Lyon 2

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Pondicherry University





## ACCORD DE COOPÉRATION



Entre

**L'Université Lumière Lyon 2** – 86, Rue  
Pasteur, 69635 LYON Cedex 07 –,

représentée par son Président

et

**Pondicherry University**, représentée par son  
Registrar

Il est convenu ce qui suit :

### **Article 1 :**

Les parties signataires décident d'institutionnaliser et d'organiser une coopération dans tous les domaines de l'enseignement et de la recherche considérés d'intérêt commun.

### **Article 2 :**

Cette coopération pourra concerner notamment :

- des échanges d'enseignants et chercheurs.
- des échanges d'étudiants.
- des programmes pédagogiques ou de recherche.
- toutes actions considérées d'intérêt commun par les parties.

### **Article 3 :**

La mise en œuvre de l'Accord donnera lieu à l'élaboration d'un programme de travail annuel qui déterminera notamment :

La discipline concernée ; la nature et le calendrier de l'action ; les effectifs échangés et leur nature ; la durée des séjours.

### **Article 4 :**

En ce qui concerne les échanges d'enseignants et de chercheurs, les principes suivants sont retenus :

- Prise en charge des frais de voyage par l'université de départ.
- Prise en charge des frais de séjour par l'université d'accueil sur la base de critères internes réglementaires.

La mise en œuvre de ces échanges est impérativement assujettie à l'obtention par les deux parties des moyens financiers nécessaires et à une entente préalable sur les contingents accueillis.

### **Article 5 :**

En ce qui concerne les échanges d'étudiants, les conditions précises de l'échange : effectifs, niveaux, validation des études dans l'université d'accueil, conditions d'inscription devront faire l'objet d'un avenant annexé au présent accord.

### **Article 6 :**

Les parties auront la responsabilité de veiller à ce que tous les participants aux échanges soient en situation régulière au regard de la législation du pays d'accueil : visas, sécurité sociale, assurance responsabilité civile.

**Article 7 :**

Chaque université désigne en son sein un enseignant chargé du suivi de l'accord.  
Pour l'Université Lumière Lyon 2 : Prof. James Walker.  
Pour Pondicherry University : Prof. Nalini J. Thampi.

**Article 8 :**

Le présent Accord est conclu pour une durée de cinq ans à compter de la date de sa dernière signature. Il est modifiable par entente entre les parties et peut être résilié unilatéralement sous préavis de six mois ; dans ce cas, les actions en cours sont menées à leur terme.

**Article 9 :**

Il est fait de cet Accord 4 originaux :  
deux en langue française et deux en langue anglaise, chacun faisant foi.

Fait à Lyon, le

Fait à Pondichéry, le

Pour l'Université Lumière Lyon 2  
Nathalie Dompnier  
President  
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**ADDENDUM CONCERNING STUDENT  
EXCHANGES  
BETWEEN  
THE UNIVERSITÉ LUMIÈRE LYON 2  
AND  
PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY**



In order to promote the student exchange programme whose content has been established in the Cooperation Agreement between the Université Lumière Lyon 2 and Pondicherry University, both institutions have agreed to adhere to the following principles which will serve to regulate the aforementioned exchange programme:

**1. Duration of the programme**

The student exchanges will take place over either a semester or a full academic year.

**2. Number of students benefitting from the exchange**

In principle, the number of students will not exceed 6 (*number*) in the course of an academic year. Each party will set itself the objective of maintaining reciprocity in the number of students benefitting from the exchange every year. Should such balance not be attained in a given academic year, adjustments will be made over a period of five (5) years. The number of students participating in the exchange will be calculated in semesters rather than in years.

**3. Academic disciplines**

For Pondicherry University : Bachelor's, Master's in all disciplines

For the Université Lumière Lyon 2: Bachelor's, Master's in all disciplines

**4. Expenses**

- (1) There will be reciprocal exoneration of tuition fees. The students taking part in the exchange programme will not be obliged to pay either tuition fees or any other obligatory expenses in the host university. They will nevertheless have to pay all the obligatory expenses owed to their university of origin.
- (2) The students taking part in the exchange programme will be responsible for their own national and international travel, accommodation and eating expenses, for acquiring all the text books and supplies, as well as all personal expenses. If students taking part in the programme are accompanied by their spouse or dependents, all expenses incurred by the spouse or dependents will be the sole responsibility of the student taking part in the exchange programme.

**5. Selection**

All students enrolling in undergraduate or postgraduate courses can apply for the exchange programme. The successful candidates will be selected by the university of origin on the basis of qualities such as knowledge of the language in which the courses are taught at the host university, adaptability, good academic dossier and good physical condition, as well as any other criteria the university of origin may wish to impose.

**6. Registering at the host university**

The students taking part in the exchange programme will take the standard classes associated with their field or, for one semester only, courses specially designed by the host university. The students involved in the programme will enjoy the same rights and privileges as those from the host university with regard to the resources available in the context of the courses and all the associated services.

**7. Assessment**

When the programme reaches its end, the host university will be responsible for sending the university of origin all the grades obtained by the students. The university of origin will award credits on the basis of the assessment sent by the host university, in accordance with its own grading system and assessment policy.

**8. Accommodation**

The host university will assist and support the students taking part in the exchange programme in their search for appropriate accommodation.

### 9. Health insurance

Students who come to the Université Lumière Lyon 2 will be obliged to pay the student social security contributions that are obligatory for all students enrolling in a French university. This health insurance will cover their entire period of study in France.

### 9. Emergencies

In case of emergency, both universities will consult each other in order to determine the appropriate attitude to adopt.

This Memorandum will come into force on the date of its signature. It may be amended at any time after consultation and agreement of either the signatories whose names figure below or their representatives/successors.

For the Université Lumière Lyon 2

For Pondicherry University

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**AVENANT CONCERNANT LES ÉCHANGES  
D'ÉTUDIANTS  
ENTRE  
L'UNIVERSITÉ LUMIÈRE LYON 2  
ET  
PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY**



Afin de promouvoir le programme d'échange d'étudiants dont la teneur a été établie dans l'Accord de Coopération Académique entre l'Université Lumière Lyon 2 et Pondicherry University, ces deux institutions ont convenu de suivre les principes suivants qui régleront ledit programme d'échange:

**1. Durée du programme**

Les échanges d'étudiants se feront sur un semestre ou une année académique.

**2. Nombre d'étudiants bénéficiant de l'échange**

En principe, le nombre d'étudiants ne dépassera pas **6** durant une année académique. Chaque partie se fixera comme but de maintenir une réciprocité dans le nombre d'étudiants bénéficiant de l'échange chaque année. Dans le cas où l'équilibre des échanges ne serait pas atteint pendant une année académique, des ajustements seront effectués sur une période de cinq (5) ans.

Le nombre d'étudiants participant à l'échange sera calculé en semestres plutôt qu'en années.

**3. Domaine disciplinaire**

Pour Pondicherry University : Licence, Master, en toutes disciplines

Pour l'Université Lumière Lyon 2, Licence, Master, en toutes disciplines

**4. Frais**

(1) Il sera procédé à une exonération réciproque des frais de scolarité : les étudiants bénéficiant de l'échange n'auront pas à payer à l'université d'accueil de frais de scolarité ou autres frais obligatoires. Ils auront cependant à acquitter les frais obligatoires dus à l'université d'origine.

(2) Les étudiants bénéficiant de l'échange auront la charge de leurs propres frais de transport, intérieurs ou internationaux, de leur hébergement, de leurs repas, frais d'acquisition de manuels et fournitures, ainsi que toutes dépenses personnelles. Si les étudiants bénéficiant de l'échange sont accompagnés par leurs épouses / personnes à charge, toutes les dépenses de ces derniers relèveront de la responsabilité individuelle de l'étudiant bénéficiant de l'échange.

**5. Sélection**

Les étudiants s'inscrivant pour des cours de premier, deuxième ou troisième cycle peuvent proposer leur candidature pour le programme d'échange. Les étudiants participant à l'échange seront sélectionnés par l'université d'origine sur la base de qualités telles que la connaissance de la langue dans laquelle l'enseignement est dispensé au sein de l'université d'accueil, l'adaptabilité, un bon dossier universitaire et une bonne condition physique, ainsi que selon tous autres critères que l'université d'origine désire imposer.

**6. Inscription à l'université d'accueil**

Les étudiants participant au programme d'échange suivront les cours classiques liés à leur domaine d'étude ou, pendant un semestre seulement, les programmes d'enseignement spécialement conçus par l'université d'accueil. Les étudiants concernés par le programme d'échange jouiront des mêmes droits et privilèges que les étudiants de l'université d'accueil en ce qui concerne les ressources fournies dans le cadre de l'enseignement et les services annexes.

**7. Évaluation**

Lorsque le programme arrivera à sa fin, l'université d'accueil aura la responsabilité de transmettre à l'université d'origine les relevés de notes des étudiants. L'université d'origine se basera sur les évaluations communiquées par l'université d'accueil pour accorder les crédits, en conformité avec son système de notation et sa politique d'évaluation.

**8. Hébergement**

L'université d'accueil aidera et soutiendra les étudiants participant au programme d'échange dans leur recherche d'un lieu d'hébergement approprié.

### 9. Assurance maladie

Les étudiants qui viendront étudier à l'Université Lumière Lyon 2 devront payer en France la sécurité sociale étudiante obligatoire pour tout étudiant s'inscrivant dans une université française ; cette assurance maladie couvre leur période d'études en France.

### 9. Urgences

En cas d'urgence, les deux universités se consulteront afin de déterminer le comportement approprié à adopter.

Ce Mémoire d'entente entre en vigueur au moment de sa signature et peut être amendé à tout moment après consultation et accord entre les signataires dont les noms figurent ci-dessous ou leurs représentants/successeurs.

Fait à Lyon, le  
Pour l'Université Lumière Lyon 2

Fait à Pondichéry, le  
Pour Pondicherry University

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2022.142.11

**TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE PROPOSAL OF ESTABLISHING A CHAIR IN THE NAME UNESCO GOODWILL AMBASSADOR MADANJEET SINGH CHAIR IN SOUTH ASIAN STUDIES**

UNESCO Goodwill Ambassador (Late) Dr. Madanjeet Singh, who was a philosopher, diplomat, philanthropist, writer, artist, visionary, founder of the South Asia Foundation (SAF), New Delhi, and one of the finest human beings, committed to championing the cause of peace and human development. His foundation initiated a number of steps to promote understanding among people (particularly young minds) through education and development of various sectors across continents. He is instrumental in financing and establishing a number of institutions in different areas to connect with the people and to ameliorate human suffering through research and cooperation across national boundaries.

UNESCO Madanjeet Singh Institute of South Asia Regional Cooperation (UMISARC) and Centre for Green Energy Technology were established by the Ambassador through SAF funding on the Pondicherry University. There are other institutions in various South Asian countries working in different fields with the support from the SAF. UMISAARC has been functioning for the past 14 years in realizing the ideals of Amb. Madanjeet Singh in the form of enhancing knowledge, carrying out research on issues and problems of South Asia by bringing the scholars and students under one umbrella through academic interaction, promoting cooperation and understanding and shaping and playing a role in generating new ideas through dialogues and debates.

With the continued financial support from SAF, New Delhi, since 2008 onwards, 193 students across the South Asian region graduated: M.A. in South Asian Studies(129 students) and M. Tech in Green Energy Technology (64 Students) from the University. Besides, UMISARC, with the financial support from SAF, has been carrying out numerous academic activities: lectures, seminars, workshops and publications.

Ambassador had a dream to see South Asia free from poverty and conflicts and a vision with a stability, peace and prosperity in the region. He strongly believed that young people could transform South Asia as a vibrant region. Ambassador also wanted young minds to take a role in promotion of peace in the region through education.

To pay tribute to the memory of Goodwill Ambassador and to recognize his contribution and services to Pondicherry University and to realize his vision for South Asia, it is proposed to establish UNESCO Goodwill Ambassador Madanjeet Singh Chair in South Asian Studies on the campus. Under the Chair, it is planned to organize distinguished lecture series annually (Budget is enclosed as Annexure)



Annexure

**Estimated Budget for Annum**

Sl. No.	Particulars	Total (Rs)
1.	Distinguished Lectures: 1. Honorarium Rs.5000 x 6 lectures=Rs.30000 (Lecture and interaction with faculty and students) 2. Travel: maximum upto Rs.25000 x 6 experts=Rs.1,50,000 3. Local Transport & Accommodation (boarding and lodging) (to be borne by University) 4. Contingency: Rs.10000 (per 6 lectures) (for concerned Centre)	30000 150000  10000
	<b>Total</b>	<b>190000</b>

**(Rupees in words: One lakh and ninety thousand)**

2022.142.12

**TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE SELECTION COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FILLING UP OF VARIOUS TEACHING POSITIONS ON DIRECT RECRUITMENT HELD DURING JANUARY 2022 TO MARCH 2022**

The Meetings of the duly constituted Selection Committee for filling up of the following teaching posts on direct recruitment were held during January 2022 to March 2022 as detailed below:

Sl. No	DEPARTMENT	INTERVIEW HELD ON		
		PROFESSOR	ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR	ASSISTANT PROFESSOR
1	Computer Science (Karaikal Campus)	--	31.1.2022 01.02.2022	01.02.2022 to 04.02.2022
2	Commerce (Karaikal Campus)	07.02.2022		07.02.2022 08.02.2022
3	Earth Science	21.02.2022	22.02.2022	23.02.2022 to 25.02.2022 & 28.02.2022
4	Commerce (Main Campus)	---	01.03.2022	01.03.2022 to 03.03.2022
5	Computer Science (Main Campus)	04.03.2022	05.03.2022 07.03.2022 08.03.2022	09.03.2022 10.03.2022 & 14.03.2022
6.	Physical Education & Sports	15.03.2022	15.03.2022	15.03.2022 to 17.03.2022

The Minutes of the Meetings are placed on the table in sealed covers.

For approval of the Council

**2022.142.13** \_\_\_\_\_

2022.142.14

**TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE IN-CHARGE ARRANGEMENTS MADE IN THE POST OF DIRECTOR (STUDIES, EDUCATIONAL INNOVATIONS AND RURAL RECONSTRUCTION) ON TEMPORARY BASIS**

The post of Director (Studies, Educational Innovations and Rural Reconstruction) has fallen vacant with effect from 01.03.2022 consequent upon the retirement on superannuation of Prof. S. Balakrishnan on 28.02.2022.

The duties and responsibilities attached to the post of Director (SEI&RR) are defined under the relevant provisions of Pondicherry University Act & Statutes

Considering the importance attached to the post of Director (SEI&RR), Expression of Interest was called for from Professors of the University with the following qualifications:

**“possessing zeal to perform towards the overall development of Pondicherry University with published work of high quality, actively engaged in research and ten years of experience in the cadre of Professor with a Ph.D. degree and experience of having guided research at Doctoral level”.**

Interested and eligible Professors were requested to send their Bio-data along with supporting documents on or before 11.03.2022 vide notification dated 05.03.2022 seeking Expression of Interest.

In response to the notification dated 05.03.2022, ten Bio-data of applicant were received for consideration.

A Committee consisting of 3 Deans was constituted to look into the Bio-data received and make recommendations.

Based on recommendations made by the Committee, Dr. K. Tharanikkarasu, Dean Madanjeet School of Green Energy Technologies and Professor of Chemistry was temporarily appointed to discharge the duties and responsibilities of Director (SEI&RR), until further orders, vide Office Order No: dt. 417, dt. 15.03.2022

For consideration and approval of the Council.

**2022.142.15** \_\_\_\_\_

2022.142.16

**TO APPRISE ABOUT THE STATUS OF THE IMPORTANT COURT CASES  
FILED AGAINST PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY.**

The important court cases filed against the Pondicherry University and its status are furnished below:

Sl. No	Details of the Cases	Current Status
1.	OSA(CAD).No.24 of 2022 filed by Pondicherry University. -Vs- Infoplus Technologies Pvt. Ltd.,  <u>PRAYER</u> Seeking an order of Interim Stay on the operation of the impugned Arbitration Award dated 17.06.2019.  Seeking to set aside the Impugned Order passed by the Learned Single Judge in Arb. OP. No. 332 of 2021 dated 11.01.2022.	Case is pending before Hon'ble Madras High Court, Chennai.
2.	EP. No. 98 of 2021 filed by Infoplus Technologies Pvt. Ltd., -Vs- Pondicherry University.  <u>PRAYER</u> Attachment of University movable proprieties.	Case is pending before Hon'ble Principal District Court/Judge at Puducherry.
3.	O.P.No.332 of 2021 filed by Pondicherry University. -Vs- M/s. Infoplus Technologies Pvt. Ltd.,  <u>PRAYER</u> Seeking to set aside Arbitration Award dated 16/06/2019 received on 17/06/2019 passed by the Arbitral Tribunal in the dispute arising out of Contract Agreement dt.07.07.2015.	Case was dismissed on 11.01.2022.
4.	CRP.No.2524 of 2021 filed by Pondicherry University -Vs- M/s. Info Plus Pvt. Ltd., Chennai.  <u>PRAYER</u> Seeking Interim stay on the Order dt.07.10.2021 in EP.No.98 of 2021 in Award dt.17.06.2019 (CNR No. PY01-000168-2021) passed by the learned II Additional District Judge, Puducherry and pass such or other further orders.	Case was dismissed on 06.12.2021.

5.	WP. No. 866 of 2022 filed by Parichay Yadav (Student), -Vs- Pondicherry University.  <u>PRAYER</u> To quash the Disciplinary Action of Pondicherry University initiated against Petitioner on plagiarism.	Case is pending before Hon'ble Madras High Court, Chennai.
6.	WP.Nos. 875, 877, 880, 908, 949, 954, 966, 1019, 1025 & 1023 of 2022 and WMP.Nos.956, 957, 959, 964, 965, 966, 993, 994, 1014, 1016, 1018, 1020, 1031, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086 and 1089 & 1093 of 2022 filed by Members of the Students of Council PU (Nos.10). -Vs- Pondicherry University.  <u>PRAYER</u> To quash the Disciplinary Action of Pondicherry University initiated against Petitioners.	Case was Disposed off on 03.02.2022.
7.	Contempt Petition No.1271 of 2021 in WA.No.1142 of 2016 filed by M. Rajendran. -Vs- Pondicherry University.  <u>PRAYER</u> To remit the matter to the disciplinary Authority for fresh consideration.	Case is pending before Hon'ble Madras High Court, Chennai.
8.	WP.No.20641 of 2021 filed by Pondicherry University Non-Teaching Staff Welfare Association -Vs- Pondicherry University.  <u>PRAYER</u> To fill up the vacancy positions of Registrar and Controller of Examinations in Pondicherry University.	Case is pending before Hon'ble Madras High Court, Chennai.

Senior Counsels have been engaged to protect the interest of the Pondicherry University, in these cases.

For appraisal of the Council.

2022.142.17

**TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SELECTION COMMITTEE MEETINGS HELD DURING MARCH 2022 FOR AWARD OF CAS PROMOTIONS FROM ASSISTANT PROFESSOR TO ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (STAGE III TO STAGE IV) AND ASSISTANT PROFESSOR FROM STAGE I TO II UNDER UGC CAREER ADVANCEMENT SCHEME**

The duly constituted Selection Committee Meetings were held during March 2022 as detailed below for award of CAS promotions for the following faculty members from Assistant Professor to Associate Professor (Stage III to stage IV) and Assistant Professor from stage I to II under UGC Career Advancement Scheme:

Name of the faculty		Stage	Date of Interview
<b>SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE</b>			
1	<b>Dr. S. Shijin</b> Assistant Professor (Main Campus)	III to IV	03.03.2022
2	<b>Dr. V. Arulmurugan</b> Assistant Professor (Karaikal Campus)	III to IV	03.03.2022
3	<b>Dr. A. Pandu</b> Assistant Professor (Community College)	III to IV	03.03.2022
<b>SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION &amp; SPORTS</b>			
4	<b>Dr. Ram Mohan Singh</b> Assistant Professor	III to IV	17.03.2022
5	<b>Dr. A. Praveen</b> Assistant Professor	III to IV	17.03.2022
6	<b>Dr. R. Murugesan</b> Assistant Professor (Community College)	I to II	17.03.2022

The Minutes of the Meetings are placed on the table.

For approval of the Council.



2022.142.18

**TO CONSIDER AND APPROVE THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE SELECTION COMMITTEE MEETINGS HELD DURING NOVEMBER 2021, FEBRUARY 2022 AND MARCH 2022 FOR AWARD OF CAS PROMOTIONS FROM ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR TO PROFESSOR (STAGE IV TO STAGE V) & ASSISTANT PROFESSOR TO ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR (STAGE III TO STAGE IV) AND UNDER UGC CAREER ADVANCEMENT SCHEME**

The duly constituted Selection Committee Meetings were held during November 2021, February 2022 and March 2022 as detailed below for award of CAS promotions for the following faculty members from Associate Professor to Professor (Stage IV to Stage V) & Assistant Professor to Associate Professor (Stage III to Stage IV) under UGC Career Advancement Scheme:

	<b>Name of the faculty</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Date of Interview</b>
<b>SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL, CHEMICAL &amp; APPLIED SCIENCES DEPARTMENT OF EARTH SCIENCES</b>			
1	Dr. Nurul Absar Associate Professor	IV to V	28.02.2022
2	Dr. Subhadip Bhadra Associate Professor	IV to V	28.02.2022
<b>DEPARTMENT OF COASTAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT</b>			
3	Dr. K. Dharanirajan Assistant Professor	III to IV	28.02.2022
<b>SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING &amp; TECHNOLOGY DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE (Main campus)</b>			
4	Dr. P. Shanthi Bala Assistant Professor	III to IV	08.03.2022
5	Dr. Pothula Sujatha Assistant Professor	III to IV	08.03.2022
6	Dr. V. Uma Assistant Professor	III to IV	08.03.2022
7	Dr. K.S. Kuppusamy Assistant Professor	III to IV	09.03.2022
8	Dr. R. Sunitha, Assistant Professor	III to IV	09.03.2022
9	Dr. T. Vengattaraman Assistant Professor	III to IV	09.03.2022
10	Dr. T. Sivakumar Assistant Professor	III to IV	14.03.2022

11	Dr. M. Sathya Assistant Professor	III to IV	14.03.2022
<b>(Karaikal campus)</b>			
12	Dr. S. Bhuvaneswari Associate Professor	IV to V	05.02.2022
13	Dr. R. Lakshmi Assistant Professor	III to IV	05.02.2022
14	Dr. G. Kumaravelan Assistant Professor	III to IV	05.02.2022

Name of the faculty		Stage	Date of Interview
<b><u>DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE</u></b>			
<b>(Community College)</b>			
15	Dr. Latha Parthiban Assistant Professor	III to IV	09.03.2022
16	Dr. Sabout Nagaraju Assistant Professor	III to IV	09.03.2022
<b><u>MADANJEET SCHOOL OF GREEN ENERGY TECHNOLOGY</u></b> <b><u>DEPARTMENT OF GREEN ENERGY TECHNOLOGY</u></b> <b>(Main campus)</b>			
17	Dr. A. Sreekumar Assistant Professor	III to IV	20.11.2021

The Minutes of the Meetings are placed on the table.

For approval of the Council.

2022.142.19

TO CONSIDER AND RATIFY THE SANCTION OF EXTRA ORDINARY LEAVE TO DR. ANIL PRATAP GIRI, ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF SANSKRIT OF THIS UNIVERSITY FOR A FURTHER PERIOD OF ONE YEAR FROM 26.09.2021 TO 25.09.2022 TO WORK AS ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR IN SANSKRIT, MAHATMA GANDHI CENTRAL UNIVERSITY, BIHAR.

Dr. Anil Pratap Giri, Assistant Professor, Department of Sanskrit, School of Humanities was sanctioned, EOL for a period of two years from 26.09.2019 to 25.09.2021 to work as Associate Professor in Sanskrit at Mahatma Gandhi Central University, Bihar vide letter dated: 27.07.2020 and the 139<sup>th</sup> EC had ratified the EOL sanction vide EC No.2021.139.54 dated: 04.06.2021.

Now, based on his request, he was sanctioned Extra Ordinary Leave for a further period of one more year from 26.09.2021 to 25.09.2022 vide Office Order No.374 dated: 21.01.2022 so as to work as Associate Professor in Sanskrit at Mahatma Gandhi Central University, Bihar under 8.4.6 of the Chapter XX of Academic Ordinance of Pondicherry University, subject to ratification by the Executive Council.

For ratification by the Council

2022.142.20

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN TOWARDS GRANTING OF AFFILIATION IN THE AFFILIATED TEACHER EDUCATION COLLEGES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21**

Due to COVID-19 Lockdown, it was decided to accord extension of affiliation to the existing courses for one more year without any fresh inspection, based on the provision in the Statute of the University to inspect the Colleges atleast once in two academic years. In cases of those Colleges who were seeking affiliation for new courses and /or increased intake in existing courses, regular inspections were conducted and Affiliation orders were issued on fulfillment of required conditions.

Accordingly, the following affiliated Teacher Education Colleges were granted affiliation for the academic year 2020-21 as detailed against each on fulfillment of the required conditions:

**1. Mahe Co-operative College of Teacher Education, Mahe**

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed. (2 year )	100(2 units)	100(2 units)
<b>Status:</b> Continuation of Provisional Affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.24.08.2020.</b>			

**2. Sree Narayana College of Education, Mahe**

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	100(2 units)	100 (2 units)
<b>Status:</b> Continuation of Provisional Affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.24.08.2020.</b>			

**3. Nehru College of Education, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	100 (2 units)	100(2 units)
<b>Status:</b> Continuation of Provisional Affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.24.08.2020</b>			

#### 4. Vasavi College of Education, Puducherry

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	100(2 units)	100(2 units)
<b>Status:</b> Continuation of Provisional Affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.24.08.2020</b>			

#### 5. Vivekanandha College of Education, Puducherry

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	100(2 units)	100(2 units)
<b>Status:</b> Continuation of Provisional Affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.24.08.2020</b>			

#### 6. Senthil College of Education, Puducherry

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	100(2 units)	100(2 units)
2.	Four year B.Ed. (Integrated) B.Sc.B.Ed.	100(2 units)	100(2 units)
<b>Status:</b> Continuation of Provisional Affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.07.09.2020.</b>			

#### 7. Immaculate College of Education for Women, Puducherry

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	100(2 units)	100(2 units)
<b>Status:</b> Continuation of Provisional Affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.07.09.2020.</b>			

### 8. Pope John Paul II College of Education, Puducherry

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	100(2 units)	100(2 units)
2.	MCA	30	30
<b>New Course</b>			
3..	BCA	---	50
<b>Status:</b>			
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation order for B.Ed.(2 years) course was issued on <b>dt.08.10.2020</b>.</li> <li>The Provisional affiliation for the four year integrated B.A.B.Ed./B.Sc.B.Ed. courses for the academic year 2020-21 has not yet been granted since the college has not got recognition from NCTE for offering the four year integrated B.A.B.Ed./B.Sc.B.Ed. courses. In pursuance of the Interim Order dt.23.07.2020 issued by the Hon'ble High Court of Madras in WMP No. 10161 of 2020 in WP No.21122 of 2017, the College is permitted to admit students to the four year B.A.B.Ed.(1 unit) &amp; B.Sc.B.Ed.(2 units) integrated courses for the academic year 2020-21, as per the sanctioned intake of 150 seats, subject to final outcome of the court cases in WMP No.10161 of 2020 in WP No.21122 of 2017.</li> <li>The Inspection Committee in its report <b>dt.03.09.2020</b> recommended Provisional Affiliation for BCA &amp; MCA courses. Final affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.21.12.2020</b>.</li> </ol>			

### 9. Sri Venkateswara College of Education, Karaikal

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	50(1 unit)	50(1 unit)
<b>Status:</b>			
The Inspection Committee in its report <b>dt.27.08.2020</b> recommended Continuation of Provisional Affiliation. Final affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.30.11.2020</b> .			

# **10. Amarnath College of Education, Karaikal**

Conditional Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	50 (1 unit)	50 (1 unit)
<b>Status:</b> The Inspection Committee in its report <b>dt.27.08.2020</b> recommended Conditional Provisional Affiliation. Final affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.10.12.2020</b> .			

# **11. TVR College of Education, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	50 (1 unit)	100(2 units)
<b>Status:</b> The Inspection Committee in its report <b>dt.09.09.2020</b> recommended Continuation of Provisional Affiliation. Final affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.10.12.2020</b> .			

# **12. Venkateswara College of Education, Madagadipet,**

Puducherry Continuation of Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	50 (1 unit)	50 (1 unit)
<b>Status:</b> The Inspection Committee in its report <b>dt.09.09.2020</b> recommended Continuation of Provisional Affiliation. Final affiliation order was issued on <b>Dt.11.12.2020</b> .			

# **13. Krishnasamy College of Education for Women,**

Puducherry Conditional Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	50(1 unit)	50(1 unit)
<b>New Course</b>			
2.	Four year B.Ed. (Integrated) B.Sc.B.Ed.	---	50(1 unit)
<b>Status:</b> The Inspection Committee in its report <b>dt.03.09.2020</b> recommended Conditional Provisional Affiliation. Final affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.19.01.2021</b> .			

**14. Perunthalaivar Kamarajar College of Education, Karaikal**

Conditional Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	100 (2 units)	100 + 25 EWS* (*subject to approval of NCTE)
<b>Status:</b> The Inspection Committee in its report <b>dt.27.10.2020</b> recommended Conditional Provisional Affiliation. Final affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.19.01.2021</b> .			

**15. Co-operative College of Education, Puducherry**

Conditional Provisional affiliation 2020-21			
Sl. No.	Course	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Ed.(2 year )	50 (1 unit)	50 (1 unit)
<b>Status:</b> The Inspection Committee in its report <b>dt.08.09.2020</b> recommended Conditional Provisional Affiliation. Final affiliation order was issued on <b>dt.09.02.2021</b> .			

For ratification of the Council.



2022.142.21

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN TOWARDS GRANTING OF AFFILIATION TO VARIOUS AFFILIATED ARTS AND SCIENCE / LAW / AGRICULTURE / VETERINARY COLLEGES / RECOGNITION OF PH. D PROGRAMMES IN RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21.**

Due to COVID-19 Lockdown, it was approved to accord extension of affiliation to the existing courses for one more year (2020-21) without any fresh inspection, based on the provision in the Statute of the University to inspect the Colleges atleast once in two academic years. In cases of those Colleges who were seeking affiliation for new courses and /or increased intake in existing Courses, regular inspections were conducted and Affiliation orders were issued on fulfilment of required conditions.

Accordingly, Continuation of provisional affiliation/ Conditional Provisional Affiliation for Various Arts and Science / Law / Agriculture/ Veterinary Colleges / Recognition of Ph.D Programmes in research Institutions for the academic year 2020-21 subject to ratification by AC/EC.

**1. Kasthurba College for Women, Puducherry.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.A. History	60	60
2.	B.A Social Work	60	60
3.	B.Sc. Psychology	60	60
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 20.08.2020.			

**2. RVS Educational Trust, Karaikal.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B .Com.	50	50
2.	B.B.A	50	50
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 20.08.2020.			

**3. Idhaya College of Arts & Science for Women, Puducherry.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Sc. Mathematics	50	50
2.	B.Sc. Physics	50	50
3.	B.Sc. Bio-Chemistry	50	50
4.	B.Sc. Computer Science	100	100
5.	B.C.A.	30	30
6.	B.Com.	150	150
7.	B.Com. Corporate Secretaryship	150	150
8.	B.A English	50	50
9.	M.Com.	30	30
10.	M.Sc. Mathematics	20	20
11.	M.A. English	20	20
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 17.08.2020.			

**4. Don Bosco College (Arts & Science), Karaikal.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.A English	35	35
2.	B.Sc. Computer Science	35	35
3.	B.Com.	50	50
4.	B.B.A	50	50
5.	B.C.A	50	50
6.	B.Sc. Mathematics	35	35
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 15.09.2020.			

**5. Indira Gandhi College of Arts & Science, Karaikal.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Sc. Applied Microbiology	60	60
2.	B.Sc. Bio-technology	60	60
3.	B.Sc. (Statistics)	60	60
4.	B.C.A	60	60
5.	B.Com.(Foreign Trade)	120	120
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 29.09.2020.			

**6. Perunthalaivar Kamarajar Arts College, Puducherry.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.B.A. (Tourism)	60	60
2.	B. C. A.	60	60
3.	B. Com	60	60
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 29.09.2020.			

**7. Rajiv Gandhi Arts & Science College, Puducherry.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B. Sc (Computer Science)	60	60
2.	B.C.A	60	60
3.	B.B.A	60	60
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 09.10.2020.			

**8. Achariya Arts and Science College, Puducherry.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Conditional Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.B.A	100	100
2.	B .Com.	60	100 (60+40)
3.	B.Com. Corporate Secretaryship	60	75 (60+15)
4.	B.C.A	60	75 (60+15)
5.	B.Sc. Mathematics	36	50 (36+14)
6.	B.Sc. Computer Science	60	75 (60+15)
7.	B.Sc. Bio-Technology	36	50 (36+14)
8.	B.Sc. Information Technology	36	50 (36+14)
9.	B.Sc. Visual Communication	24	40 (24+16)
10.	B.A English	36	50 (36+14)
11.	M.Com.	24	35 (24+11)
<b>Status:</b> Conditional provisional affiliation order was issued on 01.12.2020.			

**9. Saradha Gangadharan College, Puducherry.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Sc. Mathematics	60	60
2.	B.Sc. Physics	40	50 (40+10)
3.	B.Sc. Computer Science	50	50
4.	B.Sc. Information Technology	50	50
5.	B.C.A	50	50
6.	B.B.A	60	100 (60+40)

7.	B.Com.	100	100
8.	B.Com. Corporate Secretaryship	60	100 (60+40)
9.	B.A English	40	50 (40+10)
10.	M.Sc. Mathematics	40	40
11.	M.Sc. Computer Science	20	20
12.	M.Com.	30	30
<b>Status:</b> Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 01.12.2020.			

**10. Jawaharlal Nehru Rajkeeya Mahavidyalaya (JNRM), Port Blair.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Sc. Mathematics	56	56
2.	B.Sc. Physics	56	56
3.	B.Sc. Chemistry	56	56
4.	B.Sc. Botany	56	56
5.	B.Sc. Zoology	56	56
6.	B.Sc. Home Science	56	56
7.	B.C.A	56	56
8.	B.P.E.S (Bachelor of Physical Education & Sports)	56	56
9.	B.A Tamil	34	34
10.	B.A Bengali	90	90
11.	B.A. Economics	100	100
12.	B.A. History	100	100
13.	B.B.A. (Tourism & Travel Management)	34	34
14.	M.Sc. Chemistry	17	17
15.	M.Sc. Plant Science	17	17
16.	M.Sc. Computer Science	28	28
17.	M.Sc. Geography	28	28
18.	M.A Bengali	17	17
19.	M.A Hindi	28	28
20.	M.A English	28	28
21.	M.A Political Science	28	28
22.	M.Com.	28	28
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 01.12.2020.			

**11. Mahe Co-operative College of Higher Education & Technology. Mahe.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Com.	60	60
2.	B.B.A.	60	60
3.	B.C.A.	35	40 (35+5)
4.	B. A. English	50	50
5.	M.Com.	40	40
<b>Conditional Provisional Affiliation- 2020-21.</b>			
6.	M. A. English	40	20 (Reduced from 40-20)
<b>Conditional Provisional Affiliation - 2020-21 for New Courses.</b>			
7.	B.B.A. Tourism	-	50
8.	B.Com. Corporate Secretaryship	-	50
<b><u>Status:</u></b> The affiliation order as mentioned above was issued on 10.12.2020.			

**12. Tagore Government Arts and Science College, Puducherry.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Sc. Physics	60	60
2.	B.Sc. Botany	60	60
3.	B.Sc. Zoology	60	60
4.	B.Sc. Psychology	60	60
5.	B.A. Philosophy	60	60
6.	B.A. Sociology	60	60
7.	B.B.A. Tourism	120	120
<b><u>Status:</u></b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 18.01.2021.			

**13. Mahatma Gandhi Government Arts College, Mahe.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Sc. Mathematics	24	24
2.	B.Sc. Computer Science	24	24
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 09.02.2021.			

**14. Dr. S.R.K. Government Arts College, Yanam.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Sc. Physics	20	20
2.	B.Sc. Computer Science	40	40
3.	B.Sc. Mathematics	30	30
4.	B.Sc. Chemistry	30	30
5.	B.Sc. Zoology	25	25
6.	B.Com.	40	40
7.	B.A Economics	50	50
8.	M.A Economics	20	20
9.	M.Com.	20	20
10.	M.Sc. Chemistry	18	18

<b>Conditional Provisional affiliation for New Courses</b>			
1.	B. Sc. Botany	-	20
2.	M.Sc. Zoology	-	20
<b>Status:</b> The Affiliation order as mentioned above was issued on 01.03.2021.			

**15. Avvaiyar Government College for women, Karaikal.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Com. (Corporate Secretary ship)	60	60
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 08.06.2021.			



**16. Arignar Anna Government Arts & Science College, Karaikal.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Sc. Mathematics	60	60
2.	B.Sc. Chemistry	60	60
3.	B.A. Public Administration	60	60
<b>Permanent Affiliation from 2020-21 to 2024-25</b>			
1.	B.A Tamil	60	60
2.	B. A. Economics	60	60
3.	B.Com.	60	60
4.	B. Sc. Physics	60	60
5.	B. Sc. Zoology	60	60
6.	B.Sc. Computer Science	60	60
<b>Status:</b> The affiliation order as mentioned above was issued on 16.06.2021.			

**17. Andaman College (ANCOL) Port-Blair (TEHSIL) Andaman and Nicobar Islands.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Conditional Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Com.	66	66
2.	B.Com. (Corporate Secretaryship)	66	66
3.	B.A. Economics	66	66
4.	B.A. English	66	66
5.	B.P.A (Music)	33	33
6.	B.Sc. Psychology	33	33
7.	B.B.A	33	33
8.	B.A. Sociology	33	33
<b>Status:</b> The conditional provisional affiliation order was issued on 16.06.2021.			

**18. Mahatma Gandhi Government College, Mayabunder.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.A. Political Science	66	66
2.	B.Com.	66	66
3.	B.Com. (Cooperative Management)	55	55
<b>Conditional provisional affiliation 2020-21</b>			
4.	B.A. History	55	55
5.	B.A. Economics	55	55
6.	B.Sc. Geography	55	55
<b>Status:</b> The affiliation order as mentioned above was issued on 16.06.2021.			

**19. Andaman Law College, Port-Blair.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	5 year Integrated B.A. LL.B Course	45	45
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 02.09.2020.			

**20. Dr. Ambedkar Government Law College, Puducherry.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	LL.B 3 years	60	60
2.	LL.B 5 years Integrated course	60	60
3.	P.G. Diploma in French Law	15	15
4.	LL.M Branch-I : Labour, Industrial Relations, Administrative Law	10	10
5.	LL.M Branch-II: Crime & Tort	10	10
6.	LL.M Branch-III: International Law, Constitutional Law & Human Rights Law	10	10
7.	LL.M Branch-IV: Business Law	10	10
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 05.03.2021.			

**21. Vector Control Research Centre (Indian Council of Medical Research)  
Puducherry.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
Permanent Affiliation 2020-21 to 2024-25			
1.	M.Sc. Public Health Entomology	12	12
Continuation of Recognition for the Ph.D. Programme From 2020-21 to 2024-25			
1.	Ph.D in Microbiology	Two candidates per supervisor per year subject to maximum number prescribed by UGC for given cadre.	
2.	Ph.D in Zoology		
3.	Ph.D in Chemistry		
Status: The Affiliation order as above was issued on 05.04.2021.			

<b>Ph.D. Programme</b>	
Ph.D in Medical Entomology	Recognised as Research Centre
<b>Status:</b> The order recognising as Research Centre to offer the Ph.D. Programme was issued on 05.04.2021.	

**22. Rajiv Gandhi Institute of Veterinary Education and  
Research, Puducherry.**

Sl. No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.V.Sc. & A.H.	80	80
2.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary Biochemistry	3	3
3.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary Microbiology	3	3
4.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary Medicine	3	3
5.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary Surgery & Radiology	3	3
6.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary Gynecology & Obstetrics	3	3
7.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary Pathology	3	3
8.	M.V.Sc. Livestock Products Technology	2	2
9.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary & Animal Husbandry Extension	3	3
10.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary Public Health & Epidemiology	3	3
11.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary Parasitology	2	2
12.	M.V.Sc. Veterinary Livestock Production & Management	3	3
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 16.09.2020.			

**23. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru College of Agriculture & Research Institute (PAJANCO&RI), Karaikal.**

Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Approved Intake 2020-21
<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>			
1.	B.Sc. (Hons.) Agriculture	120	120
2.	M.Sc. Ag. (Genetics and Plant Breeding)	05	05
3.	M.Sc. Ag. (Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry)	05	05
4.	M.Sc. Ag. (Agricultural Economics)	05	05
5.	M.Sc. Ag. (Agronomy)	05	05
6.	M.Sc. Hort. (Vegetable Science)	05	05
<b>Conditional provisional affiliation for - 2020-21</b>			
1.	B.Sc. (Hons.) Horticulture	40	40
2.	M.Sc. Ag. (Agricultural Entomology)	05	05
<b>Status:</b> The Affiliation order as above was issued on 08.06.2021.			

<b>Ph.D. Programme</b>	
Ph.D in Agricultural Economics	Recognised as Research Centre
<b>Status:</b> The order recognising as Research Centre to offer the Ph.D. Programme was issued on 20.08.2020.	

Submitted for ratification of the council.

2022.142.22

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN TOWARDS GRANT OF CONDITIONAL AFFILIATION FOR THE EXISTING COURSES IN DR. B.R. AMBEDKAR INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, PORT BLAIR FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21**

Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Port Blair was granted Conditional Provisional Affiliation for the following courses with intake as indicated against each for the academic year 2020-21 as per the order of the Hon'ble High Court of Calcutta Circuit Bench at Port Blair, dt.16.09.2020 in CAN 077 of 2020 in W.P.No.061 of 2020, subject to fulfilment of conditions mentioned below:

Sl. No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Tech. Civil Engineering	30	30
2.	B.Tech. Electronics & Communication Engineering	30	30
3.	B.Tech. Computer Science & Engineering	30	30
<b>Status:</b> The Conditional Provisional Affiliation order was issued on 28.04.2021			

**Conditions:**

1. The policy decision to separate the degree and diploma programmes of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology(DBRAIT) approved on 24.08.2018 by Lt. Governor/Administrator, Andaman and Nicobar Islands shall be implemented as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period 3 months and, in case of any delay, the Principal DBRAIT shall inform the University in writing about the reasons for delay, with specific information along with certified copy of entire noting and correspondence side of the file in which the aforesaid policy decision was taken and also inform as to whether said aforesaid policy decision has been reversed along with the certified copy of the entire noting and correspondence of such file.
2. Appointment of Professors and Associate Professor on regular basis in three departments as per the AICTE norms in accordance with the Recruitment Rules.
3. Appointment of Assistant Professors in the subject of Physics, Mathematics, Chemistry and Civil Engineering against the vacancies arising as the regularly appointed Assistant Professors recruited through UPSC have left the college.

4. Strict adherence to the clause (iii) of regulation 3.2 of AICTE Regulation, 2019 which mandates the appointment of minimum one Professor in each Department so that ratios of Professor: Associate Professor: Assistant Professor can be 9:0:0 or 8:1:0 or 5:1:3 etc but in any case it should not be 0:0:9 or 0:1:8 or 0:7:2. Presently, the ratios worked out in the absence of regular appointee to the post of Professor and Associate Professors is neither in consonance with the ratios prescribed by AICTE and also the non appointment of regular incumbents is violative of conditions of affiliation, amounting to compromising with quality education, shall not be accepted by the University.
5. Appointment of one Professor in each department, Associate Professors and Assistant Professors on regular basis must be completed and also the appointment of lab technicians and non teaching staff must be made in accordance with Recruitment Rules as expeditiously as possible preferably within a period of three months so that students admitted on the basis of order dated 16.09.2020 passed in CAN 077 of 2020 in W.P.No.061 of 2020 don't suffer because of lack of qualified faculty.
6. College must achieve the faculty student ratio 1:20 and this should be calculated taking into account only the faculty appointed on regular basis and not those appointed on short term contract as the condition of affiliation mandates that appointment of faculty shall be on full time and on permanent basis.
7. College shall obtain the eligibility approval of the appointed teaching staff from the university and the appointment of faculty shall be made on full time and permanent basis. Short term appointment on contract or Guest faculty is contrary to the conditions of affiliation and such appointments if made would amount to clear transgression of the Conditions of affiliation inviting action by University as deem fit and proper.
8. The academic calendar for the programme(s) prescribed by University shall be followed by the college.
9. For the sake of administrative convenience or under the guise of the employer's prerogative the practice of making the Assistant Professors to work under Lecturer (Selection Grade) must be stopped with immediate effect and, in the event of failure, it would be treated as compromise with the quality education inviting action by university.
10. Immediate withdrawal of order no.652 dated 04<sup>th</sup> September 2015 whereby and where under the Lecturer (Selection Grade) and HOD of Polytechnic were designated as Reporting Officer in respect of all Assistant Professor Group 'A' Non Ministerial, Gazetted post appointed for B.Tech Courses.

11. The College Authorities shall satisfy the University by producing the relevant documents such as final merit list of the students admitted in B.Tech Courses clearly indicating therein that the admissions made are on the basis of Order dated 16.09.2020 passed in WP 61 of 2020 within a period of 15 days. Failure to provide would invite appropriate action by the University.
12. The College should have a Governing Body with atleast two University Nominees in it. The BoG constituted for implementing TEQIP programme cannot take decisions relating to College Administration.
13. Immediate suspension of BOG and review of its decision:
  - (i) BOG is not constituted as per the recommended composition of BOG in Appendix 18.0 of the AICTE Approval Process Handbook wherein and where under at Clause (i) mandates that two faculty members to be nominated from amongst the Regular staff, one at the level of Professor and one at the level of Assistant Professor. But the lecturer appointed for Polytechnic courses were appointed as Member of BOG for example-Dr. S. Raji, Faculty member, Diploma Programme, not regular staff, nominated as member of BOG and in 4<sup>th</sup> BOG meeting decision of which she was member decision was taken for up gradation of all posts along with incumbents and uniformity in the designation/Nomenclature of faculty in line with the recommendation of expert committee. Similarly, Shri Uday Narain, (Dean, Academic in-charge BRAIT) nominated as Member Secretary of the BOG who is a not regular Lecturer as the SLP (Civil) No. 19659 of 2020 (Secretary, UPSC Vs. S.Raji & Ors) is pending and as such their nominations as members/Member Secretary of BOG is flagrant violation clause (h) &(I) of Appendix 18.0 of the AICTE Approval Process Handbook.
  - (ii) The decision of BOG taken in its 4<sup>th</sup> meeting to re-designate Shri Sukhvinder Singh, Lecturer (CSE), Shri Rajiv Bag, Lecturer (CSE), Dr. Manu Vashishta, Lecturer (Chem), Shri Palani Murugan Lecturer (Physics) as Assistant Professor and re-designation of Dr. Jenson Daniel, HOD (Civil), Shri Arun Srivastava, HOD (Elet), Shri Shankar Rao, Lecturer (SG), Shri B.K.Jana, HOD (Mech), Smti Suraj Moli, Lecturer(SG), Smti Lizzie D'Cruz, Lecturer (SG) and Dr. Alagusundram, Lecturer (SG) as Associate Professor on the ground that such re-designation shall not entail any financial implication and the confirmation of proceeding of 4<sup>th</sup> BOG in the 5<sup>th</sup> BOG proceeding on the ground that minutes of the 4<sup>th</sup> BOG were circulated but no comments were received. As such method of recruitment is not known



to law and, therefore, the Principal, DBRAIT is requested to inform within 15 days the provisions of law along with copy of the order passed by Hon'ble Lt. Governor specifically empowering the BOG to re-designate the Lecturers as Assistant Professors and Lecturer (SG) & HOD as Associate Professor if such re-designation does not entail any financial implication.

- (iii) The acceptance of the information given by MSBTE representative in the 9<sup>th</sup> meeting of BOG to the effect that affiliation of DBRAIT is through an MOU, and hence not reflected in the web site followed by that the Chairman desired that the website may be updated to avoid confusion is judicially unacceptable in the absence of clear finding that MSBTE can grant affiliation by way of MOU with specific reference to the provision of the MSBTE Act, 1997 nor there is any document on record showing that the signatories to MOU dated 26.11.2018 were empowered by their respective competent authorities i.e. Maharashtra Board of Technical Education and the Lt. Governor/ Administrator, A&N Islands in this regard.
14. The post of Librarian since 2016 is filled up as stopgap arrangement and at present Shri Harshabardhan Barik, Assistant Professor(Computer Science) is functioning as Librarian in-charge in addition to his own duties and such arrangement amount to compromise with quality education and, therefore, it should be stopped by appointing Librarian on regular basis as per the AICTE norms and Recruitment Rules within period of three months so that the students are not deprived of the services of a competent and qualified librarian.
15. The student admitted under lateral entry for the academic session 2020-2021 shall be permitted to take University examination only if the Principal, DBRAIT satisfies the university before the commencement of examination on the following points that-
- (a) specific provision in the MSBTE Act, 1997 providing for extension of territorial jurisdiction beyond the State of Maharashtra and the provisions of aforesaid Act that empowers the Director, Maharashtra Board of Technical Education to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding for the purpose of granting affiliation to a diploma courses conducted by an Institute situated outside the State of Maharashtra;
  - (b) detail of the institution/polytechnic situated outside the territorial jurisdiction of the State of Maharashtra, if any, granted affiliation to diploma courses conducted by such institution/polytechnic through a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU);

- (c) proof of consent given by the Govt. of Maharashtra and A&N Administration pursuant to which the Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology was granted affiliation through Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) dated 26<sup>th</sup> November 2018;
  - (d) furnishing of satisfactory and legally tenable justification as to how the Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology, Pahargaon, Port Blair come under Mumbai Region.
  - (e) The signatories to MOU i.e. the then Dr. Atish Kumar, Joint Secretary (Higher Education), A&N Administration and the Director, MSBTE, Mumbai were empowered by the Lt. Governor/Administrator, Andaman and Nicobar Islands and the competent authority of MSBTE respectively pursuant to which the Memo of Understanding (MOU) dated 26<sup>th</sup> November 2018 was made.
  - (f) Affiliation certificate issued by MSBTE as per the MSBTE, Act 1997, clause 27 for running diploma courses for the Academic session 2019-2020 and 2020-2021.
16. The post of Principal, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology should be filled up in accordance with Recruitment Rules as at present the post is filled up by upgrading the post of Principal, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Government Polytechnic to the post of Principal, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of Technology along with the incumbent holding the post, a method of recruitment align/unknown to service jurisprudence and also in flagrant violation of equality clause enshrined in the Constitution of India and as such the Secretary (Education) or Principal should furnish the provisions of law in terms of which the post of Principal, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Government Polytechnic upgraded to the post of Principal, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar Institute of technology along with the incumbent holding the post within a period of one month from the date of receipt of this letter granting conditional provisional affiliation.
17. The university shall nominate its member only in the selection Committee constituted for selection of faculty on regular basis as the selection made on short term contract or as guest faculty is violative of conditions of affiliation prescribed by the university and annexed at page 47 of the affidavit in compliance filed by the contemnor No. 1 in CPAN 010 of 2021 admittedly of which the applicants are aware and such conditions of affiliation is also annexed by them in their CAN 077 of 2020.
18. Admissions to the B.Tech. courses in (i) Computer Science & Engineering (ii) Electronics & Communication Engineering and (iii) Civil Engineering for the academic year 2021-2022 shall be made only after issue of regular affiliation order by the University subject to the outcome of pending W.P.No.061 of 2020.

For ratification of the Council.

2022.142.23

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN TOWARDS GRANTING OF AFFILIATION FOR STARTING OF TWO NEW ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21**

The following two new Arts and Science Colleges were granted Conditional Provisional Affiliation as detailed below for the academic year 2020-21 on fulfillment of required affiliation conditions, subject to ratification by AC/EC.

**1. Sri Ganesh Arts & Science College, Puducherry.**

Sl. No.	Courses	Approved Intake
1.	B.Com Foreign Trade	40
2.	B.Com.	40
3.	B.Sc. Mathematics	40
4.	B.Sc. Computer Sciences	40
<b>Status:</b> Conditional of provisional affiliation was granted based on the Inspection Committee report <b>dt.19.08.2020</b> and Re-Inspection report <b>dt.27.10.2020</b> . Final affiliation order was issued on 09.02.2021.		

**2. Dr. Kalaignar M. Karunanidhi Government Institute for Post Graduate Studies and Research, Karaikal.**

Sl. No.	Courses	Approved Intake
1.	M.Sc. Mathematics	40
2.	M.Sc. Chemistry	30
3.	M.Sc. Computer Science	30
4.	M.A Tamil	40
5.	M.A Public Administration	30
6.	M.A Social Work	30
7.	M.A Economics	40
8.	M.Com.	50
9.	M.A English	30
10.	M.A History	30
11.	M.Sc. Plant Science	30
<b>Status:</b> Conditional of provisional affiliation was granted based on the Inspection Committee report <b>dt.19.08.2020</b> . Final affiliation order was issued on 30.03.2021.		

Submitted for ratification of the council.

2022.142.24

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN ON THE SIGNING OF THE MOU BETWEEN UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES WESTERN SWITZERLAND, SWITZERLAND AND DEPARTMENT OF MANAGEMENT STUDIES, SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT, PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, PUDUCHERRY**

The University proposes to have an MOU with University of Applied Sciences Western Switzerland, Switzerland to the protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research activities.

<b>MoU Proposal with whom</b>	University of Applied Sciences Western Switzerland, Switzerland
<b>Received from</b>	Prof. Bart F. Norre, Associate Professor, School of Management Fribourg, University of Applied Sciences Western Switzerland, Switzerland.
<b>Coordinator of the MoU</b>	Dr.Uma Chandrasekaran, Professor, Department of Management Studies, School of Management.
<b>MoU Evaluation Committee recommendation / remarks</b>	The draft MoU was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee.
<b>School / Dept. concerned with MoU</b>	Department of Management Studies, School of Management.
<b>Areas of Collaboration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest.</li> <li>• Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications.</li> <li>• Exchange of students and faculty</li> <li>• Sponsorship of cooperative seminars, workshops and other academic meetings</li> </ul>
<b>Validity of the MoU</b>	For Five years starting from date of signatures.
<b>Other financial specifications</b>	As per the MoU.
<b>Probable date of signing MoU</b>	MoU signed on 08.09.2021
<b>Any other specific remarks</b>	No.

The draft MOU sent by the Coordinator of the MOU with Applied Sciences Western Switzerland was examined and recommended by the MOU Evaluation Committee of the University and also approved by the University authorities. The MOU was signed on 08.09.2021. A copy of the signed MOU is attached as **Enclosure**.

Submitted for ratification of the Council.

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**Memorandum of Understanding  
ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH  
COLLABORATION  
between  
SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT, Fribourg,  
Switzerland  
and  
PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY,  
Pondicherry, India**



**Enclosure**

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is executed between the following parties:

PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY - A Central University under the Ministry of Education established under University Act 1985, Government of India, situated at Puducherry UT, India. The REGISTRAR, Pondicherry University, is duly authorised to enter into and sign the MOU on behalf of Pondicherry University, Puducherry (hereinafter called as 'PU').

AND

SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT, Fribourg, Switzerland, part of FRIBOURG UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES AND ARTS – A reputed multi-disciplinary university situated in Fribourg, Western Switzerland.

The DIRECTOR, School of Management of Fribourg is the authorised signatory of this MOU on behalf of the SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT, Fribourg, Switzerland.

**Background of the institutions**

Pondicherry University offers Postgraduate and Doctoral research programs in multiple disciplines leading to Masters and PhD degrees from its campuses at Puducherry (Main), Karaikal, Mahe, Yanam and Andaman & Nicobar Islands. Post-doctoral Research Fellowships and National and International Collaborative Research Projects are also undertaken by faculty.

SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT of Fribourg offers Undergraduate and Postgraduate programs in Management and a reputed program on banking and finance with focus on the latest advancements including blockchain as well as an internationally acclaimed Summer School on leadership and global impact.

SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT of Fribourg and PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, Pondicherry have agreed to the following protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research related activities:

## **I. AREAS OF COLLABORATION**

The scope of collaboration on academic and research activities in this Memorandum of Understanding includes the following categories:

- Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest.
- Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications.
- Exchange of students and faculty
- Sponsorship of cooperative seminars, workshops and other academic meetings.

## **II. Student Exchange**

Pursuant to the agreement for academic exchange, the Fribourg School of Management, of the Fribourg University of Applied Sciences and Arts, Western Switzerland and the School of Management, Pondicherry University will exchange students according to the terms laid out in this MoU.

This collaboration may be expanded to other departments based on need and mutual interest, at a later date after the commencement of this MoU.

1. Students under the student exchange programme will be classified as special exchange students. Special exchange students will be permitted to take courses on credit / audit, as well as participate in project work.
2. In any case, the consent of the teacher is required. Such consent will take into account among other things whether the student has pre-requisites for the course.
3. The Host Institution of students enrolled in this exchange program shall not levy tuition fees (other than administrative fees and living expenses which host institution students also pay). Home Institution may continue to levy fees as applicable.
4. Course credits and grades earned will be determined by the home institution based on the grade report from the host institution.
5. Each institution will accept a maximum of FIVE students each year including full semester abroad and/or any other programs such as Diploma and Summer School (maximum of 2 seats at the School of Management Fribourg). The School of Management, Pondicherry University will accept students from Fribourg School of Management for a semester.
6. The start of the exchange semester for will be worked out in accordance with the academic calendars of the institutions.
7. Participants will be subjected to the rules and regulations of the host institution, in addition to specific rules and regulations, if any, of the host country regarding foreign students studying in the host country.

### **III. Selection and nomination of students**

The selection and nomination of students is open throughout the academic year.

When a nomination is forwarded by the home institution, it is presumed that the sending institution considers the student suitable for the proposed program and consents to send the student if selected by the host institution.

The host institution will evaluate the nomination and determine their suitability for selection under the Student Exchange Program.

### **IV. Faculty Exchange / Mobility:**

On invitation by the host institution, teaching staff may go for a teaching stint at the partner institution with due approvals on either side. Financial commitments will depend upon availability of support from funding agencies.

### **V. Research Collaboration**

Faculty from both Institutions will collaborate in the supervision of exchange students and in joint research in disciplines of mutual interest. All such joint research activities will be governed by the terms laid out.

1. Proposals for collaborative research work under this Memorandum will be submitted with the prior approval of the Head of each institution, or his / her nominee.
2. The final approval of any project will depend on the availability of guaranteed support funds.
3. Publications, if any, in respect of the activity under this MoU shall be in the names of involved personnel from both the parties and the sequence of Authors mutually agreed upon based on contribution. In all publications (papers, reports etc.,) it will be duly acknowledged that the work has been carried out by PU and partner institution under this MoU between the parties. All ethical guidelines of research publication existent at both the organizations will be strictly followed.
4. Neither Partner University nor Pondicherry University will be held responsible for any liability to the other party, and neither party shall be required to purchase any insurance against loss or damage to any property due to activities to which this agreement relates.

### **VI. Commencement, Renewal, Termination and Amendment**

1. This MOU will come into force upon affixing of the signatures of the representatives of the partner institutions and will remain in effect for a period of FIVE years from the date of the last signature. This MOU may be renewed upon its expiry, with the agreement of both partner institutions. If either partner institution wishes to terminate the MOU at the end of the five years period it must notify the other institution no less than six months prior to the expiry of the MOU.
2. This MOU or its renewal and the actions taken under it may be reviewed at any time. Modifications may be made by mutual agreement and any amendment or extension to the



agreement may be formalized by the exchange of letters between the two institutions. For all issues arising out of this Memorandum of Understanding or in its implementation the concerned parties to this MoU will resolve the same amicably by mutual consent of both the parties.

- Both Parties understand that all final arrangements will have to be negotiated and will depend on the availability of funds. During implementation of the present MoU both Parties shall comply with legal regulations being in force in both countries.

This MoU was made in two copies in English, with one copy for each Party. The signing parties signed the agreement themselves digitally in person. Electronically inserted scanned signatures on PDF of the MOU document are acceptable by both parties for the purpose of this MoU. Each signatory has personally inserted his/her signature and verified the contents of this document.

Signed:  
SIGNATURE & DATE:

*July, 16, 2021*



Prof. Dr. RICO BALDEGGER  
Director  
School of Management Fribourg

Signed:  
SIGNATURE & DATE:

*B. Chithra*  
*08/09/21*

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Registrar (i/c)  
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*July 16, 2021*

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School of Management Fribourg  
Deputy Director  
Head of International Office

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MOU Coordinator  
Prof. Dr. UMA CHANDRASEKARAN  
School of Management  
Dean – International Relations  
Pondicherry University  
Pondicherry

2022.142.25

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN ON THE SIGNING OF THE MOU BETWEEN INTEGRATED HEADQUARTERS OF MINISTRY OF DEFENCE(ARMY), NEW DELHI AND PONDICHERY UNIVERSITY, PUDUCHERRY**

The University proposes to have an MoU(*renewal*) with Integrated Headquarters of Ministry of Defence(Army), New Delhi to the protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research activities.

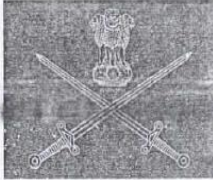
MoU Proposal with whom	Integrated Headquarters of Ministry of Defence(Army), New Delhi
Received from	Mr. Abhishek, Army Training Command (ARTRAC), Ministry of Defence(Army) through Dr.S.I. Humayun, Assistant Professor, Centre for South Asian Studies and the Coordinator of the MoU, School of Social Sciences & International Studies
Coordinator of the MoU	Dr.S.I. Humayun, Assistant Professor, Centre for South Asian Studies, School of Social Sciences & International Studies
MoU Evaluation Committee recommendation / remarks	The draft MoU for renewal was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee.
School / Dept. concerned with MoU	Pondicherry University, Puducherry
Areas of Collaboration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exchange of information on educational programmes run by PU as part of its on-campus and off-campus programmes and on research and innovation currently undertaken by PU at its campus in PU.</li> <li>• Army to sponsor officers to undergo on-campus and off-campus educational programmes.</li> <li>• Collaborative research and innovation in areas of mutual interest in physical sciences, engineering, management and social sciences.</li> </ul>
Validity of the MoU	For Five years starting from date of signatures.
Other financial specifications	As per the MoU.
Probable date of signing MoU	MoU signed on 11.11.2021
Any other specific remarks	No.

The draft MoU sent by the Coordinator of the MoU with Integrated Headquarters of Ministry of Defence(Army), New Delhi was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee of the University and also approved by the University authorities. The renewal MoU was signed on 11.11.2021. A copy of the signed MoU is attached as Enclosure.

Submitted for ratification of the Council.

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN



PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY

AND



ARMY TRAINING COMMAND,

INTEGRATED HEADQUARTERS OF

MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (ARMY)

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is executed between the following parties:

Pondicherry University is a Central University established in 1985 by an Act of the Indian Parliament. Pondicherry University, Puducherry, 605014, India, hereinafter referred to as 'PU' and duly represented by Dr Amaresh Samataraya, Registrar i/c

AND

The Army Training Command on behalf of Integrated Headquarters of Ministry of Defence (Army), New Delhi, hereinafter referred to as 'Army' and duly represented by Chief of Staff, Headquarters, ARTRAC.

### SCOPE

The scope of this academic and research cooperation between the Army and PU is to promote and facilitate:

1. Exchange of information on educational programmes run by PU as part of its on-campus and off-campus programmes and on research and innovation currently undertaken by PU at its campus in PU.
2. Army to sponsor officers to undergo on-campus and off-campus educational programmes in PU.
3. Collaborative research and innovation in areas of mutual interest in physical sciences, engineering, management and social sciences.



# TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION

4. PU has agreed to provide nominated officers of the Indian Army, the following courses of Pondicherry University as per the number of seats mentioned against each in accordance with the terms and conditions of this MoU and regulations of the University.

<u>Sl.No.</u>	<u>Name of the Course</u>	<u>No. of Seats</u>
1	M.A (South Asian Studies)	10
2	MBA (All Specializations including Data Analytics and Supply Chain Management)	2 seats each
3	Ph.D in all subjects of Social Sciences and Humanities (External / Full time)	Max of 20 per year (Subject to a maximum of 2 seats each Department)
4	Resident Research Scholars in South Asian Studies (Chairs of Excellence)	Max of five per year
5	PhD in Statistics (External / Full time)	Max of three per year
6	PhD in Management Studies (External / Full time)	Max of two per year
7	PhD in Computer Science/Computer Science and Engineering (External / Full time)	Max of two per year
8	MA in Mass Communication	2 seats
9	MSc Electronic Media	2 seats
10	MSc in Disaster Management	5 seats
11	M.Tech in Computer Science and Engineering	2 seats
12	M.Tech in Network and Information Security	2 seats
13	M.Tech in Nano Science and Technology	2 seats

**Note:-** The number of seats to be allotted to Army personnel will be over and above the sanctioned strength in each subject mentioned above. All PhD vacancies under the MoU are subject to availability of guides and vacancies in the respective centres/departments. Any other subjects offered by the University of organizational interests will be subscribed to.

5. The duly filled in applications for admissions should be submitted to the University by the 30th of April, every year through the HQ ARTRAC.
6. If the applications are not received within the prescribed date, the seats may be filled by the University itself, in whatever manner it deems it fit.
7. The Army personnel nominated by the HQ ARTRAC have to fulfil the minimum eligibility criteria prescribed for various courses.
8. The nominated Army personnel shall, however, write the Entrance Examination at an exclusive centre for the Army at a mutually convenient location. A separate merit list will be prepared for these seats from amongst the Army candidates.
9. Admission will be given to officers seeking admission for Ph.D programme as per the provision contained in 2.1(f) of Ph.D regulations of the University.
10. As a special case, the criteria of publications with respect to PhD admissions (full-time/part-time) are waived off for the officers who join through MoU category.
11. The University will provide accommodation to the extent possible in the Research Scholars Hostel, or otherwise they have to make their own arrangements.
12. The fee will be paid at the normal rates prescribed for other students or at mutually agreed upon fee structure if agreed between the University and the Army.
13. They will abide by the rules and regulations of the University from the date of their admission/ joining.
14. Any issues arising out of discipline in their cases will be reported to the HQ ARTRAC by the University for appropriate action.
15. The parties will also examine and set up centres of education in distant locations through procedures laid down in the University regulations.



16. Army will provide guest speakers/ adjunct Professors/ members on various ~~bodies of the University in mutual consultation on a need basis and within the~~ rules of both parties.

17. The term Army nominees includes serving Army personnel only.

18. An apex level Joint Committee will be formed to take the process forward and also examine further areas of cooperation. The recommendations of the Joint Committee on any matter referred to it under this scheme will be placed before the appropriate bodies of the University for approval. The committee will consist of two members each from both parties and will be chaired by the Vice Chancellor.

19. A co-ordinator on both sides will be appointed to oversee the implementation of the MoU. The Army will nominate one officer as their representative for co-ordinating the activities relating to the admission of Army personnel. He will liaise with the University personnel dealing with admission.

#### INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

20. The Army and PU agree to respect each other's rights to intellectual property. Further, intellectual property rights that result from collaborative research or any activity under this MoU will be worked out on a case-to-case basis and consistent with IPR policies of both the parties and the laws in force governed by security considerations and will be preferably arrived at through an agreement prior to commencement of any specific project/ program.

#### COORDINATION

21. Pondicherry University shall identify one member of its faculty to coordinate the programme on its behalf. Similarly, the Army will identify one serving officer to coordinate the programme on its behalf. Further, an Empowered Committee, to be co-chaired by the Nominee of the GOC-in-C, Army Training Command and the Vice Chancellor, PU and additionally consisting of (a) one or more nominees

of Vice Chancellor, PU, (b) one or more nominees of the GOC-in-C, Army Training Command (c) Programme Coordinator from the side of the Army, and (d) ~~Programme Coordinator from the side of PU, will work out the details of~~ programmes, and other forms of engagement, identified above. The same committee will periodically review existing programmes, as also identify and implement new programmes, to strengthen cooperation between the two organizations.

#### CONFIDENTIALITY

22. Each organisation undertakes that it will not at any time use, divulge or communicate to any person, except to its professional representatives or advisers or as may be required by law or any legal or regulatory authority, any Confidential Information concerning the business or affairs of the other organisation which may have come to its knowledge as a result of entering into this Memorandum and each of the organisation shall use its reasonable endeavours to prevent the publication or disclosure of any Confidential Information concerning such matters, in any medium whatsoever.

#### DATE OF EFFECT AND TERMINATION

23. This MoU will take effect from the date it is signed by representatives of the two organizations. It will remain valid for five years, and may be renewed after suitable review thereafter. Either organization may terminate the MoU by giving written notice to the organization three months in advance. Once terminated, neither the Army nor PU will be responsible for any losses, financial or otherwise, which the other organization may suffer as a result. However, the Army and PU agree that all activities in progress are allowed to be completed successfully.

#### DISPUTE RESOLUTION

24. Should there be a dispute relating to any aspect of academic and research cooperation, the GOC-in-C, Army Training Command, or his nominee and Vice Chancellor, PU or his nominee will jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence, mutual respect, and shared responsibility.



APPROVAL:

25. This MoU is subject to the approval of the competent authorities of both the parties and also subject to the relevant laws of the land. The approval would be deemed to be in place once the MoU is signed.

TERMINATION

26. Either party shall be entitled to terminate this MoU by providing the other party with three calendar months' advance notice. The termination of the MoU, for whatever reason, will not affect the rights of either party, which may have been secured as on the date of termination and will further not affect any rights, which specially or by their nature survive the termination of this MoU.

This MoU is signed subject to approval of the respective academic or administrative bodies of the organizations.

On behalf of:  
ARTARC, IHQ of MoD (Army)  
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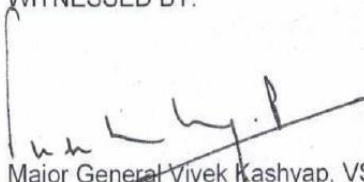
Lieutenant General. J S Sandhu, AVSM  
Chief of Staff  
HQ ARTRAC

On behalf of:  
Pondicherry University  
SIGNATURE & DATE:



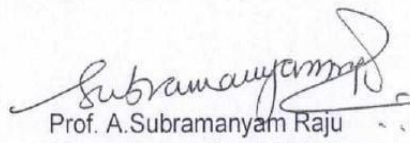
Dr. Amaresh Samataraya  
Registrar (i/c)

WITNESSED BY:



Major General Vivek Kashyap, VSM  
MGGS, Training (B)  
HQ ARTRAC

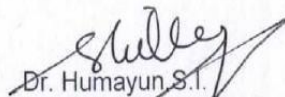
WITNESSED BY:



Prof. A. Subramanyam Raju  
Dean – International Relations



Colonel Abhishek Mamgain  
Col GS (PME)  
HQ ARTRAC



Dr. Humayun S.I.  
Asst. Professor & MOU Coordinator  
Centre for South Asian Studies

2022.142.26

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN ON THE SIGNING OF THE MOU BETWEEN NATIONAL PINGTUNG UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY, TAIWAN AND DEPT. OF MICROBIOLOGY, SCHOOL OF LIFE SCIENCES, PONDICHERY UNIVERSITY, PUDUCHERRY**

The University proposes to have an MoU with National Pingtung University of Science & Technology, Taiwan to the protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research activities.

<b>MoU Proposal with whom</b>	National Pingtung University of Science & Technology, Taiwan
<b>Received from</b>	Dean, School of Life Sciences.
<b>Coordinator of the MoU</b>	Dr. Joseph Selvin, Professor & Head, Dept. of Microbiology, School of Life Sciences.
<b>MoU Evaluation Committee recommendation / remarks</b>	The draft MoU was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee.
<b>School / Dept. concerned with MoU</b>	Dept. of Microbiology, School of Life Sciences
<b>Areas of Collaboration</b>	1. Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest. 2. Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications. 3. Exchange of students and faculty. 4. Sponsorship for cooperativeseminars, workshop and other academic meetings.
<b>Validity of the MoU</b>	For Five years starting from date of signatures.
<b>Other financial specifications</b>	As per the MoU.
<b>Probable date of signing MoU</b>	MoU signed on 08.09.2021
<b>Any other specific remarks</b>	No.

The draft MoU sent by the Coordinator of the MoU with National Pingtung University of Science & Technology, Taiwan was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee of the University and also approved by the University authorities. The MoU was signed on 08.09.2021. A copy of the signed MoU is attached as Enclosure.

Submitted for ratification of the Council.



**Memorandum of Understanding**  
**ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH COLLABORATION**  
between  
**NATIONAL PINGTUNG UNIVERSITY OF**  
**SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, Taiwan**  
and  
**PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, Pondicherry, India**



This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is executed between the following parties:

PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY - A Central University under the Ministry of Education established under University Act 1985, Government of India, situated at Puducherry UT, India, and represented by the REGISTRAR, Pondicherry University, who is duly authorised to enter into and sign the MOU on behalf of Pondicherry University, Puducherry (hereinafter called as 'PU').

AND

NATIONAL PINGTUNG UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY - A University established under the laws of the University Act (1972), located at 1, Shuefu Road, Neipu, Pingtung 91201, TAIWAN and represented by its PRESIDENT who is duly authorised to enter into and sign the MOU on behalf of National Pingtung University of Science and Technology (hereinafter referred to as "NPUST").

**Background of the institutions**

Pondicherry University offers Postgraduate and Doctoral research programs in multiple disciplines leading to Masters and PhD degrees from its campuses at Puducherry (Main), Karaikal, Mahe, Yanam and Andaman & Nicobar Islands. Post-doctoral Research Fellowships and National and International Collaborative Research Projects are also undertaken by faculty.

National Pingtung University of Science and Technology, under the duly commissioned authority of its six colleges, offers programs in multiple disciplines which lead to Bachelor's, Master's and PhD level degrees. Through its various faculties, institutes and research centres, the University also offers Post-doctoral Research Fellowships and conducts collaborative research projects with domestic and international partners.

NATIONAL PINGTUNG UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, Taiwan, and PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, Pondicherry, have agreed to the following protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research related activities:



### **1. AREAS OF COLLABORATION**

The scope of collaboration on academic and research activities in this Memorandum of Understanding includes the following categories:

- Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest.
- Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications.
- Exchange of students and faculty.
- Sponsorship of cooperative seminars, workshops and other academic meetings.

### **2. Student Exchange**

Pursuant to the agreement for academic exchange, National Pingtung University of Science and Technology and Pondicherry University will exchange students according to terms which shall be laid out in a separate document. It is desired by both Parties that there will be a regular flow of students in both directions.

### **3. Faculty Exchange / Mobility:**

On invitation by the host institution, and upon receiving necessary approvals from both Parties, teaching staff may accept teaching engagements at the partner institution. Financial commitments will depend upon availability of support from funding agencies.

### **4. Research Collaboration**

Faculty from both Institutions will collaborate in the supervision of exchange students and on joint research in disciplines of mutual interest. All such joint research activities will be governed by the terms laid out in a separate agreement.

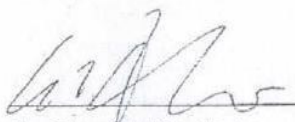
### **5. Commencement, Renewal, Termination and Amendment**

- a) This MOU will come into force upon receiving the signatures of the representatives of both Institutions and will remain in effect for a period of FIVE years from the date of the last signature. This MOU may be renewed with the agreement of both Parties. If either Party wishes to terminate this MOU in advance of its natural expiration, the terminating Party must notify the other Party no less than six months prior to the date of effective termination. Any programs/activities which are currently underway at the time of termination shall remain in place and be allowed to continue to their natural completion.
- b) This MOU or its renewal and the actions taken under it may be reviewed at any time. Modifications may be made by mutual agreement and any amendment or extension to the

agreement may be formalized by the exchange of letters between the two institutions. Any issues arising out of this Memorandum of Understanding or the implementation thereof will be resolved amicably through negotiation and with the mutual consent of both the Parties.

- c) Both Parties understand that the final arrangements of any specific joint activity will have to be negotiated and will depend on the availability of funds. During the implementation of the present MoU both Parties shall comply with the legal regulations in force in both countries.
- d) This MoU was written in English and made in duplicate, with one copy to be held by each Party. Electronically inserted scanned signatures on PDF copies of the MOU document are acceptable by both parties for the purpose of this MoU. Each duly authorized signatory has personally inserted his/her signature and verified the contents of this document.

Signed:  
SIGNATURE & DATE:



Dr. Chang-Hsien Tai  
President  
Representative of  
National Pingtung University of  
Science and Technology

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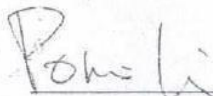
*Dr. B. Chithra*  
28/09/21



REGISTRAR  
PONDICHERY UNIVERSITY  
PUDUCHERRY - 605 014

Dr B Chithra  
The Registrar,  
Pondicherry University  
Legal Representative of  
Pondicherry University

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MOU Coordinator  
Dr. Pomin Li  
Dean of Office of International Affairs

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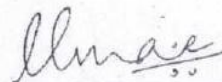


Coordinator

Dr. Joseph Selvin  
Professor - Microbiology



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Department of Microbiology  
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Puducherry - 605 014



Dr. Uma Chandrasekaran  
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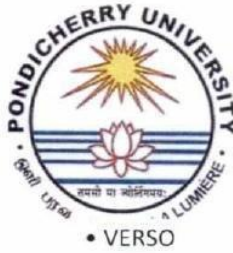
**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN ON THE SIGNING OF THE MOU BETWEEN MAHATMA GANDHI INSTITUTE & RABINDRANATH TAGORE INSTITUTE, MAURITIUS AND DEPARTMENT OF FRENCH, SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES**

The University proposes to have an MoU with Mahatma Gandhi Institute & Rabindranath Tagore Institute, Mauritius to the protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research activities.

<b>MoU Proposal with whom</b>	Mahatma Gandhi Institute & Rabindranath Tagore Institute, Mauritius.
<b>Received from</b>	Dr. Ritu Tyagi, Associate Professor, Dept. of French through the Dean, School of Humanities.
<b>Coordinator of the MoU</b>	Dr. Ritu Tyagi, Associate Professor, Dept. of French.
<b>MoU Evaluation Committee recommendation / remarks</b>	The draft MoU was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee.
<b>School / Dept. concerned with MoU</b>	Dept. of French, School of Humanities.
<b>Areas of Collaboration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest, Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications.</li><li>• Exchange of students and faculty.</li><li>• Sponsorship of cooperative seminars, workshops, capacity building programs and other academic meetings.</li></ul>
<b>Validity of the MoU</b>	For Five years starting from date of signatures.
<b>Other financial specifications</b>	As per the MoU.
<b>Probable date of signing MoU</b>	MoU signed on 14.10.2021
<b>Any other specific remarks</b>	No.

The draft MoU sent by the Coordinator of the MoU with Mahatma Gandhi Institute & Rabindranath Tagore Institute, Mauritius was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee of the University and also approved by the University authorities. The MoU was signed on 14.10.2021. A copy of the signed MoU is attached as Enclosure. Submitted for ratification of the Council.





## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

for Academic and Research Collaboration between

**PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY  
PUDUCHERRY, INDIA**

**THE MAHATMA GANDHI INSTITUTE & RABINDRANATH TAGORE INSTITUTE  
MAURITIUS**

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is executed between the following parties:

Pondicherry University is a Central University established in 1985 by an Act of the Indian Parliament. Pondicherry University, Puducherry, 605014, India, hereinafter referred to as 'PCI' and duly represented by Dr B Chithra, Registrar

AND

The Mahatma Gandhi Institute established by an Act of Parliament, Mauritius, having its Office at Mahatma Gandhi Avenue, Moka, Mauritius and hereinafter referred to as "MGI" and the Rabindranath Tagore Institute established by Act of Parliament, Mauritius, having its office at 110t D'Epinay and hereinafter referred to as "RTI" and duly represented by Mr Rajcoomar Rampertab, CSK and Mr Premiall Mahadeo, Chairman (MG' & RTI).

Mahatma Gandhi Institute MGI and Rabindranath Tagore Institute RTI, Mauritius and Pondicherry University PU, Pondicherry, India shall enter into a Memorandum of Understanding in accordance with the rules and regulations governing the parties and have agreed to the following protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research related activities:

### Scope

The scope of collaboration on academic and research activities in this Memorandum of Understanding includes the following categories:

- Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest, Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications.
- Exchange of students and faculty.
- Sponsorship of cooperative seminars, workshops, capacity building programs and other academic meetings.

#### 1.1 Exchange of Research Scholars, Teaching Staff and Students

- a) To promote institutional exchanges between staff to participate in teaching and/or research activities and inter-disciplinary capacity building programmes for professional development. Modalities of exchange will be worked out in accordance with each institution's needs, policies and practices.
- b) To receive students of the partner institution for periods of study and/or research. Student exchange will be arranged at the discretion of the receiving institution. Students will be responsible for all expenses and will have to abide by the policies and regulations of the receiving institution during the period of the exchange.
- c) To facilitate the entry and admission of students to pursue Masters Programs in Pondicherry University after completion of Undergraduate Degree in MG' or RTI, Mauritius, in the relevant courses of study.

#### 1.2 Exchange of research findings, teaching and reading materials:

- a) Organise joint symposium, conferences, workshops in areas of common interest;
- b) Exchange information pertaining to developments in teaching and learning;
- c) To share library materials and educational resources on terms and conditions to be mutually agreed upon.
- d) To work on joint projects in order to open new avenues for research and joint Research Publications.

#### 1.3 Academic collaboration for research and study:

To engage in collaborative research in areas of mutual interest such as  
Diaspora Studies, Comparative Studies, Folk Literature, Ethnographic Studies, Folk tradition and culture,  
Linguistics and Anthropology, Theatrical, Performing Arts and Spectacular forms in public and private  
setting, Teaching of Hindi and Tamil



2. Programme Financing

- 2.1 Each institution will be responsible for expenses incurred by its employees, unless otherwise agreed upon.
- 2.2 Each party shall provide physical facilities including venues for conferences, seminars, workshops, etc. and all logistics as and when an event will take place in the respective institution.
- 2.3 Each party shall be free to seek and obtain financial assistance from sources other than those covered under the agreed schemes.

3. Non-exclusivity

It is understood between the Parties that this MOU is a non-exclusive arrangement and accordingly, all Parties shall be free to enter into similar arrangements with other organizations.

4. Statutory Approvals

This MOU is subject to such clearances/approvals as may be necessary from the appropriate authorities from either side.

5. Commencement, Renewal, Termination and Amendment

- a) This MOU will come into force upon affixing of the signatures of the representatives of the partner institutions and will remain in effect for five years. This MOU may be renewed upon its expiry, with the agreement of both partner institutions. If either partner institution wishes to terminate the MOU at the end of the five years period it must notify the other institution no less than three months (90 days) prior to the expiry of the MOU.
- b) This MOU or its renewal and the actions taken under it may be reviewed at any time. Modifications may be made by mutual agreement and any amendment or extension to the agreement may be formalized by the exchange of letters between the two parties.
- c) For all issues arising out of this Memorandum of Understanding or in its implementation the concerned parties to this MOU will resolve the same amicably by mutual consent of both the parties.

- d) This MOU was made in two equivalent copies in English, with one copy for each Party. The signing parties signed the agreement themselves digitally in person. Electronically inserted scanned signatures on PDF of the MOU document are acceptable by both parties for the purpose of this Mol-J. Each signatory has personally inserted his/her signature and verified the contents of this document.

Signed:

SIGNATURE:

DATE: 14.10.21

Mr Premilal Mahadeo  
Chairman (MGI & RTI) Council  
**Mahatma Gandhi Institute**  
Mauritius

WITNESSED BY:  
SIGNATURE

Mr Rajcoomar Rampertab, CSK  
Director-General (MGI & RTI)  
**Mahatma Gandhi Institute**  
Mauritius

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DATE:

Dr. Amaresh Samantaraya  
Registrar (i/c)  
Pondicherry University  
Legal Representative of  
**Pondicherry University**  
India

WITNESSED BY:  
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MOU Coordinator  
Dr. Ritu Tyagi  
Assistant Professor  
Dept. of French  
**Pondicherry University**  
India

Dr. A Subramanyam Raju  
Dean - International Relations  
**Pondicherry University**  
India

2022.142.28

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN ON THE PROPOSED MOU BETWEEN AUROVILLE FOUNDATION, PUDUCHERRY AND PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, PUDUCHERRY**



The University proposes to have an MoU with Auroville Foundation, Puducherry to the protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research activities.

<b>MoU Proposal with whom</b>	Auroville Foundation, Puducherry
<b>Received from</b>	Shri. Lavkamad Chandra M.Tech. (Germany), Correspondent, Auroville Institute of Applied Technology through the Dean (CDC), Pondicherry University.
<b>Coordinator of the MoU</b>	Dr.R.Nakkeeran, Associate Professor and Head, Department of Electronics Engineering, School of Engineering and Technology.
<b>MoU Evaluation Committee recommendation / remarks</b>	The draft MoU was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee.
<b>School / Dept. concerned with MoU</b>	Pondicherry University, Puducherry.
<b>Areas of Collaboration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest</li> <li>• Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications</li> <li>• Exchange of students and faculty</li> <li>• Sponsorship of cooperative seminars, workshops and other academic meetings</li> </ul>
<b>Validity of the MoU</b>	For Five years starting from date of signatures.
<b>Other financial specifications</b>	As per the MoU.
<b>Probable date of signing MoU</b>	MoU signed on 7.1.2022
<b>Any other specific remarks</b>	No.

The draft MoU sent by the Coordinator of the MoU with Auroville Foundation, Puducherry was examined and recommended by the MOU Evaluation Committee of the University and also approved by the University authorities. The MoU was signed on 7.1.2022. A copy of the signed MoU is attached as Enclosure. Submitted for ratification of the Council.

**Enclosure**

*MOU between Pondicherry University (PU) and Auroville Foundation (AF)*

	<p><b>Memorandum of Understanding</b></p> <p><b>ACADEMIC AND RESEARCH COLLABORATION</b></p> <p><b>between</b></p> <p><b>PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY,</b> Pondicherry, India</p> <p><b>and</b></p> <p><b>AUROVILLE FOUNDATION,</b> Tamil Nadu, India</p>	
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PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY - A Central University under the Ministry of Education established under University Act 1985, Government of India, situated at Puducherry UT, India.

The REGISTRAR, Pondicherry University, is duly authorised to enter into and sign the MOU on behalf of Pondicherry University, Puducherry (hereinafter called as 'PU').

AND

AUROVILLE FOUNDATION - A Statutory Body functioning under the administrative control of the Ministry of Education, Government of India, situated at Auroville, Tamil Nadu, India.

The UNDER SECRETARY, Auroville Foundation, is the authorised signatory of this MOU on behalf of the Auroville Foundation, Auroville, Tamil Nadu (hereinafter called as 'AF').

**Background of the institutions**

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*MOU between Pondicherry University (PU) and Auroville Foundation (AF)*

Auroville Foundation manages the affairs of Auroville, a township dedicated to human unity with over 3000 residents from 58 countries that are engaged in spiritual and material researches in line with the Charter of Auroville. Auroville is located in Vanur Taluk, Villupuram District of Tamil Nadu. Residents of Auroville are well known around the world for the expertise in many areas including Architecture, Integral education, Sanskrit, Sociology, Design and Engineering, Water, Ecology, Leadership, Employment, and Entrepreneurship addressing most of the SDG goals, having been recognized by UNESCO through 5 resolutions so far.

AUROVILLE FOUNDATION, Tamil Nadu and PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, Pondicherry have agreed to the following protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research related activities:

**1. Areas of Collaboration**

The scope of collaboration on academic and research activities in this Memorandum of Understanding includes the following categories:

- Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest
- Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications
- Exchange of students and faculty
- Sponsorship of cooperative seminars, workshops and other academic meetings

**2. Student Exchange**

Pursuant to the agreement for academic exchange, Auroville Foundation and Pondicherry University will exchange students if it is required for the subjects of interest of both. It is desired by both parties that there will be regular flow of students in both directions.

**3. Faculty Exchange / Mobility:**

On invitation by the host institution, teaching staff may go for a teaching stint at the partner institution with due approvals on either side. Financial commitments will depend upon availability of support from funding agencies.

**4. Research Collaboration**

Faculty from both Institutions will collaborate in the supervision of exchange students and in joint research in disciplines of mutual interest.

**5. Commencement, Renewal, Termination and Amendment**

- a) This MOU will come into force upon affixing of the signatures of the representatives of the partner institutions and will remain in effect for a period of FIVE years from the date of the last signature. This MOU may be renewed upon its expiry, with the agreement of both partner institutions. If either partner institution wishes to terminate the MOU at the end of the five years period it must notify the other institution no less than six months prior to the expiry of the MOU.
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- c) Both Parties understand that all final arrangements will have to be negotiated and will depend on the availability of funds. During implementation of the present MoU both Puducherry UT.
- d) This MoU was made in two equivalent copies in English, with one copy for each Party. The signing parties signed the agreement themselves digitally in person. Electronically inserted scanned signatures on PDF of the MOU document are acceptable by both parties for the purpose of this MoU. Each signatory has personally inserted his/her signature and verified the contents of this document.

Signed:



**Shri. P.R. Srinivasamurthy**  
The Under Secretary  
AUROVILLE FOUNDATION

DATE: 7<sup>th</sup> JAN 2022

Signed:

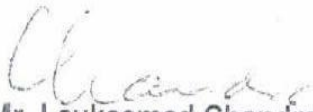


**Dr. Amaresh Samantaraya**  
The Registrar(i/c), Pondicherry University  
Legal Representative of  
Pondicherry University

DATE: Jan 7, 2022

*MOU between Pondicherry University (PU) and Auroville Foundation (AF)*

WITNESSED BY:



**Mr. Lavkaamad Chandra**

MOU Coordinator and

Correspondent

Auroville Institute of Applied Technology

WITNESSED BY:



**Dr. R. Nakkeeran**

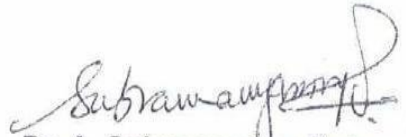
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Dean – International Relations

2022.142.29

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN ON THE PROPOSED MOU BETWEEN NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDIES(NIAS), BENGALURU AND CENTRE FOR MARITIME STUDIES, SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES & INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY**

The University proposes to have an MoU with National Institute of Advanced Studies(NIAS), Bengaluru to the protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research activities.

<b>MoU Proposal with whom</b>	National Institute of Advanced Studies(NIAS), Bengaluru.
<b>Received from</b>	Shri. A.Subramanyam Raju, Coordinator, UGC Centre for Maritime Studies through the Dean, School of Social Sciences & International Studies, Pondicherry University
<b>Coordinator of the MoU</b>	Shri. A.Subramanyam Raju, Coordinator, UGC Centre for Maritime Studies, School of Social Sciences & International Studies, Pondicherry University
<b>MoU Evaluation Committee recommendation / remarks</b>	The draft MoU was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee.
<b>School / Dept. concerned with MoU</b>	Centre for Maritime Studies, School of Social Sciences & International Studies, Pondicherry University
<b>Areas of Collaboration</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest.</li><li>• Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications.</li><li>• Exchange of students and faculty.</li><li>• Sponsorship of cooperative seminars, workshops and other academic meetings.</li><li>• The two institutions shall apply for research projects on themes that are mutually agreed on. Based on the funding support, both institutions will work together on the research projects.</li><li>• The research projects could focus on issues relating to Maritime, International Relations, and Science &amp; Technology.</li><li>•</li></ul>
<b>Validity of the MoU</b>	For Five years starting from date of signatures.
<b>Other financial</b>	As per the MoU.

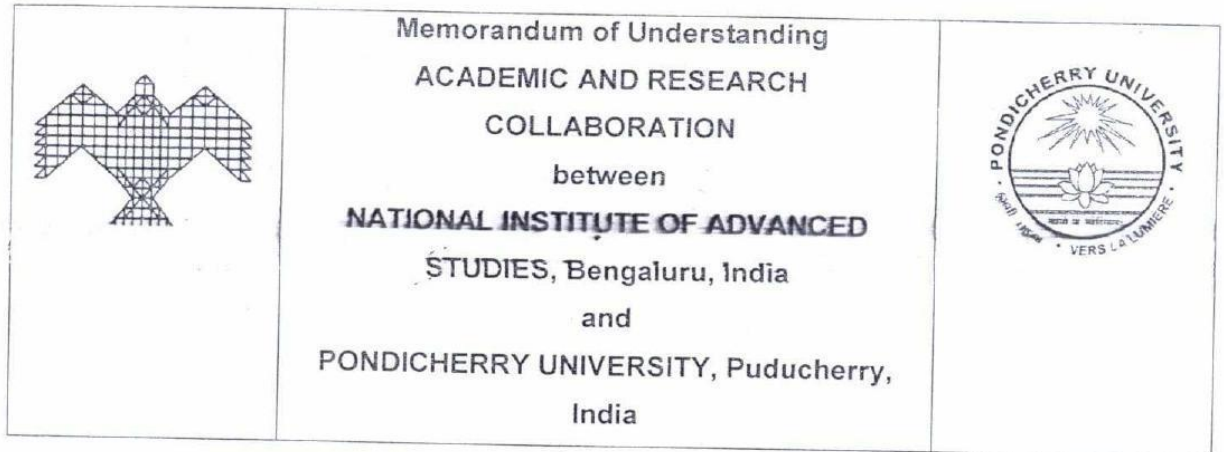


<b>specifications</b>	
<b>Probable date of signing MoU</b>	MoU signed on 21.12.2021
<b>Any other specific remarks</b>	No.

The draft MoU sent by the Coordinator of the MoU with National Institute of Advanced Studies(NIAS), Bengaluru was examined and recommended by the MOU Evaluation Committee of the University and also approved by the University authorities. The MoU was signed on 21.12.2021. A copy of the signed MoU is attached as Enclosure.

Submitted for ratification of the Council.

**Enclosure**



This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is executed between the following parties:

PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY - A Central University under the Ministry of Education established under University Act 1985, Government of India, situated at Puducherry UT, India.

The REGISTRAR, Pondicherry University, is duly authorised to enter into and sign the MOU on behalf of Pondicherry University, Puducherry (hereinafter called as 'PU').

AND

THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDIES, a society registered under the Karnataka Societies Registration Act, 1960, having its registered office in the Indian Institute of Science Campus, Bengaluru-560 012 (Karnataka), (hereinafter referred to as "NIAS", an expression unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof, shall mean and include its administrators, executors, successors-in-interest and permitted assigns), of the ONE PART

Director, NIAS is the authorised signatory of this MOU on behalf of National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bengaluru.

### **Background of the institutions**

Pondicherry University offers Postgraduate and Doctoral research programs in multiple disciplines leading to Masters and PhD degrees from its campuses at Puducherry (Main), Karaikal, Mahe, Yanam and Andaman & Nicobar Islands. Post-doctoral Research Fellowships and National and International Collaborative Research Projects are also undertaken by faculty.

National Institute of Advanced Studies was conceived and founded in 1988 by the late Mr JRD Tata, who sought to create an institution to conduct advanced multidisciplinary research. Housed in a picturesque green campus in Bangalore the Institute serves as a forum to bring together individuals from diverse intellectual backgrounds, in the natural and life sciences, humanities, social sciences, and conflict and security studies. The philosophy underlying NIAS is given shape by its multidisciplinary research teams. The Institute is unique in its integrated approach to the study of intersections between science and technology, philosophy, social issues and leadership. The objective is to nurture a broad base of scholars, managers and leaders who would respond to the complex challenges that face contemporary India and global society, with insight, sensitivity, confidence and dedication.

THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF ADVANCED STUDIES, Bengaluru and PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY, Puducherry have agreed to the following protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research related activities:

### **1. AREAS OF COLLABORATION**

The scope of collaboration on academic and research activities in this Memorandum of Understanding includes the following categories:

- Academic and Research collaboration in the areas of mutual interest.
- Exchange of academic information, scholarly information, materials and publications.
- Exchange of students and faculty.
- Sponsorship of cooperative seminars, workshops and other academic meetings.

- The two institutions shall apply for research projects on themes that are mutually agreed on. Based on the funding support, both institutions will work together on the research projects.
- The research projects could focus on issues relating to Maritime, International Relations, and Science & Technology.

## **2. Student Exchange**

Pursuant to the agreement for academic exchange, The National Institute of Advanced Studies and Pondicherry University will exchange students if it is required for the subject of interest of both. It is desired by both parties that there will be regular flow of students in both directions.

- NIAS will accept interns from Pondicherry University.
- The Centre for Maritime Studies, will take responsibility in screening appropriate candidates among post graduate scholars, and send in advance to the Dean of School of Conflict and Security Studies, NIAS for consideration. The internship would be for 90 days, with a minimum of 45 days physically at the institute.
- The interns are expected to participate in the activities of the school and the various projects under it. The scholars will be expected to regularly participate in the presentation and publication activities.
- The Interns will take care of their accommodation and related expenses during their stay.

## **3. Faculty Exchange / Mobility:**

On invitation by the host institution, teaching staff may go for a teaching stint at the partner institution with due approvals on either side. Financial commitments will depend upon availability of support from funding agencies.

## **4. Research Collaboration**

Faculty from both Institutions will collaborate in the supervision of exchange students and in joint research in disciplines of mutual interest.



#### **5. Joint Events and Workshops**

- Both institutions shall organise joint workshops and conferences on contemporary national and international issues.
- Subject to availability and funding resources, the host institution will provide *infrastructural support to organise the events/workshops*.
- Both institutions would share visiting scholars with each other subject to the itinerary of visiting scholars.
- Both institutions will work together in applying for funding support towards organising these conferences/workshops.

#### **6. Academic Network on International Relations**

- Both institutions shall work towards building an academic network of International Relations in India.
- Both institutions will work with other academic institutions as part of the above network building and organise events together.

#### **7. Commencement, Renewal, Termination and Amendment**


- a) This MOU will come into force upon affixing of the signatures of the representatives of the partner institutions and will remain in effect for a period of FIVE years from the date of the last signature. This MOU may be renewed upon its expiry, with the agreement of both partner institutions. If either partner institution wishes to terminate the MOU at the end of the five years period it must notify the other institution no less than six months prior to the expiry of the MOU.
- b) This MOU or its renewal and the actions taken under it may be reviewed at any time. Modifications may be made by mutual agreement and any amendment or extension to the agreement may be formalized by the exchange of letters between the two institutions. For all issues arising out of this Memorandum of Understanding or in its implementation the concerned parties to this MoU will resolve the same amicably by mutual consent of both the parties.
- c) Both Parties understand that all final arrangements will have to be negotiated and will depend on the availability of funds. During implementation of the present

MoU both Parties shall comply with legal regulations being in force in both countries.

- d) This MoU was made in two equivalent copies in English, with one copy for each Party. The signing parties signed the agreement themselves digitally in person. Electronically inserted scanned signatures on PDF of the MOU document are acceptable by both parties for the purpose of this MoU. Each signatory has personally inserted his/her signature and verified the contents of this document.

Signed:

SIGNATURE:

  
Prof Shailesh Nayak  
Director, NIAS  
Representative of National  
Institute of Advanced Studies,  
Bengaluru  
DATE:



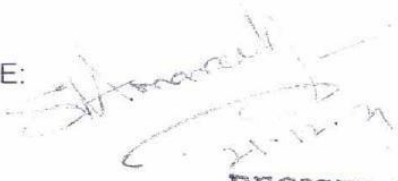
  
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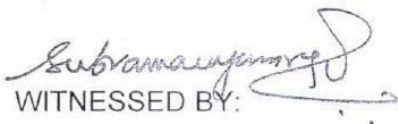
D. Suba Chandran  
Dean, School of Conflict and  
Security Studies, NIAS

Signed:

SIGNATURE:

  
Dr. Amaresh Samantaraya  
Registrar  
Pondicherry University  
Legal Representative of  
Pondicherry University  
DATE:

**REGISTRAR**  
**PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY**  
**PUDUCHERRY**

  
WITNESSED BY:

SIGNATURE

MOU Coordinator  
A. Subramanyam Raju  
Coordinator  
UGC Centre for Maritime Studies  
Pondicherry University  
  
A. Subramanyam Raju  
Dean – International Relations

**2022.142.30**

**TO RATIFY THE ENGAGEMENT OF SHRI. G. PANDIAN @ KUMARAVELU, ASSISTANT (RETIRED), GOVT. OF PUDUCHERRY AS CONSULTANT IN OFFICE OF THE SERVICES & HOSTELS OF THIS UNIVERSITY ON CONTRACT BASIS FOR A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS FROM 28.01.2022.**

Shri. G. Pandian @ Kumaravelu, Assistant (Retd.), Govt. of Puducherry has been engaged as Consultant in the office of the Services & Hostels of this University on contract basis initially for a period of six months w.e.f. 28.01.2022 on consolidated emoluments of Rs.25,000/- per month on the existing terms and conditions governing contract employees of the University, subject to ratification by the Executive Council vide Office Order No.381, dated 07.02.2022.

For ratification of the Council.

**2022.142.31**

**TO RATIFY THE EXTENSION OF SERVICES TO SHRI M. BALU, RETIRED SENIOR AUDIT OFFICER AS ADDITIONAL INTERNAL AUDIT OFFICER ON CONTRACT BASIS FOR A FURTHER PERIOD OF THREE MONTHS FROM 01.02.2022 TO 30.04.2022.**

Shri. M. Balu, a retired Senior Audit Officer, Chennai has been offered engagement as Additional Internal Audit Officer on contract basis with extension for subsequent periods. As of now, his engagement from 01.11.2016 to 31.01.2022 has been ratified by the Executive Council vide Res.No.2017.124.80, dated 16.02.2017, 2018.132.58, dated 26.10.2018, 2019.135.24, dated 17.05.2019, 2019.136.23, dated 10.10.2019, 2020.138.17 & 18, dated 08.06.2020, 2021.139.41, dated 04.06.2021 and 2021.141.37, dated 22.12.2021. Further extension of services have been granted as below:

Sl. No	Period of Extension approved	Consolidated emolument	Office Order No.
01	01.02.2022 to 30.04.2022	Rs.40,000/-	PU/ESTT/NT10/2021-22/301, dt.20.01.2022

For ratification of the Council on the extension of contract services to Shri.M. Balu from 01.02.2022 to 30.04.2022.



2022.142.32

**TO RATIFY THE ACCEPTANCE OF VOLUNTARY RETIREMENT  
SUBMITTED BY Dr. S. MAKALAKSHMI, SENIOR MEDICAL OFFICER OF  
THIS UNIVERSITY WITH EFFECT FROM 25.01.2022**

Dr. S. Makalakshmi, Senior Medical Officer of this University has requested to relieve her from the services of this University on Voluntary Retirement vide letter dated 29.11.2021. The service details are furnished hereunder:

Post held	Period of service	Scale of Pay
Medical Officer	16.10.1998 to 13.09.2009	Rs.8000-275-13500
Senior Medical Officer	14.09.2009 to 25.01.2022	Rs.15600-39100 + GP Rs.6600/Pay Matrix Level 11
Total period of service	23 years 03 months 09 days	

In accordance with Rule 48A of CCS Pension Rules, the notice to retire under Voluntary Retirement Scheme submitted by Dr. S. Makalakshmi, Senior Medical Officer of this University was accepted and relieved of her duties from this University with effect from 25.01.2022 waiving the required notice period, subject to ratification by the Executive Council vide Office Order No.371 (PU/ESTT/NT10/2021-22/304), dated 25.01.2022.

For ratification of the Council.

**2022.142.33**

**TO RATIFY THE ENGAGEMENT OF SHRI. V. LOGANATHAN, SUPERINTENDENT (RETIRED), GOVT. OF PUDUCHERRY AS CONSULTANT IN OFFICE OF THE SERVICES & HOSTELS OF THIS UNIVERSITY ON CONTRACT BASIS FOR A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS FROM 28.01.2022.**

Shri. V. Loganathan, Superintendent (Retd.), Govt. of Puducherry has been engaged as Consultant in the Office of the Services & Hostels of this University on contract basis initially for a period of six months w.e.f. 28.01.2022 on consolidated emoluments of Rs.25,000/- per month on the existing terms and conditions governing contract employees of the University, subject to ratification by the Executive Council vide Office Order No.380, dated 07.02.2022.

For ratification of the Council.

2022.142.34

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN TOWARDS GRANT OF EX-POST FACTO APPROVAL FOR CONTINUATION OF PROVISIONAL AFFILIATION FOR THE EXISTING COURSES IN ALPHA COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY, PUDUCHERRY FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21**

Alpha College of Engineering and Technology, Puducherry had submitted the application for Continuation of Provisional Affiliation for the academic year 2020-21 belatedly on 23.08.2021 (Last date: 07.01.2021). Based on the request of the college for condonation of delay and in the interest of the students enrolled, the University, after obtaining an Undertaking and collecting a Late Fee of Rs.20,000/- from the college, granted Ex-post facto approval for the Continuation of Provisional Affiliation for the following existing courses with the intake as indicated against each for the academic year 2020-21:

Sl. No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Intake Granted 2020-21
1.	B.Tech. Electronics & Communication Engineering	120	120
2.	B.Tech. Computer Science & Engineering	60	60
3.	B.Tech. Electrical & Electronics Engineering	60	60
4.	B.Tech. Information Technology	60	60
5.	B.Tech. Mechanical Engineering	120	120
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of Provisional Affiliation order was issued on 24.09.2021.			

**For ratification of the Council.**

2022.142.35

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN TOWARDS GRANTING OF CONTINUATION OF PROVISIONAL AFFILIATION FOR EXISTING COURSES AND PROVISIONAL AFFILIATION FOR STARTING OF NEW COURSES/INCREASE IN INTAKE TO THE EXISTING MEDICAL/ DENTAL/ NURSING/ PARAMEDICAL COLLEGES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21**

Due to COVID-19 Lockdown, it was decided to accord extension of affiliation to the existing Courses for the academic year 2020-21 without any fresh inspection, based on the provision in the Statute of the University to inspect the Colleges atleast once in two academic years. In the case of those Colleges who were seeking affiliation for new Courses and /or increase in Intake in existing Courses, regular inspections were conducted and Affiliation orders were issued on fulfilment of required conditions.

Accordingly, the following Affiliated Medical/Dental/Nursing/Paramedical Colleges were granted provisional affiliation for the academic year 2020-21 on fulfilment of the required conditions detailed as under:

**I.GRANT OF CONTINUATION OF PROVISIONAL AFFILIATION FOR THE EXISTING COURSES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21:**

**MEDICAL COLLEGES**

**1.Andaman & Nicobar Islands Institute of Medical Sciences, Port-Blair**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation for UG Course – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Course	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.26.11.2020	MCI approval for 2019-20	Approved Intake – 2019-20
1.	M.B.B.S	100	113** (Increased from 100 to 113)	113**	113**
Sl.No.	Course	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt. 26.11.2020	MCI approval for 2020-21	Approved Intake– 2020-21
1.	M.B.B.S	113**	114** (Increased from 113 to 114)	114**	114**
<b>**Increased under EWS reservation.</b> <u>Status:</u> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 10.12.2020.					

## **2.Rajiv Gandhi Ayurveda Medical College & Hospital, Mahe**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation for UG Course – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Course	Existing Intake	Request made by the College dt.26.12.2019	AYUSH approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.A.M.S	63	63	63	63
<b><u>Status:</u></b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 24.8.2020.					

## **DENTAL COLLEGES**

### **1.Mahatma Gandhi PG Institute of Dental Sciences, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.6.1.2020	DCI Approval	Approved Intake
1.	BDS	40	40	40	40
2.	MDS(Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge)	02	02	02	02
3.	MDS(Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and Oral Microbiology)	03	03	03	03
4.	MDS(Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery)	02	02	02	02
5.	MDS(Oral Medicine & Radiology)	02	02	02	02
6.	MDS(Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics)	02	02	02	02
7.	MDS(Periodontology)	02	02	02	02
<b><u>Status:</u></b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 8.10.2020.					

**2.Mahe Institute of Dental Sciences & Hospital, Mahe**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.31.12.2019	DCI Approval	Approved Intake
1.	BDS	100	100	100	100
2.	MDS(Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics)	03	03	03	03
3.	MDS(Oral Pathology & Microbiology)	02	02	02	02
4.	MDS(Orthodontics & Dentofacial Orthopaedics)	03	03	03	03
5.	MDS(Paedodontics and Preventive Dentistry)	03	03	03	03
6.	MDS(Periodontology)	03	03	03	03
7.	MDS(Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge)	02	02	02	02
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 24.8.2020.					

**NURSING /PARA MEDICAL COLLEGES**

**1.Indirani College of Nursing, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.3.1.2020	INC/ TNNMC Approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.Sc. Nursing	100	100	100	100
2.	Post Basic B.Sc Nursing	30	30	30	30
3.	M.Sc. Medical Surgical Nursing	08	08	08	08
4.	M.Sc. Obstetric & Gynaecological Nursing	08	08	08	08

5.	M.Sc. Child Health(Paediatric) Nursing	08	08	08	08
6.	M.Sc. Mental Health (Psychiatric) Nursing	08	08	08	08
7.	M.Sc. Community Health Nursing	08	08	08	08
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 17.8.2020.					

## **2.College of Nursing, PIMS, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.07.01.2020	INC/ TNNMC Approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.Sc. Nursing	60	60	60	60
2.	Post Basic B.Sc. Nursing	30	30	30	30
3.	M.Sc. Medical Surgical Nursing	04	04	04	04
4.	M.Sc. Obstetric & Gynaecological Nursing	04	04	04	04
5.	M.Sc. Child Health(Paediatric) Nursing	04	04	04	04
6.	M.Sc. Mental Health (Psychiatric) Nursing	04	04	04	04
7.	M.Sc. Community Health Nursing	04	04	04	04
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 24.8.2020.					

## **3.Raak Nursing and Paramedical College, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Course	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.6.1.2020	INC/ TNNMC Approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.Sc.(Nursing)	60	60	60	60
<b>Status:</b> The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 24.8.2020.					



**4. Sri Manakula Vinayagar Nursing College, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.3.1.2020	INC/ TNNMC Approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.Sc. Nursing	100	100	100	100
2.	Post Basic B.Sc Nursing	30	30	30	30
3.	M.Sc. Medical Surgical Nursing	03	03	03	03
4.	M.Sc. Obstetric & Gynaecological Nursing	03	03	03	03
5.	M.Sc. Child Health(Paediatric) Nursing	03	03	03	03
6.	M.Sc. Mental Health (Psychiatric) Nursing	03	03	03	03
7.	M.Sc. Community Health Nursing	03	03	03	03
Status: The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 3.9.2020.					

**5. Sabari College of Nursing, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Course	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.3.1.2020	INC/ TNNMC Approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.Sc. (Nursing)	50	50	50	50
Status: The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 8.9.2020.					

**6. A.G. Padmavathi College of Nursing, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Course	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.20.11.2019	INC/ TNNMC Approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.Sc. (Nursing)	60	60	60	60
Status: The Continuation of provisional affiliation order was issued on 15.9.2020.					

**II.GRANT OF CONTINUATION OF PROVISIONAL AFFILIATION FOR EXISTING COURSES AND PROVISIONAL AFFILIATION FOR STARTING OF NEW COURSES/INCREASE IN INTAKE FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21:**

**1.Indira Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation for UG & PG Courses – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.3.1.2020	MCI approval	Approved Intake
1.	M.B.B.S	180	180	180	180
2.	M.D. Pathology	02	02	02	02
3.	M.D. Community Medicine	04	04	04	04
4.	MD (Anatomy)	02	02	02	02
5.	MD (Microbiology)	04	04	04	04
Provisional Affiliation for starting of new PG Courses – 2020-21:					
1.	M.S. Obstetrics & Gynaecology	--	03	03	03
2.	M.S. Oto-Rhino Laryngology	--	02	02	02
<p><u>Status:</u> The Inspection Committee had recommended for continuation of provisional affiliation for the existing UG/PG courses and starting of new PG courses in its Report dt.16.10.2021. Final affiliation order was issued on 29.12.2021.</p>					

**2.Pondicherry Institute of Medical Sciences, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation for UG & PG Courses – 2020-21					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.6.1.2020	MCI approval	Approved Intake
1.	M.B.B.S.	100 + 50*	150	150	100 + 50* * sub-judice for 50 seats
2.	M.D. Anatomy	02	02	02	02
3.	M.D. Physiology	04	04	04	04
4.	M.D. Biochemistry	02	02	02	02

5.	M.D. Microbiology	04	04	04	04
6.	M.D. Pathology	03	03	03	03
7.	M.D. Community Medicine	04	04	04	04
8.	M.S. Obstetrics & Gynaecology	03	03	03	03
9.	M.D. Anaesthesiology	06	06	06	06
10.	M.S. Otorhino-laryngology	02	02	02	02
11.	M.Ch. Plastic Surgery	01	01	01	01
12.	M.D. Pharmacology	02	02	02	02
13.	M.D. Paediatrics	03	03	03	03
14.	M.D. Respiratory Medicine	01	01	01	01
15.	M.D. Radio Diagnosis	04	04	04	04
16.	M.S. Orthopaedics	02	02	02	02
17.	M.D. Psychiatry	02	03 (Increase from 2 to 3)	03	03 (Increased from 2 to 3)
18.	M.S. Ophthalmology	02	03 (Increase from 2 to 3)	03	03 (Increased from 2 to 3)
19.	M.D. DVL	01	03 (Increase from 1 to 3)	03	03 (Increased from 1 to 3)
20.	M.S. General Surgery	03	06 (Increase from 3 to 6)	06	06 (Increased from 3 to 6)

Status: The Inspection Committee had recommended for continuation of provisional affiliation for the existing UG/PG courses and Increase in Intake in its Report dt.15.10.2021. Final affiliation order was issued on 15.12.2021.

**Consent of Affiliation for Increase in intake – 2021-22**

Sl.No.	Courses	Requested Intake	Recommended Intake
1.	M.D. Paediatrics	03 to 06	03 to 04
2.	M.D. Respiratory Medicine	01 to 03	01 to 03
3.	M.S. Otorhinolaryngology	02 to 03	02 to 03

4.	M.S. Orthopaedics	02 to 09	02 to 04
5.	M.S. General Surgery	06 to 10	06 to 08

**2. Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation for UG & PG Courses – 2020-21					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.27.12.2019	MCI approval	Approved Intake
1.	M.B.B.S.	150	150	150	150
2.	M.D. Anatomy	02	02	02	02
3.	M.D. Physiology	03	03	03	03
4.	M.D. Biochemistry	03	03	03	03
5.	M.D. Microbiology	02	02	02	02
6.	M.D. Pharmacology	04	04	04	04
7.	M.D. Radio Diagnosis	04	04	04	04
8.	M.D. DVL	04	04	04	04
9.	M.D. Pathology	06	06	06	06
10.	M.D. Community Medicine	03	03	03	03
11.	M.D. TB & RD	02	02	02	02
12.	M.S. Obstetrics & Gynaecology	02	02	02	02
13.	M.S. Oto-Rhino Laryngology	02	02	02	02
14.	M.S. General Surgery	05	05	05	05
15.	M.D. General Medicine	10	10	10	10
16.	M.D. Anaesthesiology	06	06	06	06
17.	M.S. Orthopaedics	04	04	04	04
18.	M.D. Paediatrics	06	06	06	06
19.	M.D. Psychiatry	02	03 (Increase from 02 to 03)	03	03 (Increased from 02 to 03)
20.	M.S. Ophthalmology	03 (Increase d from 03 to 04)	04 (Increase from 03 to 04)	04	04 (Increased from 03 to 04)
<b>Status:</b> The Inspection Committee had recommended for continuation of provisional affiliation for the existing UG/PG courses and Increase in Intake in its Report dt.16.10.2021. Final affiliation order was issued on 5.1.2022.					
<b>Consent of Affiliation for Increase in intake – 2021-22</b>					

Sl.No.	Courses	Requested Intake	Recommended Intake
1.	M.S. General Surgery	05 to 18	05 to 16
2.	M.S. OBG	02 to 15	02 to 13
3.	M.D. Radio Diagnosis	04 to 10	04 to 08

**4.Sri Venkateshwaraa Medical College Hospital & Research Centre, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation for UG & PG Courses – 2020-21					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.30.9.2019	MCI approval	Approved Intake
1.	M.B.B.S.	150	150	150	150
2.	M.D. Psychiatry	01	01	01	01
3.	M.S. Oto-Rhino-Laryngology	01	01	01	01
4.	M.D. Anatomy	03	03	03	03
5.	M.D. Physiology	03	03	03	03
6.	M.D. Biochemistry	01	01	01	01
7.	M.D. Microbiology	04	04	04	04
8.	M.D. Pharmacology	04	04	04	04
9.	M.D. Pathology	02	02	02	02
10.	M.D. Community Medicine	02	02	02	02
11.	M.D. Peadiatrics	02	02	02	02
12.	M.D. Radio Diagnosis	02	05 (Increased from 02 to 05)	05	05 (Increased from 02 to 05)
13.	M.D. DVL	01	04 (Increased from 1 to 4)	04	04 (Increased from 1 to 4)
14.	M.D. Anaesthesiology	03	09 (Increase from 3 to 9)	09	09 (Increased from 3 to 9)
15.	M.S. General Surgery	02	10 (Increase from 2 to 10)	10	10 (Increased from 2 to 10)
16.	M.S. Obstetrics and Gynaecology	02	04 (Increase from 2 to 4)	04	04 (Increased from 2 to 4)
17.	M.S. Ophthalmology	01	03 (Increase from 1 to 3)	03	03 (Increased from 1 to 3)

18.	M.S. Orthopaedics	01	03 (Increase from 1 to 3)	03	03 (Increased from 1 to 3)
19.	M.D. General Medicine	02	11 (Increase from 2 to 11)	11	11 (Increased from 2 to 11)

Status: The Inspection Committee had recommended for continuation of provisional affiliation for the existing UG/PG courses and Increase in Intake in its Report dt.15.10.2021. Final affiliation order was issued on 6.1.2022.

<b>Consent of Affiliation for Increase in intake – 2021-22</b>			
Sl.No.	Courses	Requested Intake	Recommended Intake
1.	MBBS	150 to 250	150 to 250
<b>COA for starting of new courses - 2021-22</b>			
Courses		Intake	
1.M.D. Respiratory Medicine		05	05

## DENTAL COLLEGES

### 1.Sri Venkateshwaraa Dental College, Puducherry

<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21</b>					
Sl.No.	Course	Existing Intake	Request made by the College dt.2.1.2020	DCI Approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.D.S.	100	100	100	100
<b>Provisional Affiliation for starting of new PG Courses – 2020-21:</b>					
1.	MDS(Conservative Dentistry & Endodontics	--	02	02	02
2.	MDS(Prosthodontics and Crown & Bridge)	--	02	02	02
3.	MDS(Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery)	--	02	02	02
4.	MDS(Periodontology )	--	02	02	02

Status: The Inspection Committee had recommended for continuation of provisional affiliation in its Report dt.30.6.2021. Final affiliation order was issued on 17.11.2021.

**NURSING /PARAMEDICAL COLLEGES**

**1.Mother Theresa Post Graduate & Research Institute of Health Sciences, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the College dt.8.1.2020	INC/ TNNMC Approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.Sc. (Medical Radiology & Imaging Technology)	20	30 (Increase from 20 to 30)	NA	30 (Increased from 20 to 30)
2.	M.Sc. Psychiatric Nursing	05	05	05	05
Provisional Affiliation for starting of New PG Courses – 2020-21:					
1.	M.P.T OBG Physiotherapy	--	02	NA	02
2.	M.P.T Paediatric Physiotherapy	--	02	NA	02
Provisional Affiliation for Increase in Intake for Courses under Permanent affiliation- 2020-21:					
1.	B.P.T.	30	50 (Increase from 30 to 50)	NA	50 (Increased from 30 to 50)
2.	B.Sc. M.L.T.	30	50 (Increase from 30 to 50)	NA	50 (Increased from 30 to 50)
<b><u>Status:</u></b> The Inspection Committee had recommended for continuation of provisional affiliation for the existing UG/PG courses and starting of new PG courses in its Report dt.7.9.2020. Final affiliation order was issued on 27.10.2020.					

**2.Shri Venkateshwara College of Pharmacy, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation for UG Course – 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Course	Existing Intake	Request made by the College dt.2.1.2020	PCI approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.Pharm	100	100	100	100
<b><u>Status:</u></b> The Inspection Committee had recommended for conditional provisional affiliation for the existing UG course in its Report dt.28.9.2020. Final affiliation order was issued on 10.12.2020.					



### **3.Sri Venkateshwaraa College of Paramedical Sciences, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation – 2020-21:				
Sl.No.	Courses	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt. 2.1.2020	Approved Intake
1.	B.P.T	50	50	50
2.	BSc. (M.L.T)	30	30	30
3.	M.P.T (Orthopaedics)	05	05	05
4.	M.P.T (Neurology)	05	05	05
<b>Status:</b> The Inspection Committee had recommended for continuation of provisional affiliation in its Report dt.28.9.2020. Final affiliation order was issued on 10.12.2020.				

### **4. College of Nursing-East Coast Institute of Medical Sciences, Puducherry**

Continuation of Provisional Affiliation with increase in intake– 2020-21:					
Sl.No.	Course	Existing Intake	Request made by the college dt.2.1.2020	INC/ TNNMC Approval	Approved Intake
1.	B.Sc. (Nursing)	50	60 (Increase from 50 to 60)	60	60 (Increased from 50 to 60)
Provisional Affiliation for starting of New PG Courses – 2020-21:					
1.	M.Sc. Medical Surgical Nursing	--	03	03	03
2.	M.Sc. Paediatric Nursing	--	03	03	03
<b>Status:</b> The Inspection Committee had recommended for continuation of provisional affiliation in its Report dt.24.9.2020. Final affiliation order was issued on 11.12.2020.					

For ratification of the Council.

**2022.142.36**

**TO RATIFY THE SANCTION OF EXTRAORDINARY LEAVE TO DR. RAMASAMY MURUGAN, PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS OF THIS UNIVERSITY FOR A PERIOD OF ONE YEAR FROM 28.01.2022 TO 27.01.2023 TO UNDERTAKE RESEARCH AT QUANTUM SCAPE BATTERY INC. USA**

Dr. Ramasamy Murugan was appointed in the post of Professor, Department of Physics w.e.f. 06.09.2010.

Based on his request, he was sanctioned Extra Ordinary Leave for a period of one year from 28.01.2022 to 27.01.2023 vide Office Order dt. 07.02.2022 and was relieved on the afternoon of 27.01.2022 subject to usual conditions so as to undertake Research at Quantum Scape Battery Inc. USA under Rule 8.4.6 of the Chapter XX of Academic Ordinance of Pondicherry University subject to ratification by the Executive Council.

Submitted for ratification of the Council.

2022.142.37

**TO RATIFY THE APPOINTMENT OF HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENTS/  
CENTRE UNDER STATUTE 7 OF PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY ACT  
AND STATUTES**

The following Heads of Departments have been appointed under Statute 7 of Pondicherry University Act & Statutes:

Sl. No	Name	Date of Appointment	Period
1	<b>Dr. P.T.V. Lakshmi</b> Professor Department of Bioinformatics	20.01.2022	3 years
2	<b>Dr. Bala Manimaran</b> Professor Department of Chemistry	20.01.2022	3 years
3	<b>Dr. D. Ramamoorthy</b> Professor Department of Ecology & Environmental Sciences	20.01.2022	3 years
4	<b>Dr. R. Sivakumar</b> Professor Department of Physics	20.01.2022	3 years
5	<b>Dr. Prasant Kumar Panda</b> Professor Department of Economics	20.01.2022	3 years
6	<b>Dr. V.Mariappan</b> Professor Department of Banking Technology	20.01.2022	3 years
7	<b>Dr. D. Lazar</b> Professor Department of Commerce	20.01.2022	until further orders

8	<b>Dr. R.C. Anu Chandran</b> Associate Professor Department of Tourism Studies	20.01.2022	until further orders
9	<b>Dr. K. Anbu</b> Associate Professor Department of Social Work	20.01.2022	until further orders
10	<b>Dr. K. Suresh Babu</b> Associate Professor Centre for Nanoscience & Technology	20.01.2022	until further orders
11	<b>Dr. S. Bhuvaneswari</b> Associate Professor Department of Computer Science Karaikal Centre	04.02.2022	3 years
12	<b>Dr. C. Aruna</b> Professor Department of Sociology	01.03.2022	3 years
13	<b>Dr. T. Marx</b> Professor Department of English	07.03.2022	3 years
14	<b>Dr. S. Haripriya</b> Associate Professor Department of Food Science & Technology	07.03.2022	until further orders

For ratification of the Executive Council.

2022.142.38

**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN ON THE REVISED PERFORMANCE EVALUATION PARAMETER, OUTPUT TARGETS & PROGRAMME OF WORK ALONGWITH DETAILED PROGRAMME OF ACTION FOR THE YEAR 2021-22**

The Under Secretary to the Govt. of India, Dept. of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, New Delhi has forwarded the revised format of MoU adding a new paragraph (*para 18-Performance Evaluation/output*) to include some parameters on NEP 2020 following the meeting with Vice-Chancellors of Central Universities dated 21<sup>st</sup> October, 2021.

In this regard, Tri-Partite **MoU** (*alongwith detailed Programme of Action and Performance Evaluation Parameter, Output Targets and Programme of Work*) **between** Pondicherry University, Puducherry, Ministry of Education, Dept. of Higher Education, Govt. of India, New Delhi and University Grants Commission, New Delhi, for the year 2021-22 has already been ratified by the 140<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Executive Council Resolution No.2021.140.11 on 30.07.2021.

The revised Performance Evaluation Parameter, Output Targets & Programme of Work alongwith detailed Programme of Action for the year 2021-22 examined by the Tri-Partite MoU Committee and authenticated by the Nodal Officer is attached as Enclosure.

Submitted for ratification of the Council.

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PERFORMANCE EVALUATION PARAMETER, OUTPUT TARGETS & PROGRAMME OF WORK  
MOU BETWEEN PONDICHERY UNIVERSITY, MoE and UGC(REVISED)

Sl. No	Performance Parameter	Present Status (2020-21)	Target 2021-22 (in Number)	Target Achieved 2021-22 (in Number) Quarter-I	Target Achieved 2021-22 (in Percentage) Quarter-I	Target Achieved 2021-22 (in Percentage) Quarter-II	Target Achieved 2021-22 (in Number) Quarter-III	Target Achieved 2021-22 (in Percentage) Quarter-III	Target Achieved 2021-22 (in Number) Quarter-IV	Target Achieved 2021-22 (in Percentage) Quarter-IV	Remarks
<b>Access: Student annual in-take</b>											
	UG	386	400								
	PG	2826	2900								
1.	M.Phil	-	-								
	Ph.D	210	200								
(Weightage 0.25x(UG+1)x(PG+1)xMPhil+3xPh.D)											
<b>Equity and Diversity:</b>											
2.	(i) Women students	48%	48%								
	(ii) Students from other States	67%	67%								
	(iii) International students	0.8%	0.8%								
<b>Quality : Strengthening Faculty</b>											
3.	(i) Student-Teacher Ratio	20:1	18%								
	(ii) Sanctioned strength of regular faculty	505	505								
	(iii) In position regular faculty	311	400								
	(iv) Progress on filling up the vacant position	Scrutinizing process is going on for faculty. For the	Selection is in progress for faculty. For the								

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	(v) Visiting Faculty from other Universities (National/ International)	administrative posts, selection process completed.	administrative posts selection completed.																Due to COVID19 target could not be achieved. But online classes conducted.
	(vi) Visiting Faculty from the University to other Universities (National/ International)	3	5	1	-	1	-	2	-	1	-								Due to COVID19 target could not be achieved. But online classes conducted.
<b>Academic Outcomes :</b>																			
	(i) Students placed through campus interviews/other placements	367	385	-	-	225	-	-	-	160	-								Due to COVID19 many companies opted virtual mode.
4.	(ii) Students qualified for NET/ GATE/SET/ SLET/ Ph.D	322	350	200	-	-	-	150	-	-	-								
	(iii) Students who cleared competitive exams – Civil Services, Judiciary etc.	15	15	-	-	7	-	8	-	-	-								
	(iv) Others	23	25	4	-	7	-	7	-	7	-								
<b>(A) Research</b>																			
	(i) Papers published in UGC listed Journals	683	700	90	-	235	-	110	-	265	-								
	(ii) Research Projects sanctioned / completed	13	15	3	-	5	-	5	-	2	-								Sanctioned projects
<b>(B) Others</b>																			
5.	(i) Books / Chapters	31	35	9	-	9	-	9	-	8	-								Includes Scopus and edited volumes
	(ii) Policy Reports	3	3	0	-	1	-	1	-	1	-								
	(iii) Invited lectures / seminars (only Foreign Universities)	35	50	12	-	13	-	13	-	12	-								Due to COVID19 target could not be achieved. (Conducted

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• TC Digitalization through SAMS</li> <li>• Online recruitment portal</li> <li>• Online service complaints</li> <li>• E-Genuineness verification</li> <li>• PG admission done through online.</li> <li>• Online Counselling</li> <li>• Video conferencing equipment's facilities</li> <li>• Uploading course materials through SAMS</li> <li>• Online internal exam Evaluation</li> <li>• Online Ph.D Admission.</li> <li>• Installation of video conference facilities</li> <li>• CAS interviews through online</li> <li>• Appointed Nodal officer for Tripartite MoU</li> <li>• Many academic activities made online through the PU-SAMS/RAMS</li> <li>• Online Application for Admissions - Community College at Lawspet, Pudecherry</li> <li>• Webinars conducted in all the departments</li> <li>• Online terminal/semester examination, internal announcement of results.</li> <li>• Separate policy guidelines for research and consultancy activities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Online Pay Slip</li> <li>• Online income tax assessment</li> <li>• Online recruitment portal</li> <li>• Online complaints for Civil / Electrical / Sanitary issues.</li> <li>• Video conferencing equipment's facilities</li> <li>• Installation of video conference facilities</li> <li>• CAS interviews through online</li> <li>• Appointed Nodal officer for Tripartite MoU</li> <li>• Appointment of Nodal Officer and Deputy Nodal Officer for all University Ranking formats.</li> <li>• Webinars conducted in all the departments</li> <li>• Pension payments</li> <li>• Samarth ERP.</li> <li>• Remote access to University Library resources.</li> <li>• Separate policy guidelines for research and consultancy activities in the campus</li> <li>• SOP for MoUs digitized</li> </ul>	
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>in the campus</li> <li>Online Recruitment portal</li> <li>SOP for MoUs digitized</li> </ul>	
(ii) Cashless Transaction (list the items such as students' fees, salary etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Salary remittance</li> <li>Scholarship</li> <li>Other University payments</li> <li>Salary and pension remittance</li> <li>Application / Examination fees</li> <li>Scholarship/fellowships</li> <li>Application fees from recruitment portal</li> <li>Other University payments</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Salary remittance</li> <li>Pension remittance</li> <li>Admission Fees</li> <li>Examination fees</li> <li>Scholarship/fellowships remittance</li> <li>Other University payments</li> </ul>
(iii) Online Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Internal Exam through online.</li> <li>Conduct of Debate/Quiz Program</li> <li>Participation in Hackathon</li> <li>Online assignment submission.</li> <li>Social media interaction.</li> <li>Online Ph.D Viva/synopsis</li> <li>Online DC Meeting</li> <li>Translation of 14 MOOCs (11 UG and 3 PG) on various subjects in regional languages as per MHRD and UGC directives.</li> <li>Access to Online Teaching/Learning to all faculty, students and</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Internal Exams.</li> <li>Conduct of Debate/Quiz Program</li> <li>Participation in Hackathon</li> <li>Assignment Submission.</li> <li>Social media interaction.</li> <li>Ph.D Viva/synopsis</li> <li>DC Meeting</li> <li>Translation of MOOCs (UG and PG) on various subjects in regional languages as per MHRD and UGC directives.</li> <li>Access to Online Teaching/Learning to all faculty, students and scholars</li> <li>G-suit Email accounts to all Faculty, Officers, Staff, Students and Scholars</li> <li>Students attending Courses in Swayam platform and other online learning platforms.</li> </ul>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• scholars</li> <li>• G-suit Email accounts to all Faculty, Officers, Staff, Students and Scholars</li> <li>• Students attending Courses in Swayam platform.</li> <li>• About 300 webinars conducted</li> </ul>	
(iv) Setting up of Grievance Redressal Mechanism (both online and offline)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grievance Redressal mechanism both online &amp; offline.</li> <li>• Tele counselling for the students during covid-19 pandemic</li> <li>• Established Covid-19 cell headed by Dean to address the issues faced by students and scholars</li> <li>• Established special committee to offer psychological counselling to student, scholar and teachers during covid-19 period to keep their mental health intact.</li> <li>• Mental health awareness and counselling program/webinars/campaign organized for students, staff and public in association with National mission.</li> <li>• Addressing Grievances of Differently Abled Students during the COVID-19 lock down period.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grievance Redressal mechanism both online &amp; offline.</li> <li>• Established Covid-19 cell headed by Dean to address the issues faced by students and scholars</li> <li>• Established special committee to offer psychological counselling to student, scholar and teachers during covid-19 period to keep their mental health intact.</li> <li>• Mental health awareness and counselling program/webinars/campaign organized for students, staff and public in association with National mission.</li> <li>• Addressing Grievances of Differently Abled Students during the COVID-19 lock down period.</li> <li>• Tele counselling for the students during covid-19 pandemic</li> <li>• Tele counselling for the single women during covid-19 pandemic</li> </ul>

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Finance and Expenditure												
10.	(i) Utilization of funds received from UGC(Rs. in crore)	165.98	185.00	46.25	-	46.25	-	46.25	-	46.25	-	-
	(ii) Other sources	36.35	36.35	9	-	9	-	9.35	-	9	-	-
Finance :												
11.	(i) Internal resources to total budget(crores)	19.36	40.0	10	-	10	-	10	-	10	-	-
	(ii) Corpus Funds (Rs. in crore)	47.00	52.0	13	-	13	-	13	-	13	-	-
	(iii) Support from Alumni (laks)	0.11	5.0	0	-	1	-	2	-	2	-	-
12.	RANKING											
	(i) NIRF (Overall)	81	75									
	(ii) NIRF Ranking (Discipline)-University	58	53									
	(iv) Times Education (THE)/ QS World/BRICS/Asia Ranking, as applicable	201-250	201-250									
	QS Rankings	51-55	51-55									
	QS India	51-55	51-55									
	QS BRICS	211-220	211-220									
	QS Asia Ranking	301-350	301-350									
	QS World University Rankings	801-1000	801-1000									
	Times Higher Education Rankings											
	World University Rankings	801-1000	801-1000									
	Young University Rankings	201-250	201-250									
	University Impact Rankings	201-300	201-300									
	(iv) NAAC*	A Grade with CGPA of 3.10										valid up to 2024

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Contribution to the Local Society - Activities Organized												
13.	(i) Village Adoption	-	1	0	-	0	-	1	-	0	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
	(ii) School Adoption	7	7	0	-	2	-	3	-	2	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
	(iii) College Adoption	2	2	0	-	1	-	1	-	0	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
	(iv) University Adoption	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
	(v) Blood Donation Camp	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
	(vi) Legal Aid Camp	-	2	0	-	1	-	1	-	0	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
Amount spent												
14.	Participation in Government Campaigns											
	i. Umat Bharat Abhiyan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
	ii. Ek Bharat Shreshth Bharat Campaign	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
	iii. Fit India movement Campaign	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
	iv. Constitution (Fundamental Duties) Campaign	-	2	0	-	1	-	1	-	0	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
	v. Swachh Bharat Abhiyan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	Due to COVID field work could not be undertaken
15.	Steps taken to Improve Health Facilities											
	i. Physical Health	4	6	2	-	2	-	1	-	1	-	-
16.	ii. Mental Health	10	12	3	-	3	-	3	-	3	-	-
	Disaster Management Capacity Building	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	i. Fire	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	ii. Flood	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	iii. Earthquake	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	iv. Any other	31	32	8	-	8	-	8	-	8	-	• 28 students

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										Involvement Tsunami Disaster Prevention Mock Drill
										Covid-19 Awareness programme
	<b>Status of Statutory Positions:</b>	-								*Incharge arrangement made
<b>17</b>	(i) Registrar	Filled*	Filled*							
	(ii) Finance Officer	Filled*	Filled*							
	(iii) Controller of Exams.	Filled	Filled							
	(iv) Librarian	Filled	Filled							
<b>18</b>	<b>NEP-2020 Implementation</b>									
i.	Number of programmes under the multidisciplinary approach	15	--	15	--	--	--	--	--	--
ii.	Number of programmes eligible for Multiple entry-exit	10	--	10	--	--	--	--	--	--
iii.	Number of students registered on Academic Bank of Credit	A committee has been formed in this regard to finalise regulations for ABC.	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
iv.	Number of Student beneficiary under National Academic Depository	Login credential have been created and data uploading is under process	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
v.	Number of courses under Credit Transfer of SWAYAM	11	--	11	--	--	--	--	--	--
vi.	Number of Skill Development Courses	65	--	65	--	--	--	--	--	--
vii.	Number of Programmes/Courses in regional languages	6	--	6	--	--	--	--	--	--

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**APPENDIX**

**Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) among Pondicherry University, Ministry of Education(MoE) and University Grants Commission for 2021-22**

(Information against Items (1) to (17) will be revised based on finalization of Items in Annexure)

**Detailed Programme of Action for Item No. 1 to 17 of Annexure**

S. No.	Performance Parameter	Programme of Action
(1)	(2)	
1.	<b>Access Student In-take</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Pondicherry University has implemented the EWS reservation based on the recommendation of the GOI.</li> <li>Proposed 2 new departments and 2 chairs.</li> </ul>
	UG	
	PG	
	M.Phil	
	Ph.D	
2.	<b>Equity and Diversity</b>	
	i. Women students	<p>Following amenities will be continued for women students:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Rent free hostel facility for girl students</li> <li>Free transportation.</li> <li>Single Girl Child scholarship</li> <li>Sexual Harassment Prevention Committee</li> <li>Girl students fitness centre</li> <li>Women's Cell</li> <li>Enabling Unit for Differently Abled (HEPSN Cell)</li> <li>Women's day celebration/ competition/ special programmes</li> </ul>
	ii. Students from other states	All India Entrance Examination through online to ensure diversity.
	iii. International students	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>University has a separate admission Policy for NRI / Foreign students. Exclusive hostel for foreign students are available for in the campus accommodation.</li> <li>There are many International MoUs for academic &amp; joint research activities. Foreign students are getting benefited through these MoUs.</li> <li>Study-India Programme - Foreign students with credit transfer facility.</li> <li>University proposed to enter many international MoUs for students and faculty exchange. There are about 40 International University/ Institutions MoUs with University.</li> </ul>

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S. No.	Performance Parameter	Programme of Action
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dean International Relations appointed to look after administration &amp; Admission.</li> <li>10% of students strength for foreign students supernumery across all courses.</li> </ul>
<b>3.</b>	<b>Quality : Strengthening Faculty</b>	
	i. Student-Teacher Ratio	18:1
	ii. Sanctioned Strength of regular faculty	At present there are 505 sanctioned strength of the regular faculty.
	iii. In position regular faculty	As on 31.03.2021, there are 311 regular faculty.
	iv. Progress on filling up the vacant position	178 teaching posts has been processed and will be filled.
	v. Visiting Faculty from other Universities (National /International)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Inviting Experts as Visiting Faculty from India &amp; Abroad for short term class and also for various Conferences/ Seminars/ Invited lectures/Guest Lectures etc.</li> </ul>
	vi. Visiting Faculty to other Universities (National / International)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Through various MoUs faculty are visiting other University/Institutions for joint research &amp; academic activities besides.</li> <li>Various Conferences/ Seminars/ Invited lectures/Guest Lectures etc.</li> </ul>
<b>4.</b>	<b>Academic Outcomes</b>	
	i. Students placed through campus interviews/Other Placements	(i) The Placement Cell arranges for Campus/off campus Interview students of University & Affiliated Colleges also. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Regular Industry-Interface programmes</li> <li>School level placements also arranged for students.</li> <li>MoU with CII, Puducherry</li> <li>MMA Students Chapter functioning effectively</li> <li>Students participation in various management events/competition/Students leadership programme</li> <li>Entrepreneurship Development Cell.</li> <li>Collaborative workshop/seminars/training programme with various National &amp; International Agencies.</li> <li>Developed Alumni portal which helps Campus Placement Activity in future.</li> <li>MoUs with more National / International Universities.</li> </ul>

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	ii. Students qualified for NET / SET / SLET / Ph.D	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>University organizes regular training for the students inviting specialists apart from the internal faculty members on the subjects.</li> <li>Equal Opportunity cell is organizing Remedial coaching/Entry into services/NET Coaching for SC/ST/OBC/Minorities to get through the competitive examinations along with increasing employment opportunities</li> </ul>
	iii. Students who cleared competitive exams – Civil Services, Judiciary etc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Equal Opportunity cell is organizing Remedial coaching/Entry into services/NET Coaching for SC/ST/OBC/Minorities to get through the competitive examinations along with increasing employment opportunities.</li> <li>And also students are encouraged to study for competitive exams. Competitive exams materials are available in the University Library.</li> </ul>
	iv. Others	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Housing national facilities, suitable place has been provided in the University Campus.</li> <li>A Section-8 Company has been formed to encourage University and Industry Joint Partnership to develop new programs testing &amp; development.</li> <li>Students getting admission in the foreign University and also through MoUs.</li> </ul>
5.	<b>(A) Research</b>	
	i. Papers Published in UGC Listed Journals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) &amp; (ii) Several facilities are available in the campus for the development of research activities:</li> <li>Remote Access to Library E-resources.</li> </ul>
	ii. Research Projects Sanctioned/ Completed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Good Collection of Books / Journals / Magazines etc., will be added to the Central Library.</li> <li>Central Instrumentation Facility (CIF) with sophisticated equipment's</li> <li>HR-TEM Facility</li> <li>Mechanical fabrication facility</li> <li>Patent Facilitation Cell &amp; IPR Centre</li> <li>Establishment of Startup Centre under Make in India" Scheme</li> <li>Central Animal House Facility and Separate Marine Animal House</li> <li>Research Laboratory 'High Energy Density Batteries', Dept. of Physics</li> <li>Wi-Fi internet access across the campus</li> <li>Automation of Project Cell</li> <li>CMIE/Bloomberg data bases to encourage quality research and consultancy.</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Encourage more departments to apply for SAP/DST funding for Research.</li> <li>Faculty/Research Scholar are encouraged to apply for various funding from CSIR, UGC, ICSSR, DBT, DST, DRDO, BRNS, ISRO, WHO, Azim Premji, Indo Mexican, MOES/CMLRE, DAE, CRR, WOS, RGNID, etc.</li> <li>Faculty members are associated with SPARC and DUO India fellowship.</li> </ul>
	<b>(B) Others</b>	
	i. Books / Chapters	University encourages faculty members to write books and contribute chapters to books.
	ii. Policy Reports	Faculty members are encouraged to take-up policy research and contribute to various policy measures of Government.
	iii. Invited Lectures / Seminars (Only Foreign Universities)	Faculty members are encouraged to deliver invited Lectures and seminars by providing substantial travel grants.
6.	<b>Amount of Research Grant</b>	
	i. Extra Mural Funding – (Rupees in crores)	Faculties are encouraged to bring funding from various sponsoring agencies through Research Grants and Projects.
	ii. Consultancy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Strengthening of the Central Instrumentation Facility (CIF) and Department Laboratories with a number of sophisticated instruments has also added to the increase in number of research projects and quality of research output.</li> <li>Faculty/Research Scholar are encouraged to apply for various consultancy activities with funding from WHO, Azim premji, Indo Mexican, MOES/CMLRE, CRR, WOS, etc.</li> <li>MoU with CII, MMA &amp; AIMA other industry bodies for consultancy.</li> </ul>
7.	<b>(A) Patents</b>	
	i. Filed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Patent facilitation Cell &amp; IPR centre established in the University for awareness, encourage filing of patent, facilitate the process of patent filing and maintenance of IPR and generate returns from IPR of Pondicherry University.</li> <li>It promotes the hassle free environment for the students and faculty to file the patents by the guidelines of the committee members.</li> </ul>
	ii. Awarded	
	<b>(B) Exceptional International Awards / Honours</b>	
8.	Co-curricular and Extra-curricular Awards (Sports, Extension activities etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Programs organized under University Social Responsibility.</li> <li>Community outreach activities on International days of significance.</li> </ul>

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S. No.	Performance Parameter	Programme of Action
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• University Community Radio (PuduvaiVaani) to awaken, inform, enlighten educate and entertain all section of the people including the programme on women empowerment, communal harmony, health and education in Pondicherry.</li><li>• Dept. of Physical Education &amp; Sports conducting Sports activities for the students regularly for Regional &amp; National levels.</li><li>• Centre for Women Studies conducts awareness and sensitization programmes for students and staff regularly</li><li>• Department of Social work organizes need based interventions for communities and University stake holders in collaboration with National / Govt. bodies.</li><li>• Yoga &amp; meditation Classes are regularly conducted for faculty and students.</li><li>• Separate Gymnasiums for Boys and Girls are available.</li><li>• Blood Donation Camps organized.</li><li>• World Elder's day</li><li>• World Disaster Reduction day</li><li>• Competitive events for Vigilance Awareness week</li><li>• Legal aid camps at regular intervals</li><li>• Digital awareness camps are conducted for local community.</li><li>• Film Clubs regularly organises National and International Film Festivals.</li><li>• University assists Puducherry Union Territory Smart City project.</li><li>• Periodic Art Exhibitions by faculty members both on campus &amp; off campus.</li><li>• Sports photograph workshops.</li><li>• Physical Health fitness programme for neighbourhood communities and campus students.</li><li>• Cricket coaching camp for neighbourhood communities and staff children staying in the campus</li><li>• Football coaching camp for neighbourhood communities and staff children staying in the campus</li></ul>

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S. No.	Performance Parameter	Programme of Action
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Special Olympics Bharat</li> </ul>
9.	<b>Governance</b>	
	i. Digitization of Administration (list the items such as students enrolment, administration etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Total digitalization of classroom Management and Administration.</li> <li>Online Entrance Examination for Admission.</li> <li>Online payment of Exam and Hostel Fees</li> <li>Students' Academic Management System (SAMS)</li> <li>Research Scholar Academic Management System (RAMS)</li> <li>Submission of line data through CU portal</li> <li>Public Financial Management System (PFMS)</li> <li>Online students attendance Management</li> <li>Online student evaluation of teachers</li> <li>Massive Open Online Courses (Moocs)</li> <li>Online Leave Management System for faculty</li> <li>Biometric attendance system partially introduced as a pilot project.</li> <li>Shodh-ganga-Effective using of online repository of research publication</li> <li>Effective using of National Digital Library of India</li> <li>Effective using of Edusat distance learning programme and producing content for programme.</li> <li>Effective using of E-Learning using Moodle: E-learning facility is offered to the teaching/learning community using Moodle open source software.</li> <li>Participating in National Academic Depository</li> <li>NMEICT/NKN: The Pondicherry University is a member of National Knowledge Network (NKN) as it is connected to the NMEICT/NKN link.</li> </ul>
	ii. Cashless Transaction (list the items such as students' fees, salary etc.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Online fee payment including hostel fee for students.</li> <li>Salaries are credited through bank. A Senior Technical Assistant, Computer Centre is the Nodal officer of e-procurement (CPPP).</li> <li>Income &amp; Expenditure are transacted under PFMS</li> </ul>

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S. No.	Performance Parameter	Programme of Action
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• GST, TDS is recovered on daily basis and remitted into GOI Account through online transactions</li> <li>• University undertakes only online student's admissions</li> <li>• Salary disbursements and other personal claims are made only through accounts transfer.</li> <li>• University is procuring all the equipment's and other items through open tender system and had a one day training programme in GeM Portal.</li> <li>• Procurement of Goods are made through GEM Portal for all available goods and rest through open tender system. University registered with Central Public Procurement (CPP) portal</li> </ul>
iii.	Online Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Total digitalization of classroom Management and Administration.</li> <li>• Faculty Members are offering Online Courses through SWAYAM Portal.</li> <li>• Students participation in online certification courses through MOOCs.</li> <li>• Online teaching and evaluation through email, google classroom, zoom etc</li> <li>• Assignments using Social media platform</li> <li>• Conducting quiz programmes</li> <li>• Preparation of skill development for various industries</li> <li>• Students are encouraged to do video based assignments.</li> <li>• Proposed new MOOCs for undergraduate students to be launched on MHRD's SWAYAM portal.</li> <li>• Translation of MOOCs (UG &amp; PG) on various subjects in regional languages as per MoE and UGC directives.</li> </ul>
iv.	Setting up of Grievance Redressal Mechanism (both online and Offline)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Separate Grievance Redressal committee for Students, Faculty and Non-teaching Staffs</li> <li>• Dean, Students welfare is the Nodal officer for UGC online Students grievance redressal portal.</li> <li>• A senior Faculty is the Nodal officer for CPGRAMS &amp; online RTI portal</li> <li>• A senior Faculty is the Liaison officer for (SC/ST/OBC)</li> <li>• Faculty Adviser System as per CBCS guidelines.</li> <li>• North Eastern States Legal Services Clinic</li> </ul>

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S. No.	Performance Parameter	Programme of Action
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Sexual Harassment Prevention Committee</li> <li>Women's Cell</li> <li>Anti- Ragging Committee</li> <li>Students Committees in Hostel</li> <li>Meeting of Vice-Chancellor to address Students grievance at regular interval.</li> <li>HEPSN Enabling Unit for students and scholars with disabilities</li> <li>Mental health services being provided through counseling/telecounseling</li> <li>Day Care Centre for the benefit of the children of our University employees (faculty and staff) and also the children of married research scholars.</li> </ul>
10.	<b>Finance and Expenditure</b>	
	i. Utilization of funds received from UGC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>100%</li> <li>University takes all possible measures to utilize all funds as per the sanctions.</li> </ul>
	ii. Other Sources	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>University proposed to maximizes revenue generation through other sources.</li> </ul>
11.	<b>Finance</b>	
	i. Internal resources to total Budget	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Proposed to increase the internal resources generation to total budget.</li> </ul>
	ii. Corpus Funds (in crores)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Proposed to enhance the campus fund through various internal resources.</li> </ul>
	iii. Support from Alumni	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Encouragement for increased revenue generation through Research, Consultancy, Training Programme and Sponsored projects.</li> <li>Reducing of wasteful expenditure</li> <li>Adoption of Economy Measures wherever possible.</li> <li>Dedicated Alumni portal.</li> </ul>
12	i) NIRF Ranking (Overall) ii) NIRF Ranking (Discipline) iii) Times Higher Education (THE) / QS World / BRICS / Asia Ranking, as applicable iv) NAAC*	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Efforts are made to improve the quality of academic, teaching and research etc. to place the University among top Universities.</li> <li>Regular participation in all the National and International Rankings such as: (i) NIRF (Overall), (ii) NIRF Ranking (Discipline)-University, (iii) Times Higher Education (THE) / QS World / BRICS / Asia Rankin, (iv) QS Rankings.</li> </ul>
13	<b>Contribution to the Local Society</b>	

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	<b>Activities Organized</b>	
	i. Village Adoption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Solid waste management</li> <li>• Community need to service to help the local community</li> <li>• Sustainable Community development Sensitizing for plastic free packing and value addition</li> <li>• Solid waste generation survey</li> </ul>
	ii. School Adoption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Students participation in cleanliness programs as well as art and cultural development in the schools</li> <li>• Multi stakeholders initiative towards sensitization about the ozone layer depletion and prevention efforts to government school students</li> <li>• Physical and anthropological fitness test camp for students of Nirvana High School</li> <li>• Conduct competition for school students on National Science day</li> <li>• The National Disaster Relief (NDRF) mock drill conducted in a rural school in which the students participated</li> </ul>
	iii. College Adoption	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Training and skill development for engineering students</li> <li>• Community activity day for blood donation, eye and general health screening, awareness camp on drug addiction, disability, breast cancer, gynecology problem, organ donation, enrollment, public and social well-being and cyber security.</li> </ul>
	iv. University Adoption	Not applicable
	v. Blood Donation Camp	
	vi. Legal Aid Camp	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Northeast legal cell is functional.</li> <li>• Legal Awareness Programme for students</li> <li>• Students Legal Rights of Women (NCW)</li> </ul>
	<b>Amount Spent</b>	1,00,000 for organization and local hospitality
14	<b>Participation In Campaigns</b>	(Activities organized subject to improvement in Covid19 situation.)
	i. Unnat Bharat Abhiyan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• University departments have been sensitized to adopt villages in and around the University area.</li> <li>• Training of rural youth to harness their skills through Capacity building</li> <li>• 8-10 days rural camp annually through democratic selection of campsite</li> <li>• Community college organizes community services</li> </ul>
	ii. EkBharat Shreshth Campaign	Dean, Students Welfare is the Nodal officer and as per the instructions of MHRD, the programmes with tentative schedules

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		have been prepared and submitted.
	iii. Fit India Movement Campaign	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students/scholars participate in the Fit India movement Campaign. As a part of this programme, they were involved in various activities.</li> <li>Mini Marathon in the eve of National Unity Day</li> <li>Walkathon for Fit India Movement</li> <li>Yoga and Meditation programmes</li> <li>Health camps and medical fitness camps</li> </ul>
	iv. Constitution (Fundamental Duties) Campaign	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Special lectures arranged as a part of Constitution Day</li> <li>Awareness Campaign &amp; Hands on Experience in EVM for the public</li> <li>Voter's Verification Drive</li> <li>Signature Campaign for National Voters Day</li> <li>Awareness Rally on National Voters Day</li> <li>Training Programme On Human Rights</li> </ul>
	v. Swachh Bharat Abhiyan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Capacity building of stakeholders and sanitation workers</li> <li>Periodical evaluation studies on the implementation of SBM.</li> <li>Information, education and communication (IEC) strategies, planning and their effective implementation</li> <li>Mission to rise awareness on cleanliness in beaches and villages including students and scholars.</li> <li>Collaboration with NGOs</li> <li>Practice session to the community on 'Solid Waste Management'.</li> <li>Special Coastal Cleanup Drive in the eve of World Environment Day.</li> <li>Special Coastal Cleanup &amp; Tree Plantation Drive.</li> <li>Special clean Campus activities</li> <li>Elimination of plastics from hostels</li> <li>Changing of Flex banners to Cotton banners</li> <li>Conversion of Cotton Backdrop into Carry Bags</li> <li>Proper disposal of Biomedical Waste</li> </ul>

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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Awareness creation on preservation of Water, ill effects of plastics, food waste and other wastes</li> </ul>
15	<b>Steps taken to Improve Health Facilities</b>	(Activities organized subject to improvement in Covid19 situation.)
	i. Physical Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Students from the departments participate in every activities such as play football, cricket and badminton in the evenings within the campus premises thereby ensuring their well-being</li> <li>Blood donation, eye and general health screening, awareness camp on drug addiction, disability, breast cancer, gynecology problem, organ donation enrollment, public and social well-being and cyber security conducted during Community activity day.</li> <li>Gyms and sports equipment's to promote physical fitness</li> <li>A lush green campus with facilities to boost physical fitness and meaningful engagement</li> <li>Regular sports and games</li> <li>Awareness on Women Health and Personal Hygiene</li> <li>Health Camp under the banner of NSS.</li> <li>Breast Cancer Awareness Programme for Women</li> <li>Physical and anthropological fitness test camp for first year Hostel students</li> <li>Special medical camp for hostel students</li> </ul>
	ii. Mental Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Counselling for students.</li> <li>International Yoga Day</li> <li>Mental Health Centre manned by trained experts</li> <li>Tele counselling for students, faculties and non-teaching staff</li> <li>Trained peer counselors</li> <li>Regular Yoga and meditation classes to improve mental health</li> <li>A Prayer hall for students to unwind from stress</li> <li>Proactive counseling programs organized</li> <li>Workshop on 'Counselling Skills for Social Workers'</li> <li>Workshop on 'Family Enrichment</li> <li>Encourage Student-faculty mentors/advisors.</li> <li>Special lectures for World Mental Health day</li> </ul>

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16	<b>Disaster Management Capacity Building</b>	(Activities organized subject to improvement in Covid19 situation.)
	i. Fire	• Awareness programme on Fire Safety for students and staff members
	ii. Flood	• Mock drill by the NDRF team/Fire Department/Local disaster team.
	iii. Earthquake	• Disaster preparedness and disaster mitigation handholding and capacity building to students/stakeholders.
	iv. Any other	• Faculty participated in the disaster Management workshop • Observation of International Day of Disaster Reduction • Workshop / webinars on 'Disaster Management' for the students • Helpline services to single women of Puducherry as a response to covid -19. • Reaching out to unreached communities such as LGBTIQ (lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex and queer) • Tsunami Disaster Prevention Mock Drill by Puducherry Govt Disaster Division ( 2 Drills per year).
17.	<b>Status of Statutory Positions</b>	
	i. Registrar	• Under process.(In-charge arrangement made)
	ii. Finance Officer	• Under process.(In-charge arrangement made)
	iii. Controller of Examination	• Selection process completed.
	iv. Librarian	• Filled.
18	<b>NEP-2020 Implementation</b>	
	i. Number of programmes under the multidisciplinary approach	• Action will be taken to strengthen the existing multidisciplinary programmes.
	ii. Number of programmes eligible for Multiple entry-exit	• Formulation of guidelines for multiple entry-exit programmes is under process.
	iii. Number of students registered on Academic Bank of Credit	• A committee has been formed this regard to finalise the regulations for ABC.
	iv. Number of Student beneficiary under National Academic Depository	• Login credentials have been created and data uploading is under process through SAMS portal of University.
	v. Number of courses under Credit Transfer of SWAYAM	• More courses will be brought under credit transfer of SWAYAM.
	vi. Number of Skill Development Courses	• Existing Skill Development Courses will be effectively linked to industry requirements in orders to ensure Employability.
	vii. Number of Programmes/Courses in regional languages	• Strengthening of existing programmes and attracting more students from India and Overseas.

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**TO APPRISE THE DECISION TAKEN BY UNIVERSITY AUTHORITIES TO GRANT TWO MORE CHANCES TO THE STUDENTS OF 26 NON-MBA COURSES WHO HAVE EXHAUSTED THE MAXIMUM PRESCRIBED PERIOD FOR COMPLETING THEIR DEGREES SIMILAR TO MBA STUDENTS.**

It is submitted that the students of 26 Non-MBA degree courses offered year-wise (placed at Flag 'A') had exhausted the maximum prescribed period for completion of the courses. Though the students are informed about the last chance to qualify their degree, still several requests have been received from Twinning Programme Institutions and the candidates of DDE to get further extension to qualify the degree.

Based on representation received from them, a Committee was constituted to consider the request of these students. Such a move will help these students to get their degree who otherwise would be deprived due to non-clearance of a few papers. The Committee in its meeting held on 28-07-2021 has recommended that similar to MBA students, all these 26 Non -MBA degree programmes students may be given two chances to complete their degree programme.

The Vice-Chancellor had approved the grant of two chances. Hence, it is submitted for ratification of the Academic Council/Executive Council of the approval accorded by Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor.

The Minutes of the Committee is enclosed.

Submitted for ratification of the Executive Council.

**Minutes of the DDE Examinations Committee Meeting to grant one more chance to the students who have exhausted the maximum prescribed period for completing the Degrees held on 28.07.2021 at 11.30 A.M. at the Meeting Hall of DDE**

The Examinations Committee meeting of the Directorate of Distance Education (DDE), Pondicherry University to grant one more chance to the students who have exhausted the maximum prescribed period for completing the Degrees was held on 28.07.2021 at 11.30 A.M. in the Meeting Hall of DDE.

**Members present:**

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| 1. Prof. C.K. Ramaiah, Director, DDE      | - | Chairman |
| 2. Prof.K. Chandra Sekhara Rao, Dean, SOM | - | Member   |
| 3. Prof. D. Lazar, COE                    | - | Member   |


The Convener presented the applications received by the students who have exhausted the maximum prescribed period for completing their Degrees and requested for one more chance to complete their degree. During January 2021 and June 2021, University Authorities gave MBA students two chances to complete their incomplete degrees. That helped so many students complete their degree, who had otherwise left their degree because of maximum time lapse. Similarly, 26 Non-MBA degrees programmes offered year-wise are placed at Flag 'B', the Committee was asked to look into the student's requests and recommend suitably.

The Chairman discussed all the issues related to various courses and exams with the Controller of Examinations and Director, DDE and deliberated all related issues. Due to the Coronavirus pandemic situation, students are already suffering, so this will help complete the leftover degree and make a new life out of the University's favourable decision. Therefore, the Committee recommended the following points to the University Authorities to consider:

1. Similar to MBA students, all these 26 Non-MBA degree programme students may be given two chances to complete their degree programmes.
2. Since their initial registration has lapsed, all these students have to reregister by paying a special fee of Rs.5000/- plus they need to pay the prescribed exam fee for each subject towards the examination fee to the University.
3. DDE will intimate to all the students in all possible modes such as WhatsApp messages, emails, placing a notification on University Websites etc, and give three months' time for registration.
4. All the students may be asked to complete their registration for the exams on or before 31<sup>st</sup> October 2021.
5. Based on those courses and the number of students, COE will arrange the question papers from the regular faculty members of our University.
6. Tentatively the exams will be conducted in December before the DDE's scheduled exams.

  
(C.K. RAMAIAH)

  
(K. CHANDRA SEKHARA RAO)

  
(D. LAZAR)



Details of courses offered – year wise

Sl. No.	Year	No. of Courses offered	Courses
1	1995-96	1-UG-3+1 2-PG Diploma-8	BBA, BCS, B. Com <b>B Ed</b> PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM
2	1996-97	1-UG-3 2-PG-5 3-PG Diploma-10	BBA, BCS, B. Com MMM, MFM, MA (history, Sociology & Hindi) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, DTA, DCA
3	1997-98	1-UG-3 2-PG-7 3-PG Diploma-10	BBA, BCS, B. Com MMM, MFM, MFT, <b>M Ed</b> , MA (history, Hindi & Sociology) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DCA
4	1998-99	1-UG-3 2-PG-6 3-PG Diploma-15	BBA, BCS, B. Com MMM, MFM, MFT, MA (history, Hindi & Sociology) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DCA, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM
5	1999-2000	1-UG-5 2-PG-9 3-PG Diploma-15	BBA, BCS, B. Com, BMM, BFT MMM, MFM, MFT, MHRM, MPM, MA (history, Hindi, Sociology & Pol.Sc.) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DCA, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM
6	2000-2001	1-UG-6 2-PG-9 3-PG Diploma-15	BBA, BCS, B. Com, BMM, BFT, BCA MMM, MFM, MFT, MHRM, MPM, MA (history, Hindi, Sociology & Pol.Sc.) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DCA, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM
7	2001-2002	1-UG-6 2-PG-9 3-PG Diploma-15	BBA, BCS, B. Com, BMM, BFT, BCA MMM, MFM, MFT, MHRM, MPM, MA (history, Hindi, Sociology & Pol.Sc.) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DCA, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM
8	2002-2003	1-UG-6 2-PG-10 3-PG Diploma-15	BBA, BCS, B. Com, BMM, BFT, BCA MMM, MFM, MFT, MHRM, MPM, MHR, MA (history, Hindi, Sociology & Pol. Sc.) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DCA, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM

Sl.No.	Year	No. of courses offered	Courses
9	2003 - 2004	1 – UG – 6 2 – PG – 10 3 – PG Diploma – 15	BBA, BCS, B. Com, BMM, BFT, BCA MMM, MFM, MFT, MHRM, MPM, MHR, MA (history, Hindi, Sociology & Pol. Sc.) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DCA, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM
10	2004 - 2005	1 – UG – 6 2 – PG – 10 3 – PG Diploma – 15	BBA, BCS, B. Com, BMM, BFT, BCA MMM, MFM, MFT, MHRM, MPM, MHR, MA (history, Hindi, Sociology & Pol. Sc.) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DCA, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM
11	2005 - 2006	1 – UG – 6 2 – MBA – 4 2 – PG – 12 3 – PG Diploma – 15	BBA, BCS, B. Com, BMM, BFT, BCA MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM) MMM, MFM, MFT, MHRM, MHR, MA (Tamil, Hindi, English, history, Sociology & Pol. Sc., Public Adm.) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DCA, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM
12	2006 - 2007	1 – UG – 7 2 – MBA – 4 2 – PG – 12 3 – PG Diploma – 16	BBA, B. Com, B. Com (CS, Marketing, FT) , BCA, BLIS MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM) M. Com (Marketing, Finance, FT) MHR, MA (HR, Tamil, Hindi, English, history, Sociology & Pol. Sc., Public Adm.) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DHR, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM, CA
13	2007 – 2008	1 – UG – 7 2 – MBA – 4 2 – PG – 12 3 – PG Diploma – 16	BBA, B. Com, B. Com (CS, Marketing, FT) , BCA, BLIS MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM) M. Com (Marketing, Finance, FT) MHR, MA (HR, Tamil, Hindi, English, history, Sociology & Pol. Sc., Public Adm.) PGDBA, IB, MM, FM, PM, OR, BF, HRM, TA, DHR, PHM, DSM, AGM, CM, IM, CA
14	2008 - 2009	1 – MBA – 5 2 – PG – 5	MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General) M. Com. Finance, MA (Tamil, Hindi, English, Sociology)
15	2009 – 2010	1 – MBA – 5 2 – PG – 5	MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General) M. Com. Finance, MA (Tamil, Hindi, English, Sociology)



Sl.No.	Year	No. of Courses Offered	Courses
16	2010 - 2011	1 – MBA – 5 2 – PG – 5	MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General) M. Com. Finance, MA (Tamil, Hindi, English, Sociology)
17	2011 - 2012	1 – MBA – 5 2 – PG – 5	MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General) M. Com. Finance, MA (Tamil, Hindi, English, Sociology)
18	2012 – 2013	1 – MBA – 7	MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General, RM, Tourism)
19	2013 – 2014	1 – MBA – 10 2 – PG Diploma – 4	MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General, RM, Tourism, OSCM, IM, Hospital Mgt.) PGDHRM, MM, FM, BA
20	2014 – 2015	1 – UG – 4 2 – PG – 4 3 – MBA – 11 4 – MBA Lat. – 4 5 – PG Diploma Lat – 4 6 – PG D Conv. – 6	B.Com, BBA, BA (Hindi, Sanskrit) M.Com, MA (English, Sociology, Hindi) MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General, RM, Tourism, OSCM, IM, Hospital Mgt., Entrepreneurship) MBA Lat. (Marketing, Finance, HRM, General) PGD Lat. (Marketing, Finance, HRM, BA) PG Diploma (EM, JMC, Tor. Mgt, RM, PL, Psyc. )
21*	2015 – 2016	1 – UG – 4 2 – PG – 4 3 – MBA – 11 4 – MBA Lat. – 4 5 – PG Diploma Lat – 4 6 – PG D Conv. – 6	B.Com, BBA, BA (Hindi, Sanskrit) M.Com, MA (English, Sociology, Hindi) MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General, RM, Tourism, OSCM, IM, Hospital Mgt., Entrepreneurship) MBA Lat. (Marketing, Finance, HRM, General) PGD Lat. (Marketing, Finance, HRM, BA) PG Diploma (EM, JMC, Tor. Mgt, RM, PL, Psyc.)
22	2016 – 2017	1 – PG – 4 2 – MBA – 5	M.Com, MA (English, Sociology, Hindi) MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General)
23	2017 – 2018	1 – PG – 4 2 – MBA – 5	M.Com, MA (English, Sociology, Hindi) MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General)
24	2018 – 2019	1 – PG – 4 2 – MBA – 5	M.Com, MA (English, Sociology, Hindi) MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General)
25	2019 – 2020	1 – UG – 2 2 – PG – 4 3 – MBA – 5	B.Com, BBA M.Com, MA (English, Sociology, Hindi) MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General)
26	2020 - 2021	1 – UG – 2 2 – PG – 4 3 – MBA – 5	B.Com, BBA M.Com, MA (English, Sociology, Hindi) MBA (Marketing, Finance, IB, HRM, General)

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**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN ON THE SIGNING OF THE MOU BETWEEN INDIAN AIR FORCE, AIR HEADQUARTERS, DIRECTORATE OF EDUCATION, NEW DELHI AND PONDICHERY UNIVERSITY, PUDUCHERRY**

The University proposes to have an MoU (*renewal*) with Indian Air Force, Air Headquarters, Directorate of Education, New Delhi to the protocols governing their collaboration on academic and research activities.

MoU Proposal with whom	Indian Air Force, Air Headquarters, Directorate of Education, New Delhi
Received from	Air Vice Marshal Rajeev Sharma, Assistant Chief of the Air Staff (Education), Directorate of Education, Air Headquarters, New Delhi.
Coordinator of the MoU	Dr.S.I. Humayun, Assistant Professor, Centre for South Asian Studies, School of Social Sciences & International Studies.
MoU Evaluation Committee recommendation / remarks	The draft MoU for renewal was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee.
School / Dept. concerned with MoU	Pondicherry University, Puducherry
Scope	Pondicherry University will provide admission in specialized courses / degrees to nominated officers from the Indian Air Force under the agreed terms.
Validity of the MoU	For Five years starting from date of signatures.
Other financial specifications	As per the MoU.
Probable date of signing MoU	MoU signed on 4.3.2022
Any other specific remarks	No.

The draft MoU sent by the Indian Air Force, Air Headquarters, Directorate of Education, New Delhi was examined and recommended by the MoU Evaluation Committee of the University and also approved by the University authorities. The renewal MoU was signed on 4.3.2022. A copy of the signed MoU is attached as Enclosure.

Submitted for ratification of the Council.



**MEMORANDUM OF  
UNDERSTANDING**  
  
**BETWEEN**  
  
**PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY  
AND  
INDIAN AIR FORCE**



This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is executed between the following parties:

Pondicherry University is a Central University established in 1985 by an Act of the Indian Parliament. Pondicherry University, Puducherry, 605014, India, hereinafter referred to as 'PU' and duly represented by Prof. Rajeev Jain, Director (Culture & Cultural Relations)

AND

Indian Air Force with its HQ at New Delhi, hereinafter referred to as 'IAF' and duly represented by Air Vice Marshal Rajeev Sharma, Assistant Chief of Air Staff (Education)

SCOPE

Pondicherry University will provide admission in specialized courses/degrees to nominated officers from the Indian Air Force under the agreed terms.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF ADMISSION

- (i) Pondicherry University has agreed to provide nominated officers of the Indian Air Force for the following courses of Pondicherry University as per the number of seats mentioned against each in accordance with the terms and conditions of this MoU and regulations of the University.

(ii)

Sl.No.	Name of the Course	No. of Seats
1	MBA (Business Administration)	04
2	MBA (International Business)	04
3	Ph.D in all subjects of Social Sciences and Humanities total (External / Full time)	05
4	Ph.D in Management Studies (External/Fulltime)	02
5	Ph.D in Computer Science (External/Fulltime)	02
6	MA in South Asian Studies	05
7	Resident Research Scholar in South Asian Studies (Chairs of excellence)	05

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8	M.Tech	
	Electronics	02
	Computer Science	02
	Network and Information Security	02
	Nano Science and Technology	02

- (iii) It is for the officers who join the respective departments to choose from the elective streams offered in the concerned departments. The number of seats will be over and above the number of candidates admitted through the general advertisement.
- (iv) Increase/decrease of seats in each discipline may be considered depending on the requirement projected by the IAF by 31 January each year.
- (v) Introduction of customized programmes for the IAF at a later date would be considered as on "Add-On" programme in the evening as part time/elective/complete semester subject to at least 12 participants sponsored by the IAF on "Self-Financed basis".
- (vi) The duly filled in application for admissions by the applicant should be submitted to the University by 30<sup>th</sup> of April every year through Air HQ.
- (vii) If the applications are not received within the prescribed date, i.e., 30<sup>th</sup> April, Pondicherry University may utilize where available in the manner it deems fit.
- (viii) The officers nominated by the IAF are required to fulfil the minimum eligibility criteria prescribed for various courses by PU.
- (ix) As a special case, the criteria of publications with respect to PhD admissions (Fulltime/part-time) are waived off for the officers who join through MoU category.
- (x) The nominated officers shall, however, appear in the Entrance examination at an exclusive centre designed for the Indian Air Force at a mutually convenient location. A separate merit list will be prepared by the IAF for these seats from amongst the Air Force candidates. In case the total no. of applicants is less than the prescribed no. for each discipline then the entrance examination may be dispensed with except in the case of Ph.D.
- (xi) Pondicherry University will provide accommodation to the extent possible in the Research Scholars hostel; or otherwise, nominated officers have to make their own arrangements.



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- (xii) The course/degree fee and other charges as applicable for the same course shall be paid by the nominated officers, which will be charged at the nominal rates or at mutually agreed upon fee structure.
- (xiii) The officer undergoing the course shall abide by the rules and regulations of the Pondicherry University from the date of his/her joining until he/she completes the course of study or discontinues.
- (xiv) Any issue arising out of discipline in their cases will be reported to the Air Headquarters by Pondicherry University for appropriate action.
- (xv) The IAF will provide Guest Speakers/ Adjunct Professors/ Members on various bodies of the University in mutual consultation, on a need basis and in accordance with the rules of both parties. Exchange Programmes between faculties of IAF and the University could be considered through mutual consultation.
- (xvi) An apex level Joint Committee will be formed to take the process forward and also examine further areas of cooperation. The recommendations of the Joint Committee on any matter referred to it under this scheme will be placed before the appropriate bodies of the University for approval. The committee will consist of two members each from both parties and will be chaired by the Vice Chancellor.
- (xvii) A coordinator on both sides will be appointed to oversee the implementation of MoU. The IAF will nominate one officer as their representative for coordination of the activities relating to the admission of Air Force personnel. He will liaise with the officers of Pondicherry University dealing with admission.

APPROVAL:

This MoU is subject to the approval of the competent authorities of both the parties and also subject to the relevant laws of the land. The approval would be deemed to be in place once the MoU is signed.

DATE OF EFFECT

The MoU shall take effect from the date it is signed by the authorized representative of the parties and will be in force for a period of five years after which it would be reviewed through joint consultation.

MODIFICATION

The terms of the MoU may be modified, if and when required, by mutual consent.

TERMINATION

Either party shall be entitled to terminate this MoU by providing the other party with three calendar months advance notice. The termination of the MoU, for whatever reason, will not

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affect the rights of either party, which may have secured as on the date of termination and will further not affect any rights, which specially or by their nature survive the termination of this MoU.

In agreement of the above objectives and terms and conditions, this Memorandum of Understanding is hereby signed by both parties Pondicherry University, Puducherry and Indian Air Force, Air Headquarters and will become valid as on the date of signatures of authorized representatives of both parties, whichever is later.

On behalf of:  
Indian Air Force  
SIGNATURE&DATE:



Air Vice Marshal Rajeev Sharma  
Assistant Chief of Air Staff (Education)  
Directorate of Education  
Air Headquarters

WITNESSED BY:



Gp Capt Shakthi Sharma  
Director  
University Outreach Programme



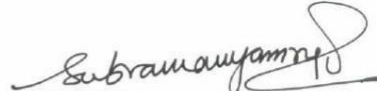
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University Outreach Programme

On behalf of:  
Pondicherry University  
SIGNATURE&DATE:



Prof. Rajeev Jain, Director  
(Culture & Cultural Relations)  
Pondicherry University

WITNESSED BY:



Prof. A. Subramanyam Raju  
Dean – International Relations



Dr. Humayun S.I.  
Associate Professor &  
MOU Coordinator  
Centre for South Asian Studies



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**TO RATIFY THE ACTION TAKEN TOWARDS GRANTING OF CONTINUATION OF PROVISIONAL AFFILIATION FOR THE EXISTING COURSES IN TAGORE GOVERNMENT COLLEGE OF EDUCATION, PORT BLAIR FOR THE ACADEMIC YEARS 2019-20 & 2020-2021.**

The following affiliated Teacher Education College was granted affiliation for the academic years 2019-2020 & 2020-21 as detailed below:

**Tagore Government College of Education, Port Blair :**

<b>Continuation of Provisional Affiliation</b>				
<b>Sl. No.</b>	<b>Courses</b>	<b>Existing Intake (2018-2019)</b>	<b>Intake Granted for 2019-2020</b>	<b>Intake Granted for 2020-2021</b>
1.	B.Ed.(two years)	100(2 units)	110 (2 units)	110 (2 units)
2.	<b><u>Four years B.Ed. Integrated</u></b> B.A.B.Ed./ B.Sc.B.Ed.	100(2 units)	110 (2 units)	110 (2 units)
<b><u>Status:</u></b>  Continuation of Provisional Affiliation orders were issued on 19.03.2021, subject to approval of additional intake of 10 seats for implementing EWS reservation, by NCTE.				

For ratification of the Council.

**2022.142.42**

**TO RATIFY THE APPOINTMENT OF SHRI NALLAM KRISHNARAYA BABU, SUPERINTENDENT OF POLICE, GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY AS OFFICER ON SPECIAL DUTY (V&S), PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY ON DEPUTATION BASIS W.E.F. 04.02.2022 FN.**

The Under Secretary to Government (Home), Government of Puducherry, Home Department in Order No.A.12027/50/2018/P1/Home/01, dated 22.01.2022 posted Shri. Nallam Krishnaraya Babu, Superintendent of Police to hold the post of Officer on Special Duty (V&S) in this University on deputation basis.

In pursuance of the order issued by the Government of Puducherry and consequent upon his joining the post on 04.02.2022, Shri. Nallam Krishnaraya Babu was appointed to officiate as Officer on Special Duty (V&S) in this University on deputation basis with effect from 04.02.2022 F.N. vide Office Order No.382 (PU/ESTT/NT10/2021-22/332), dated 18.02.2022.

For ratification by the Council.

**2022.142.43**

**TO RATIFY THE ENGAGEMENT OF SHRI. R. VELLIKKANNU, SECTION OFFICER (RETIRED), PONDICHERRY UNIVERSITY AS IT FACILITATOR IN FINANCE SECTION OF THIS UNIVERSITY ON CONTRACT BASIS FOR A PERIOD OF THREE MONTHS FROM 01.06.2021 AND CONSULTANT IN BOYS HOSTEL OF THIS UNIVERSITY ON CONTRACT BASIS FOR A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS FROM 11.10.2021.**

Shri. R. Vellikkannu, Section Officer (Retd.), Pondicherry University has been engaged as IT Facilitator in Finance Section of this University on contract basis for a period of three months from 01.06.2021 and Consultant in the office of the boys hostel of this University for a period of six months from 11.10.2021 on consolidated emoluments of Rs.30,000/- per month on the existing terms and conditions governing contract employees of the University, subject to ratification by the Executive Council vide Office Orders No.PU/ESTT/NT10/2021-22/60, dated 23.06.2021 and PU/ESTT/NT10/2021-22/171, dated 07.10.2021.

For ratification of the Council.

**2022.142.44**

**TO RATIFY THE RENAMING OF “SRI GANESH ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE” AS “PSV COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCE”, PUDUCHERRY FROM THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2021-22.**

Based on the request of the Sri Ganesh Educational Trust dated 24.02.2021 and NOC dated 06.07.2021 issued by Government of Puducherry, the university approved the renaming of Sri Ganesh Arts and Science College, Puducherry as **“PSV College of Arts and Science”**, Puducherry, from the academic year 2021-22.

For ratification of the Council.