



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
ON  
STUDENT EXCHANGE  
BETWEEN  
INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY MANDI, INDIA  
AND  
THE UNIVERSITY OF ELECTRO-COMMUNICATIONS, JAPAN**

On the basis of cooperation agreement between Indian Institute of Technology Mandi and the University of Electro-Communications, Indian Institute of Technology Mandi, India, and the University of Electro-Communications, Japan, have hereby agreed to conclude this Memorandum in order to promote student mobility between the two institutions.

**1. PERIOD OF STAY**

The period of stay of exchange students shall be up to one academic year in the first instance, provided that the period can be extended as mutually agreed upon between the two institutions.

**2. FORMAT OF ACCEPTANCE**

The formats of acceptance at the Host institution shall be participation in:

1. research activity under the supervision of a faculty adviser
2. courses in graduate and undergraduate programs
3. short-term exchange program

The specific contents for each format shall be stipulated in a separate document.

**3. NUMBER OF EXCHANGE STUDENTS**

Each institution may send and accept up to five students in any one academic year.

**4. SELECTION OF EXCHANGE STUDENTS**

The Home institution will be responsible for the selection of its own participating students who have sufficient ability to understand courses and research guidance offered by the Host institution in terms of not only the contents but also the designated language. The Host institution, however, reserves the right to reject any of the students recommended by the Home institution.

**5. FIELD OF STUDY**

The field of study of each exchange student must be such that the Host institution can appoint a qualified supervisor or provide appropriate courses.

**6. STATUS OF EXCHANGE STUDENTS**

The exchange students shall be accepted as non-degree students or equivalent by the Host institution, while they shall retain their status as regular students in graduate or undergraduate programs at the Home institution. The exchange students shall comply with the rules of the Host institution.

**7. STUDY AND EVALUATION**

Each exchange student is expected to determine their research topic or courses taken at the Host institution in consultation with faculty supervisors or academic advisers of both institutions. The academic performance of each exchange student shall be evaluated in accordance with the rules of the Host institution.

**8. ACADEMIC RECORD AND RECOGNITION OF CREDIT**

The Host institution shall provide the Home institution with transcripts of results and academic records for each exchange student while at the Host institution. Credits earned at the Host institution are to be awarded by the Home institution towards the student's degree at the Home institution in accordance with the rules of the Home institution.

**9. TUITION**

The exchange students shall pay tuition and other fees to the Home institution during their study at the Host institution. Also, from the perspective of reciprocity, there shall be no requirement for payments of tuition, screening and admission or any other fees to the Host institution.

**10. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

Any intellectual property rights generated by the exchange students in their research at the Host institution shall belong to the Host institution

**11. ACCOMMODATION**

The Host institution shall make its best efforts to assist the exchange students in finding their accommodation at a reasonable cost.

**12. FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

The exchange students shall be responsible for the financing of their study including defraying of expenses for travel, accommodation and insurance, etc. Both institutions shall make efforts to find financial aid available for the exchange students.

In principle, the Home institution or its exchange students shall be responsible for the costs associated with illness or disaster affecting the students themselves. As a means to prepare for these unexpected events, the Home institution shall assist the students in obtaining appropriate insurance coverage that is valid during their study at the Host institution.

**13. EXPORT CONTROL**

Both institutions shall not conduct research for the purpose of military use in all activities carried out under this Memorandum and shall comply with all applicable export control laws and regulations for all activities carried out under this Memorandum.

Neither institution shall use goods, technologies and duplications thereof, which have been obtained under this Memorandum, for the purposes of disturbing international peace and security, including any military activities. Neither institution shall permit any third party to use the aforementioned goods, technologies and duplications for the aforementioned purposes.

This provision shall survive the termination of this Memorandum by nature without limitation of effective term.

**14. MISCELLANEOUS**

If necessary, individual arrangements for the exchange students shall be mentioned in a separate document on the basis of this Memorandum.

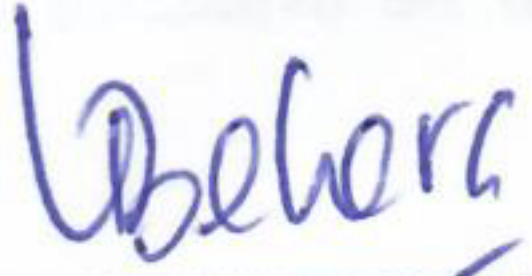
**15. TERMINATION, REVISION AND MUTUAL CONSULTATION**

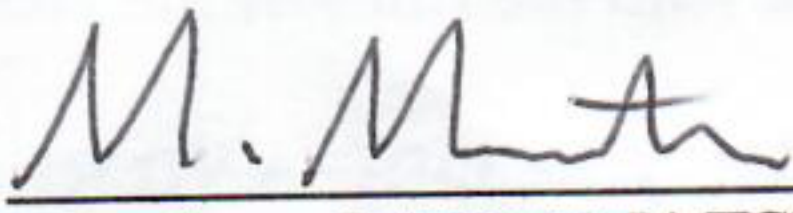
This Memorandum may be terminated by either institution with a six-month notice. No applications shall be considered after this notice. However, the institutions will continue to fulfill their obligations to the accepted exchange students until the completion of their study plans.

This Memorandum may be revised as mutually agreed upon between the two institutions. In addition to this Memorandum, items necessary for student exchange shall be determined through mutual consultation.

**16. IMPLEMENTATION**

The implementation of this Memorandum shall commence on the ---th day of April, 2026 and will remain in effect as long as the cooperation agreement remains in effect.

  
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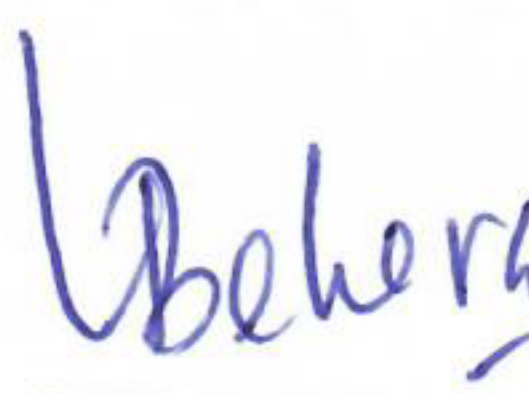
  
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**AGREEMENT FOR ACADEMIC EXCHANGE AND COOPERATION  
BETWEEN  
INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY MANDI, INDIA  
AND  
THE UNIVERSITY OF ELECTRO-COMMUNICATIONS, JAPAN**

Indian Institute of Technology Mandi, India, and the University of Electro-Communications, Japan, have hereby agreed to conclude this Agreement in order to implement and promote academic exchange and cooperation between the two institutions on the basis of equality and reciprocity.

1. Within fields that are mutually acceptable, the following general forms of cooperation will be pursued:
  - (1) Exchange of academic staff and administrative staff,
  - (2) Exchange of students,
  - (3) Exchange of academic information and publications,
  - (4) Conducting joint research projects and organizing symposia, and
  - (5) Other activities to which both institutions agree.
2. The terms of cooperation for each specific activity under this Agreement shall be mutually discussed and agreed upon by both institutions prior to the initiation of that activity.
3. This Agreement imposes no financial obligation on either institution. Both institutions understand that all financial arrangements will have to be negotiated and will depend on the availability of funds.
4. Both institutions shall not conduct research for the purpose of military use in all activities carried out under this Agreement and shall comply with all applicable export control laws and regulations for all activities carried out under this Agreement. Neither institution shall use goods, technologies and duplications thereof, which have been obtained under this Agreement, for the purposes of disturbing international peace and security, including any military activities. Neither institution shall permit any third party to use the aforementioned goods, technologies and duplications for the aforementioned purposes.
5. This Agreement shall become effective on the xxth day of (month), 20xx, and remain valid for a period of five years. This Agreement may be renewed by mutual agreement prior to the date of expiry. Either institution may terminate this Agreement by giving to the other institution six months' prior written notice. This Agreement may be modified by mutual agreement. The provision of Article 4 shall survive the termination of this Agreement by nature without limitation of the effective term.
6. This Agreement is made in duplicate originals in English, both being equally authentic. Each Institution shall hold one original.

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