



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN

JIGJIGA UNIVERSITY
P.O.BOX NO: 1020,JIGJIGA
ETHIOPIA, NORTH EAST AFRICA

And

Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam (Women's University),
Tirupati,
Andhra Pradesh,
India

July, 2017

Introduction

This Agreement is attached to and a part of the Memorandum of Understanding between Jigjiga University (JJU), Jigjiga, Ethiopia and Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam (Women's University), Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, India. Both institutions shall, on the basis of reciprocity, support and promote the spirit of this agreement to encourage academic collaboration and to facilitate as much as possible the academic progress.

1. Jigjiga University:

Jigjiga University (JJU) is the first and largest public higher institution for the Ethiopian Somali Regional State (ESRS) and it was established in 1999E.C (2006G.C) and recognized by order of council of ministers regulation No226/2011.ESRS with a land cover of 3,50,000 Sq.Km is the second largest region in Ethiopia. It is located in eastern and southeastern part of the country sharing international borders with

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Somalia to the east and southeast, Kenya to the south, and Djibouti to the north. ESRS is organized in to 9 administrative zones consisting of 68 districts and 4 city councils.

Vision: By 2025, JJU will be a reputable higher institution recognized in science and technology with special emphasis on pastoral and agro-pastoral education, research and community engagement in east Africa.

Mission: True to its institutional vision and core values, Jigjiga University will:

- Deliver high quality education that meet international competence standards and customer expectations.
- Deliver high quality and relevant research, technology transfer and community engagement services that contribute to solving pressing pastoral and agro pastoral development challenges.

Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam (Women's University), Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh

Vision: To be a premier Centre of education, both general and professional, for women to acquire knowledge, skills and attitudes required to lead life as complete citizens and pursue careers of their choice.

Mission: Emancipation of Women through acquisition of knowledge and Empowerment through skill up-gradation, involvement and participation in various occupations in the society, towards the end of establishing a progressive egalitarian society.

Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam (University for Women) established in the year 1983 and accredited with five stars status by NAAC has given unparalleled service to Women's Education in Andhra Pradesh, drawing on the great cultural traditions of the Country as well as keeping in tune with changing times, channels of employability and assuring quality education in teaching as well as research. We shall continue to produce graduates who are equipped to contribute to the intellectual, social, political, moral and material development of the societies in which they are to live and recognize that the development of contemporary societies reflects diversity alongside consensus and acknowledgement of the past as well as concern for innovation. We shall continue to undertake training, research, consultancy and other forms of service to local and regional communities, which will enrich our teaching and advance our quest for wisdom and truth. We shall make known our mission in Andhra Pradesh as well as nationally and internationally.

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Now, therefore, the parties to this MOU mutually agree upon the following terms.

GENERAL GUIDELINE OF THE MOU

Article 1. Legal Framework of Both Universities:

The president of Jijiga University and the Vice Chancellor of Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam (Women's University), Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, India, may, in accordance to their respective laws, initiate agreements with foreign institution of higher education to enhance international relations and understanding through programs of academic exchange and to further contribute to the achievement of their goals and objectives.

Article 2. Jijiga University and Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam (Women's University), Tirupati, Andhra Pradesh, India, common interest and objectives

By the reason of their very essence as universities, Jijiga University and Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam share interests and objectives in academic exchange and scientific research matters. Both institutions are interested in establishing academic cooperation agreements with institutions of similar nature in order to assist in the achievement of their goals and objectives in such matters. Jijiga University has special interest in staff capacity building, experience sharing in pastoral and agro pastoral education and engineering and technology and other fields, which may focus on the technical aspects of the areas.

Article 3. Purpose of the Agreement: (BASIC AREAS OF COOPERATION)

Jijiga University and Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam agree to subscribe to a cooperative agreement in order to promote the following activities between both the universities.

- A. Exchange of teaching and research personnel
- B. Exchange of students for experience sharing.

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- C. Sharing of the digital resource material like books, references, periodicals, journals and literature for teaching and research purposes.
- D. Cooperative development of courses and academic programs.
- E. Development of joint scientific and /or collaborate research projects.
- F. Scholarship and fellowship chances/provisions especially in P.G and Ph.D. program.
- G. Sharing the best practices for the development of the university community Services.
- H. Exchange the trainers to train the trainee programs on skill development.
- I. Cooperation between Universities in establishing smart classrooms.
- J. Support from one University to another in Technology transfer as a gesture of cooperation.
- K. Any other activity of mutual interest regarding academic, scientific, and technological research matters.

Article 4. Execution of the Agreement:

The specific activities to be carried out under this agreement will be started in corresponding specific sub agreements, once approved by both parties, will be attached as annexes to this agreement.

Article 5. Specific Agreements:

The specific sub agreements between both universities will specify their objectives, conditions and ways of execution, financial support, term of validity and administrative responsibility within each institution.

Article -6- BUDGET

6.1. All specific programs or activities implemented under the terms of this Memorandum of Understanding shall be mutually agreed upon in writing, including the necessary budget for the program.

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6.2. Each of the participating institutions shall be fully responsible financially for the activities carried out under its direction or by its staff, except as otherwise agreed by the parties.

Article - 6 - COORDINATION and FOLLOW UP

6.1. The institutions will agree to designate coordinators or officers who will develop and coordinate specific programs or activities between them on each specific term of agreement.

6.2. Administration of the cooperative agreement shall be responsibility of the president of the Jigjiga University and the vice chancellor of Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam. These official representatives of both universities must approve any additions, changes, or deletions. All notices shall be in writing and shall be directed to these individuals.

Article - 7 - DURATION AND RENEWAL OF THE AGREEMENT

7.1. This Memorandum of Understanding will become effective immediately after signature by the representatives of both Universities Jigjiga and Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam for a period of **three (3)** years and is subject to revision or modification by mutual agreement.

7.2. The agreement can be renewed for additional five-year period by mutual consent of the parties.

Article - 8 - AMENDMENTS

8.1. This Memorandum of Understanding may be amended by a written agreement signed by the representatives of both universities.

8.2. In the event of any unforeseen incident during collaborative activities in either country both universities agree to negotiate a mutually acceptable solution.

8.3. In cases where any disagreement arises out of the application, interpretation or implementation of this agreement, the universities shall endeavor to exercise best efforts to negotiate their differences.

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Article – 9 - TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT

This agreement may, at any time during its period of validity, be terminated by either party upon prior notice to the other in writing not later than 6 months before termination date, provided that such termination shall not affect the completion of any program or activity underway at the time the notice of termination is given.

Article – 10- APPROVAL of MOU

The effective date of MOU start on the date of agreement, the authorized representatives of Jigjiga University (JJU) and Sri Padmavati Mahila Visvavidyalayam (SPMVV); after hereby affix signatures.


This MoU is approved and signed on day 26th July of 2017 by the officials of both the Universities

To: jigjiga university

To: Sri Padmavati Mahila
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Approved for Jigjiga University

Approved for Sri Padmavati Mahila
Visvavidyalayam

(Signature of the President)


(Signature of the Vice Chancellor)

Date and seal

26/07/2017
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