



# Memorandum of understanding

BETWEEN

**MURDOCH UNIVERSITY**

- And -

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This Memorandum of Understanding ("MOU") is made between:

**MURDOCH UNIVERSITY** of 90 South Street, Murdoch, Western Australia, 6150 ("Murdoch")

-and-

**CHAUDHARY CHARAN SINGH UNIVERSITY**, Meerut, Uttar Pradesh 250001, India  
("collaboration partner")

**1. INTRODUCTION**

Murdoch and the Collaboration Partner ("Parties") want to collaborate with each other so as to promote the advancement of International understanding, dissemination of learning and strengthening of cultural ties. They have entered into this MOU to create a foundation from which such collaboration may be developed.

**2. MUTUAL INTEREST**

The Parties share a mutual intent to support and promote the spirit of this MOU by encouraging academic collaboration, including:

- 2.1. development and promotion of:
  - 2.1.1. research;
  - 2.1.2. research training; and
  - 2.1.3. teaching, curriculum and course design, including training programmes;
- 2.2. sharing and dissemination of academic materials;
- 2.3. exchange of, and cooperation between, respective staff, scholars and students including supervision and examination of students and the training and upgrading of staff; and
- 2.4. sponsoring cooperative seminars, workshops and other academic meetings of matters of mutual interest.

**3. NATURE OF COLLABORATION**

- 3.1. Murdoch and the Collaboration Partner propose to develop links between the two institutions and support the aims of this MOU by way of:
  - 3.1.1. staff exchanges
  - 3.1.2. student exchange programme; and
  - 3.1.3. collaborative projects in areas of mutual interest.
- 3.2. The Parties recognise that the collaborative activities referred to in paragraph 3.1 will need to be conducted by way of separate, written arrangements. Those

agreements will set out the Parties' various rights and obligations in respect of those activities.

#### **4. DURATION**

- 4.1. Subject to paragraph 4.2, this MOU will commence on the date it is fully executed and will last for five years.
- 4.2. Either Party may terminate this MOU by giving the other Party 3 months' written notice of termination.

#### **5. NOMINATED REPRESENTATIVES**

- 5.1. The Parties' nominated representatives are:

for Murdoch:

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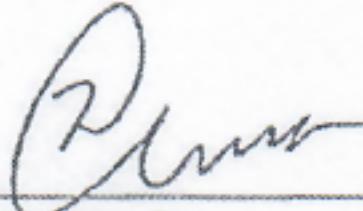
- 5.2. Each Party's nominated representative is responsible for the development and implementation of this MOU, including receiving and acting on proposals for collaborative activities referred to in paragraph 3.1.

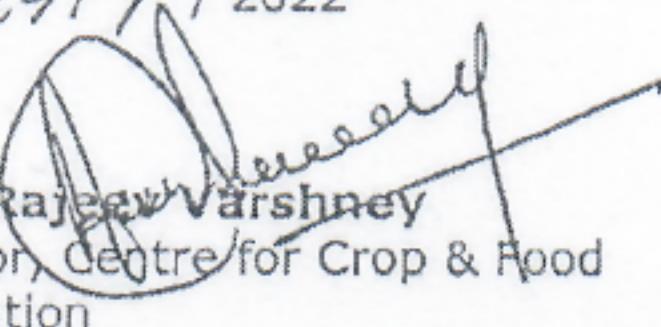
#### **6. LEGAL ISSUES**

Nothing in this MOU will create a legal relationship between the Parties or be legally binding on them. This MOU is to affirm the intent of the Parties to work together in good faith in an attempt to progress the matters described in this MOU.

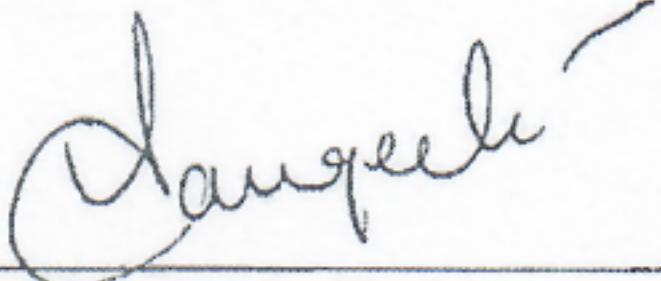
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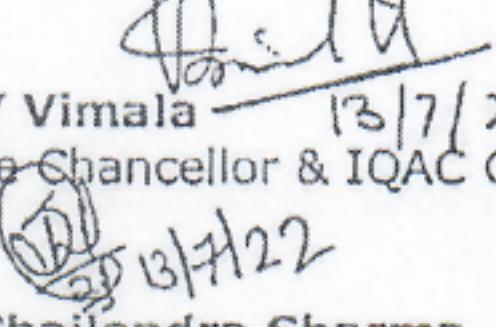
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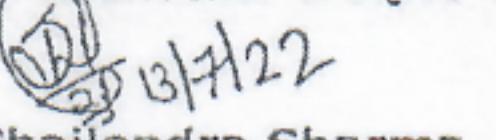
  
Mr. Kelly Smith  
Pro Vice Chancellor International  
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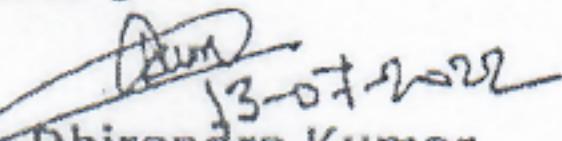
  
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Prof. Shailendra Sharma  
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Sh. Dhirendra Kumar  
Registrar, CCSU, MEERUT