Memorandum of Understanding Between

Jamia Millia Islamia

And

National Tsing Hua University, Taiwan

In furtherance of the educational benefits that each institution can gain from the other, each agrees to enter into this Memorandum of Understanding.

In doing so, each institution acknowledges the high quality of teaching and research conducted at the other.

THIS MEMDORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING IS SIGNED BETWEEN:

Jamia Millia Islamia (JMI), a Central University created by an enactment of the Parliament of India (i.e. the Jamia Millia Islamia Act, 1988) and is a body corporate with a perpetual succession and a common seal (acting through its Registrar and authorized signatory A.P.Siddiqui (IPS).

AND

National Tsing Hua University (NTHU), Taiwan through its authorized signatory Prof. Ta-Jen Yen (Vice president for Global Affairs).

AND WHEREAS it is the statutory object of the Jamia Millia Islamia to disseminate and advance knowledge by providing instructional, research and extension facilities in such branches of learning as it may deem fit and it shall endeavour to provide to students and teachers the necessary atmosphere and facilities for the promotion of studies and research in various disciplines.

NOW THEREFORE, the Jamia Millia Islamia and National Tsing Hua University, have intended, agreed and consented to the following terms and deeds in pursuance of a common intent to promote research in various disciplines.

FIELD OF CO-OPERATION:

- 1. The parties will encourage direct contact and co-operation between their faculty and administrative staff, divisions and other units.
- 2. Within fields that are mutually acceptable, the parties intent to pursue the following general forms of co-operation:
 - a) Visits by and exchange of graduate students for the purpose of study, training and research.
 - b) Visits by and the interchange of teaching staff for the purpose of research, teaching and discussions.
 - c) Exchange of information including, but not limited to, exchange of library materials and research publications.
 - d) Joint research activities.
 - e) Joint participation in intentionally funded projects.
 - f) Joint course development and delivery.

MISCELLANEOUS:

- 1. Both parties understand and acknowledge that all financial arrangements, if any, will be subject to negotiation and prior written agreement and any agreement will be subject to the availability of funds.
- 2. In respect to any particular form of co-operation, this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) may have, from time to time, written agreements annexed to it with regard to any specific project.

- 3. If this MOU remains dormant for five years from the date it is signed by the parties or by the later date of signature if the signatures are not concurrent, it will be deemed to have lapsed. Where this MoU continues to be active, the parties will agree to review it with a view of extending its term.
- 4. This MOU may be terminated at any time by either party or by mutual written agreement or in any even by six months 'written notice from either party to the other for any reason or for no reason'.
- 5. Any termination of this MOU under clause 6 will not operate to prejudice an individual student or staff member engaged as at the date of termination in an activity outlined in sub-clause 2. The intention being that such individual's activity will be permitted to reach its natural or contemplated conclusion.
- 6. For the purpose of this MOU, 'active' means some substantive activity under at least one of the forms of co-operation outlined in clause 2 above.
- 7. The parties acknowledge that NTHU is an authority bound by the privacy and Personal Information Act and the parties hereby will comply with the provisions of the Act and other related laws in respect to any of its students, staff or research connected to this MOU.
- 8. A party will ensure that all public statements to the media or articles relating to their joint activities, are first cleared by the other party prior to release or publication.
- 9. No party will have the right to use the name or logo of another party without that party's prior written consent and other conditions attached to that consent.
- 10. The parties agree that this MOU does not create or evidence the relationship between them of partnership, joint venture, employer or employee or agency.
- 11. The parties acknowledge that the academic and research standards properly established by each of them must be maintained at all times and that the relationship between the parties will not operate to constraint the other party from applying those standards.
- 12. This Memorandum of Understanding shall require the ratification of the competent academic/executive body of both the institutions.
- 13. The intent and implementation of this Memorandum is SUBJECT to the polices of the respective States (in case of international agreements) and the laws of the land.
- 14. This Memorandum of Understanding shall remain in force for a period of five years from the date of its signature and seal, and may be terminated by either side by giving a six months Notice to that effect in writing. However, notwithstanding the Notice of the intent to terminate the Memorandum, all rights, obligations and corresponding duties flowing and subsisting therein shall be respected and mandated till the finalisation and accomplishment thereof.
- 15. The address for notices at JAMIA MILLIA ISLAMIA is: A.P.Siddiqui (IPS) Registrar Jamia Millia Islamia Jamia Nagar

New Delhi-110025

The address for notices at the NATIONAL TSING HUA UNIVERSITY, TAIWAN is:
Prof. Ta-Jen Yen
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National Tsing Hua University
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16. This MoU may be varied by a further document signed by the parties that expresses intention to vary this MoU.

Signed by the parties as a MOU by:

A.P.Siddiqui (IPS)

Registrar (Authorized Signatory)

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