



**THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING IS SIGNED BETWEEN:**

**Jamia Millia Islamia**, 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 **Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Talat Ahmad**)

AND

**AL aL BAYT University (AABU)**, a public university under an enactment of the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research. The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan (acting through its **President, Prof. Dr. Dia-Eddin Arafah**)

**AND WHEREAS** it is the statutory object of the Jamia Millia Islamia 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 shall endeavor to provide to students and teachers the necessary atmosphere and facilities for the promotion of:

- (i) Innovations in education leading to restructuring of courses, new methods of teaching and learning and integral development of personality.
- (ii) Studies in various disciplines.
- (iii) Inter disciplinary studies.
- (iv) National integration, secularism and international understanding.

**NOW THEREFORE** the Jamia Millia Islamia and AL aL BAYT University have intended, agreed and consented to **following terms and deeds** in pursuance of a common intent to promote and develop the study of Cultural Studies and Islamic Studies.

**1 FIELD OF COOPERATION:**

- (a) Both the institutions shall evolve a mutually acceptable schedule to develop programme, hold seminars and exchange visits.
- (b) The said academic interaction and intellectual assimilation may include-
  - (i) Faculty/Staff development and exchange;



(ii) Exchange of Students;

(iii) Seminars, research, conferences and workshops;

(iv) Collaborations in the sharing of academic data, scientific information, intellectual property, articles and publications;

(v) Placements and executive training; and

(vi) Other forms of cooperation with the two institutions may jointly arrange.

## **2. EXCHANGE OF STUDENTS/TEACHERS**

(a) Reciprocal arrangements based on mutually acceptable terms shall be accomplished to give impetus to collaborative research and joint projects. Teachers, researchers, guides and students of both the institutions shall be encouraged to work in tandem in the laboratories, workshops, faculties and departments of both the institutions.

(b) Issues relating to travel, boarding, lodging, miscellaneous expenses shall vary according to the rules, regulations and policies of both the institutions.

## **3. MISCELLANEOUS:**

(a) The details for the efficacious implementations of this Memorandum of Understanding shall be jointly worked out on mutually acceptable terms within the parameters of the policies, rules and regulations of both the institutions.

(b) The parties to this Memorandum may, by mutual consent, add, modify, amend, delete, review or revise any term(s) and condition(s) of this Agreement.

(c) The financial arrangements involved in the implementation of this Agreement shall be settled through consultation between the two institutions in respect of each programme of cooperation.

(d) The intent and implementation of this Memorandum is **SUBJECT** to the policies of the respective States (in case of international agreements) and the laws of the land.

(e) This Memorandum of Understanding shall remain in force for a period of **two 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 finalization and accomplishment thereof.

(f) The parties to this memorandum of Understanding undertake to treat as “**confidential and privileged**” information of the other institution which is so classified in advance. The terms of Confidentiality and mode of disclosure shall be as per mutually acceptable terms.

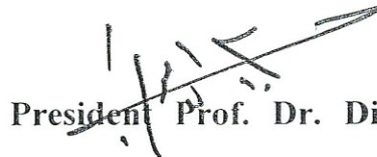
(g) This Memorandum of Understanding shall require the ratification of the competent academic/ executive body of both the institution.

Signed at The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan on this day of October , 2015



**Vice-Chancellor Prof. Talat Ahmad Arafah**

Authorized Signatory on behalf of  
Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, India



**President Prof. Dr. Dia-Eddin**

Authorized Signatory on behalf of AL al BAYT  
University, Mafraq, The H.K. of Jordan

Seal:

Date: 18<sup>th</sup> Oct 2015

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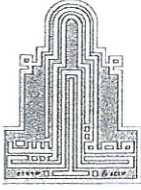
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**WITNESSES**

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**Memorandum of Understanding  
on Academic Cooperation**

**between  
Al al BAYT University  
and  
Jamia Millia Islamia**

**First party:** Al al Bayt University, Jordan, represented by its Acting President.

**Second party:** Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, India, represented by its Vice Chancellor.

Whereas the two parties desire to develop academic cooperation in various fields, the two parties conclude this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) and agree to the following:

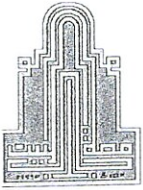
**Article 1-** To develop the following collaborative activities in academic areas of mutual interest:

1. Exchange of faculty and researchers for purposes of teaching, conducting lectures, conducting research, and exchange of expertise.
2. Exchange of students subject to terms to be outlined in a separate Student Exchange Agreement.
3. Conducting collaborative research projects.
4. Jointly organize symposia, seminars, and conferences.
5. Exchange of academic information and materials.

**Article 2-** The development and implementation of specific activities based on this MoU will be separately negotiated and agreed between the faculties, or institutes, which carry out the specific projects. Both parties agree to carry out these activities in accordance with the laws and regulations of both countries.

**Article 3-** It is understood that the implementation of any of the types of cooperation stated in Article 1 shall depend upon the availability of resources and financial support at both parties.

**Article 4-** Should any collaborative research activities under this MoU result in any potential for intellectual property, both parties shall seek a fair understanding as to ownership and other property interests that may arise.



**Article 5-** This MoU may be amended or modified by written agreements signed by the representatives of both parties, and will become part of this MoU.

**Article 6-** This MoU is valid for a period of **two years** commencing on the date signed by the last party, and may be renewed after being reviewed and renegotiated by both parties.

**Article 7-** This MoU may, at any time during its period of validity, be terminated by one of the parties upon written notice to the other party not later than six months before the termination date. The termination will not affect ongoing activities.

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**Professor Ali Abu ghanimeh**  
**Acting President**  
Al al BAYT University

Seal:

Date:

11/10/2015

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**Professor Talat Ahmad**  
Vice Chancellor  
Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi

Seal:

Date:

11<sup>th</sup> Oct 2015