



SRI MANAKULA VINAYAGAR ENGINEERING COLLEGE

(An Autonomous Institution)

(Approved by AICTE, Affiliated to Pondicherry University)
(Accredited by NBA-AICTE, New Delhi and Accredited by NAAC with "A" Grade)

MADAGADIPET, PUDUCHERRY - 605 107



Memorandum of Understanding

between

Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College, Puducherry

and

Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital, Puducherry

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is signed on 3rd September 2020 between **Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College** (hereinafter referred to as SMVEC) located at Madagadipet, Puducherry

And, **Sri Manakula Vinyagar Medical College and Hospital** (hereinafter referred to as SMVMC&H) which is located at Kalitheerthalkuppam, Puducherry

SMVEC and SMVMC&H may hereinafter be singly referred to as 'institution' and jointly referred to as 'institutions'.

1. PREAMBLE

Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College

Sri Manakula Vinayagar Educational Trust was formed with the avowed objective of imparting quality technical education, especially to the weaker sections of the society. To cherish this objective and to join hands with the policy of the Government of Puducherry in enhancing technical education and also to meet the needs of our Nation, the Trust established Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College (SMVEC) in the year 1999.

The institution has been approved by AICTE, New Delhi and affiliated to the Pondicherry University, a central university and now it has been recognized as Autonomous Institution by UGC.

SMVEC is the first institution in Puducherry State which got ISO 9001:2000 Certification and established the 'Nila Community Radio Station' with the approval of Government of India. It is the First engineering college in Puducherry which is accredited by NAAC with 'A' grade. It is also accredited by NBA-AICTE, New Delhi.

The institution has attained an enviable reputation by possessing all the hall marks of premier Institution in pursuit of excellence. Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College aims at equipping budding professionals with excellent theoretical and practical knowledge. It also takes pride in developing the students with leadership and interpersonal skills and thus shaping them as strategic scholars with competitive spirits who will be capable of delivering their best in the technological world.

Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College & Hospital

Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital is an Ultramodern, multi-speciality tertiary care hospital with medical research facilities. The hospital has an inpatient capacity of more than 900 beds, exclusive of 100 critical care beds in different specialties. As tertiary care and super specialty hospital, the

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services are complemented with a day care center, outpatient facilities and an exclusive center for health checkups . The various services provided by SMVMC&H are Specialty Services, Super Specialty Services, Inpatient Services, 24 X 7 Services and Diagnostic Services

- 1.1. SMVEC and SMVMC&H have expressed the desire to utilize their respective institutional strengths and expertise with them in furtherance of their mandates in diverse areas. Both institutions see a great convergence in their objectives and working and are desirous of collaborating in areas jointly identified by them, including teaching and learning, faculty and students exchange, utilization of infrastructure facilities, conceptual as well as action research, and components for social development, areas of leadership and management and sustainable architecture and development, through proper blend of science and technology with the underlying foundation of values and integrity.

2. SCOPE

- 2.1. This MoU is intended to express the broad understanding of the Institutions and to provide a general framework for working together on any specific opportunity as detailed herein subject to a corresponding definitive agreement. The MoU describes the scope of collaboration, the terms and conditions, responsibilities and obligations of the Parties.

3. Effective Date and Validity

- 3.1. The MoU shall be effective from the date of signing of the MoU by the appropriate authority.
- 3.2. The MoU shall remain in force unless terminated as per the terms of termination specified in the MoU.

4. Implementation Arrangement

In order to operationalize this MoU, the following implementation arrangement is proposed and agreed:

- 4.1. Staff: Both institutions will identify their respective representative who will be responsible for the assignment/ project / for coordination purposes and will meet as necessary in order to accomplish the purposes of the MoU.
- 4.2. Work Plan: A clear work plan would be shared with timelines, division of responsibilities and details specified for each joint assignment / project.
- 4.3. Review Mechanism: A clear and precise review mechanism would be in place for addressing issues if any and to review progress and grievance redressal for all engagements between the Institutions.
- 4.4. Deliverables: The deliverables would be mutually agreed upon for each engagement / project separately by the Institutions.

5. Areas of Collaboration

- 5.1. Broad areas and fields for joint collaboration shall be decided on a case to case basis on mutual interest and expertise. It is understood that the collaborative projects and activities that will be taken up will be in pursuance of the respective vision, guiding principles and mandates of the Institutions in diverse areas.

The possible activities include but are not restricted to the following list:

- Utilization of Infrastructure facilities :
 - I. Sharing of equipment and laboratories facilities for both faculties and students for academic activities
 - II. IT support - development of website, mobile apps for various projects, development of other support software and apps
- Teaching and learning
- Faculty exchange programs
- Faculty and student development programs
- Management projects especially in the fields of medical, Public Relations, Communication and Branding
- Sustainable Architecture and Development projects
- Research across several areas of mutual interest
- Internship of students of SMVEC at SMVMC&H on appropriate projects
- Campus sustainability programs
- Institutional Social Responsibility and Extension activities

5.2. Based on this MoU, both institutions from time to time, may discuss and plan theme based collaboration in projects with detailed action plan, specified outputs, roles and responsibilities, etc. However, such specific programs would require separate detailed agreements in mutually agreed format, duly approved by the appropriate authorities of the two institutions.

6. Third-Party Involvement

6.1. Both institutions may involve third-party for any of the joint projects for consultation, review, or any other form of involvement based on mutual agreement. The third-party may or may not be an existing partner of either of the Institutions.

7. Financing of Joint Activities

7.1. No financial obligation arises out of this MoU.

7.2. All financial commitments for specific programs and activities shall be described in a detailed agreement, which would be approved and accepted by the authorities of each institution.

7.3. Irrespective of grants received, both the institutions hereby agree that all the costs of the respective bodies will be borne by them.

7.4. Efforts may be made by the Institutions to jointly explore the possibilities of obtaining grants from State / Central Government agencies, and contributions from corporates, foundations and trusts. However, it is understood that it would be on a non-committal basis.

7.5. For joint financing activities, there will be prior agreement of how the expenses are to be borne by each institution, for carrying out the joint activity.

8. Dispute Resolution

8.1. Any dispute between the Institutions arising under or related to the MoU or any other MoU signed by them in pursuance of this MoU on any specific project will be settled through mutual discussions between the institutions.

9. Amendments

- 9.1. The MoU may be amended by mutual consent through an exchange of correspondences between the two institutions. Any changes, modification, revisions or amendments to this MoU, mutually agreed upon by the Institutions, shall be incorporated by a written instrument, duly approved by the appropriate authorities of respective institution, and become effective when executed and signed by both the Institutions.

10. Termination

- 10.1. Either institution in general may terminate this MoU or any other MoU signed by them in pursuance of this MoU on any specific project by giving a notice of three months in writing.
- 10.2. However, if any project undertaken by both institutions, by its very nature could not be shelved or dropped, abandoned or completed by either Institution without the participation of other institution, then both institutions shall be obligated to complete such projects.
- 10.3. Termination or otherwise of the MoU or any specific project can also be a subject of dispute, which may then be resolved as per the Dispute Resolution process.
- 10.4. There shall be no liability on the part of any Institution to the other arising from the termination of the MoU provided that in case of this agreement coming to an end as aforesaid, the ongoing projects shall be completed as per plan agreed to by SMVEC and SMVMC&H, both Institutions fulfilling their obligations as per the agreement.

In witness whereof, SMVEC and SMVMC&H, each acting through its representative duly authorized to have signed this agreement on the date of first above written in two original counterparts in English.

For SMVEC



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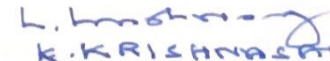
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