

Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

Between



**Atal Medical and Research University, H.P., (AMRU)
Mandi at Nerchowk-175008**

and



**Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi
Himachal Pradesh-175075**

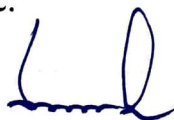
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1. Objectives

The goal of this cooperation is to foster academic and research collaboration and to facilitate advancement of knowledge on the basis of reciprocity, best effort, mutual benefit and frequent interactions. AMRU Nerchowk, Mandi and IIT Mandi agree:-

- i. To jointly propose and engage in research or training programmes as per national priorities; sponsored by funding agencies, and to invite each other's scientists/faculty to participate therein.
- ii. To exchange the information on research and educational programmes, teaching learning material, with due approval of the competent authority of both the organizations.
- iii. To jointly organize short-term continuing education programmes on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's scientists/faculty to participate therein.
- iv. To jointly organize seminars, conferences, or workshops on topics of mutual interest.
- v. To exchange, on the reciprocal basis, students/scholars for limited periods of time for purpose of education and/or research.
- vi. To encourage any other academic/research activities that both the institutions agreed to be on mutual benefit.

Atal Medical and Research University, H.P. (AMRU), Mandi at Nerchowk and Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi agree that detailed terms and conditions that guide each activity identified about will be separately determined and agreed upon by the two institutions/organization. These terms shall include a technical description of proposed activity, financial arrangements, and person(s) responsible for its implementation, etc.



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2. Exchange of Faculty, Scientists, Staffs and Students

Atal Medical and Research University, H.P. (AMRU), Mandi at Nerchowk and Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi agree to encourage collaboration between faculty and scientists from the two institutions. Specifically, the institutions will encourage members of their scientist/faculty to undertake short visits to, or take up fixed-term visiting assignments at, each other's institution. Students and staffs may exchange between both the institution for R&D and academics.

3. Exchange of Scientific and Technical Material


Atal Medical and Research University, H.P. (AMRU), Mandi at Nerchowk and Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi will exchange information on research and educational programmes, teaching, learning material relevant to their educational and research programmes, with due approval of the competent authority of both the organizations. Further AMRU and IIT Mandi agree to explore way to share teaching material and other relevant materials, while respecting each other's intellectual property and other rights.

4. Joint Sponsored Research, Development and Consultancy :-

Atal Medical and Research University, H.P. (AMRU), Mandi at Nerchowk and Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi agree to help identify and invite scientists/faculty members from the other institution to participate in research or development programmes. The terms and conditions for such participation will be worked by mutual agreement between the scientists/faculty(s) and the institution extending such an invitation. Data generation through such collaborative research shall be published in scientific journals jointly, with due approval of the competent authorities of both the institutions.

5. Joint conferences, workshops and short-term courses

Atal Medical and Research University, H.P. (AMRU), Mandi at Nerchowk and Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi agree to help identify and invite scientists/faculty members from the other institution to participate in


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conferences, workshops and short-term courses. The terms and conditions for such participation will be worked out by mutual agreement between the invited scientist/faculty member(s) and the institution extending such an invitation.

6. Co-ordination Committee

Each institution shall appoint one member of its teaching/research faculty to coordinate the programme on its behalf. Further the co-ordination committee, consisting of (a) Vice-Chancellor, AMRU, H.P. or his/her nominee, (b) Director, IIT Mandi, or his/her nominee, (c) Programme coordinator from the side of AMRU, H.P., (d) Programme coordinator from the side of IIT Mandi. The coordination committee will periodically review and identify ways to strengthen cooperation between the two institutions.

7. Intellectual Property

Atal Medical and Research University, H.P. (AMRU), Mandi at Nerchowk and Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi agree to respect each other's right to intellectual property. Further, the intellectual property rights that arise as a result of any collaborative research or activity under this MoU will be worked out on a case to case basis by the competent authorities of both the institutions, and will be consistent with officially laid down IPR policies of the two institutions.

8. Tenure and Termination

- i. This MoU will take effect from the date it is signed by heads of Atal Medical and Research University, H.P. (AMRU), Mandi at Nerchowk and Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi and will be in force for a period of five years from the date of its enactment.
- ii. This MoU may be amended at any time by written mutual consent of the competent authorities from both the institutions.
- iii. Either institution may terminate the MoU by giving written notice to the other institution, not less than six months prior to the desired termination date. However, AMRU and IIT Mandi agree that all on-going research/activities are

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allowed to complete successfully and obligations of the funding bodies, if any, are met in full, subsequent to the notice of termination.

iv. The termination of this MoU shall not affect the rights or obligations of either institutions regarding any binding offer or firm obligation approved and agreed to either institutions prior to the termination date.

9. Arbitration Clause

In event of any disputes arising between Atal Medical and Research University, H.P. (AMRU), Mandi at Nerchowk and Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Mandi, it shall be endeavor of head of both institutions to first make an attempt to resolve the dispute amicably by mutual discussion and deliberations in a spirit of independence, mutual respect, and shared responsibility, failing which the disputes shall be referred to Arbitration. The Arbitration shall be conducted as per the provisions of arbitrations and conciliations Act 1996. The Arbitral tribunal shall consist of a Sole Arbitrator, to be appointed mutually by both the institutions. The award of the Tribunal shall be final and binding on both the institutions.

In witness, whereof the present MoU signed between the parties in presence of witnesses on this day of13/1/2022.....(date) at ..NERCHOWK, MANDI (place).



(Vice-Chancellor)

Vice-Chancellor,
Atal Medical & Research University,
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Witnesses:-

Signature

Name

Designation

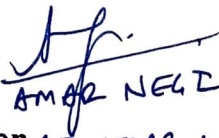
AMRU, H.P.

Registrar,

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REGISTRAR, AMRU

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Dean (SRIC & IR)

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VPO Kamand, Mandi-175075



Signature

Name: Mr. Parminderjit Singh Gill

Designation AR (SRIC & IR)

IIT, Mandi

