



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU) AND ACADEMIC COLLABORATION

BETWEEN

**AJEENKYA DY PATIL UNIVERSITY, INDIA
AND
DAFFODIL INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY, DHAKA, BANGLADESH**

Ajeenkya Dy Patil University, India and Daffodil International University, Dhaka, Bangladesh, aim to establish and develop a close partnership to promote academic and cultural exchanges between the two Institutions through mutual assistance, specially, in the areas of teaching and research.

This Agreement of Co-operation, upon approval/signature and seal of the Vice Chancellor of Daffodil International University and the Competent authority of Ajeenkya Dy Patil University, India, will serve as a general framework for institutional co-operation. It will facilitate faculty members to discuss and develop specific programs of co-operation. Each University will designate a liaison officer to co-ordinate the application of this Agreement in the best interest of both Institutions. Co-operative relations shall be carried out through the activities such as:

The two universities will initiate and encourage the following activities:

- 1.1 Exchange of students for relevant academic programs both undergraduate studies or post graduate studies;
- 1.2 Exchange of faculty members as visiting scholars for teaching of courses and providing seminars in relevant academic programs;
- 1.3 Sharing of academic information/curriculum, course materials, library cooperation and suggesting improvements whenever deemed necessary;
- 1.4 Collaboration on research initiatives involving external national/international partners and international funding programs;
- 1.5 Mutual recognition for professional qualifications, including credit transfer;
- 1.6 Collaboration on staff training and development programs; and Facilitating national development projects through involvement of experienced faculty and staff members



The further details are elaborated as follows :

1. **Student Exchange:** In the case of exchange of students, each University will evaluate and decide on study period of the relevant student. A student, who has received a grant and fulfils the entrance level of each institution, will be treated as a fully accepted student of concerned School/Faculty/Department, with all the same rights and regulations.
2. **Faculty Exchange:** The exchange of academic staff for short duration in order to share expertise and knowledge among staff and students of both institutions.
3. **Research Degrees:** The provision of placements and support for Masters Students to undertake a period of research/placement at the partner institution.
4. **Resources Share:** The acquiescence of access to the Library database, Journal and other online resources for both staff and students of each university.
5. **Summer/Spring Program:** Both universities will agree to participate in short term Summer/Spring program arranged by other partner institution. In this matter, partner institution will circulate the notices among students and motivate them to attend the summer programmer for capacity building and cross cultural education.
6. **Intern Exchange:** To encourage young entrepreneurs, newly graduate and young teaching assistants, both institutions will facilitate them for internship placement from partner institution.
7. **Scholarship Opportunity:** Both Institution may arrange scholarship opportunity for meritorious students of partner institution and cooperate accordingly.

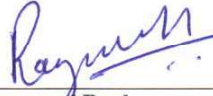
Professor Vijay D Kulkarni, Head of the Department, Centre for Research, ADYP or competent authority in his absentia will be coordinating these activities with terms mutually agreed upon. (vijay.kulkarni@adypu.edu) with office of the International Affairs of Daffodil International University.

The provisions and activities specified in this Agreement are subjected to the availability of funds and the approval of the Authorized Officers of both Institutions. A separate financial agreement to be finalized prior to implementation of the program arrangement.



The Agreement shall take effect from the date of signing and shall be valid for an initial period of 5 (five) years. Any amendment and/or modification of this Agreement require the written approval of the Vice Chancellor of Daffodil International University and the Competent authority of Ajeenkya Dy Patil University, India and shall be appended hereto. Neither University shall take action relative to this Agreement without consultation with the partner in this Agreement.

**Signed on behalf of
Ajeenkya Dy Patil University
India**




Mr. Raymond Paul
Registrar,
Ajeenkya DY Patil University



Date: 26/01/2021

**Signed on behalf of -
Daffodil International University
Bangladesh**



Professor Dr. Engr. A. K. M. Fazlul Hoque
Registrar
Daffodil International University



Date: 26/01/2021