

## **THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)**

**1. Swami Keshwanand Rajasthan Agricultural University (SKRAU), an ICAR accredited State Agricultural University, Bikaner, Rajasthan, India-334006 herein after referred to as "SKRAU" with a dedicated mandate of teaching, research and extension in agriculture and its allied subjects**

**and**

**2. Maharaja Ganga Singh University(MGSU), a State Multi-faculty University, Bikaner, Rajasthan, India herein after referred to as "MGSU" with a committed mandate of strengthening four-fold fundamentals of higher education– teaching, research, extension and consultancy**

Both SKRAU and MGSU jointly agree:

1. To undertake joint research projects in the areas of mutual interest.
2. To share the facilities for carrying out collaborative research and other academic programmes.
3. To organize academic activities and development programmes of mutual interest potentially beneficial and agreed by both the Universities.
4. To share laboratory, research farm, library and other supporting facilities for joint research projects as well as for students.
5. To facilitate and coordinate student research work and permitting the faculty to be member/ co-advisor of advisory committee(s) for teaching and guiding students of both the universities.
6. To share research results and publish jointly in collaborative projects.
7. Any IPR emerging from collaborative project will be the property of both the Universities in proportion to contribution of the investigators, as per Government of India rules.
8. In case of projects not supported formally by an extramural grant, but otherwise to by the two Universities, the parties shall meet their respective expenses which they might incur while carrying out their respective agreed obligation.
9. Neither of the parties shall claim the usage of facilities/software or other services as a matter of right. It would be subject to availability, but would not be ordinarily refused.
10. This MoU is non-binding, non-enforceable and nor financial ramification, but rather a way of mutual understanding for increasing both universities a mutual synergic benefits.

## **Implementation:**

Both the universities shall designate a liaison officer to develop and coordinate specific activities or programmes. The terms of such activity of mutual interest shall be discussed and agreed prior to the initiation of the activity. During operation, if any alteration / modification is required, the same may be mutually discussed and duly agreed upon in writing.


## **Timeline:**


This MoU will be effective from the date of its signing by both the parties shall remain in operation for a period of 5 (Five) years from the date of signing, until one of the parties serve notice to the other for its intention to terminate it. In such instances, the MoU will stand terminated 3 (three) months from the date of such notice. In case both the universities agree to terminate the MoU, the ongoing research projects will be completed as per already signed MoU and agree obligations.

## **Renewal of the MoU:**

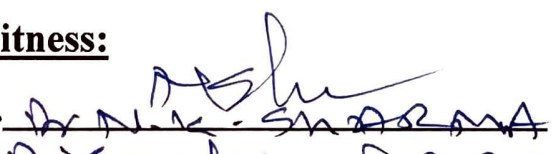
In case there is nothing to the contrary, this MoU shall continue to get renewed after mutual consent of both the parties, for the next term of 5 (five) years after the completion of one term.

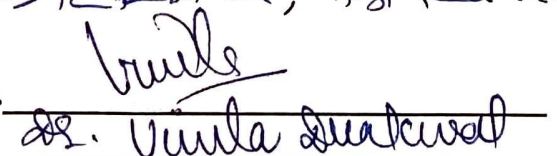
Signed in two originals, one to be retained by each of the signatories, on this day of **31<sup>th</sup> December, 2019 at Bikaner, Rajasthan.**


  
31/12/19  
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Vice-Chancellor  
Swami Keshwanand Rajasthan  
Agricultural University, Bikaner


  
31/12/19  
Prof. Bhagirath Singh  
Vice-Chancellor  
Maharaja Ganga Singh University,  
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## **Witness:**

1).   
Dr. Anil Kumar Sharma  
Director, IASB  
SKRAU, Bikaner

2).   
Dr. Vinla Sankar  
Dean, PG.S.  
SKRAU, Bikaner

  
31.12.19  
1). Dr. J.S. KHICHAR  
Controller of Examinations.

  
31-12-2019  
2). Dr. Gouri Raj Harsh  
Asst. Registrar