



**Memorandum of Understanding**  
Between  
**Amity University Gurgaon(India)**  
and  
**Harare Institute of Technology (Zimbabwe)**

**Preface**

Amity University Gurgaon, India and Harare Institute of Technology, Zimbabwe are desirous to establish academic linkages and contacts through this formalised MoU with the following objectives:

**i. Aims and Forms of Co-operation**

- **Doctoral Studies:** Admission of HIT staff members for Doctoral Studies at Amity University Gurgaon. Towards this purpose, a few scholarships to meet their living expenses partly or wholly may be made available from both sides.
- **MTech Studies:** Admission of HIT staff for MTech Studies at Amity University Gurgaon. Towards this purpose, a few scholarships to meet their living expenses partly or wholly may be made available from both sides.
- **Research:** Joint programmes in Research and Development including Publications, Patents, Utility Models and Trademarks.
- **Twinning Degrees:** Explore possibilities of Joint Twinning degree programmes in interdisciplinary areas of specialisation of high relevance to both institutions.
- **Centres of Excellence:** Creation of Centres of Excellence in specialized fields of mutual interest in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics.

**ii. Finance**

- Neither institution shall incur any financial obligations under this agreement. Applications for financial support towards the co-operation and individual activities planned under this agreement will be transparent and undertaken with mutual consent.
- Other sources of finances raised to support these joint projects can be pursued with the knowledge of the other through intimation in writing.

**iii. Responsibility for Implementation**

- Activities to be organised under this agreement will be the responsibility of the Heads of both institutions or of persons designated by them. National regulations and customs shall be mutually respected.


**iv. Duration and Alteration of the Agreement**

- The MoU will come into effect on the date of signature by both the parties. The duration is for a period of five years. However, the agreement may be terminated by either party, after the completion of any specific activity / activities in the process with mutual consent.

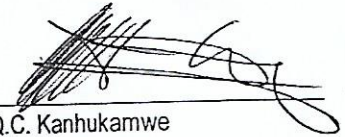
**v. Immediate Areas of Cooperation**

- Organisation of staff development for Post Graduation and Doctoral studies
- Assistance by HIT on the Amity University Westridge Secondary School Initiative

This agreement shall become effective from today the 15<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2015 upon signing of this MoU.

  
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Amity University Gurgaon, India

  
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