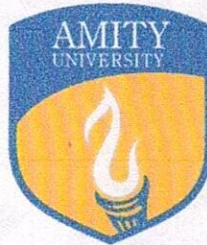


MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

**AMITY UNIVERSITY MADHYA PRADESH
GWALIOR, INDIA**



And

**THE AUREL VLAICU UNIVERSITY of ARAD (AVU)
ARAD, ROMANIA**



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**A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ON “ACADEMIC
COLLABORATION” BETWEEN AMITY UNIVERSITY MADHYA
PRADESH, INDIA**

AND

**THE AUREL VLAICU UNIVERSITY of ARAD (AVU)
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AMITY UNIVERSITY MADHYA PRADESH, GWALIOR, INDIA which was established by **RitnandBalved Education Foundation (RBEF)** vide Madhya Pradesh Government Legislature Act of 2010 with the view to promote professional, industry-oriented education in the state of Madhya Pradesh. Amity University Madhya Pradesh, Gwalior Located on a sprawling campus of 102 acres of land opposite Gwalior Airport, imparts modern, practical and research-oriented courses which will lead to the development of professionals who are employable and industry ready. This in turn will drive the socio-economic uplift of the region. Amity imparts education in almost all areas including management, engineering, architecture, biotechnology, law, communication, behavioral science, fine arts, fashion etc. Amity University Madhya Pradesh was adjudged the “Best Private University of Madhya Pradesh” in the year 2014 and Excellent Higher Education University in India 2017 by CMAI Association of India, Best Private University in Madhya Pradesh by Dialogue India Group in the year 2017 & 2018 and has been accredited as “Premier University” by Accreditation Service for International Colleges (ASIC). Hereafter referred to as the “FIRST PARTY”.

And

Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad (AVU) is a public university founded in 1990 in Arad, Romania. It was named in honor of the Romanian engineer and aviation pioneer Aurel Vlaicu. *Aurel Vlaicu University is located in 77 Revolutiei Blvd., Arad*
Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad continues the local tradition of academic education started with the:

- Institute of Theology (1822),
- The Faculty of Livestock and Veterinary Medicine (1947),
- The Institute of Engineering (1972).

Aurel Vlaicu University has developed new study programmes year after year by establishing new faculties which all meet the highest quality standards. **Hereafter referred as the “SECOND PARTY”, in the MoU.**

Presently, the dynamics of study programmes demand, combined with our institutional capabilities, lead to Bachelor study programmes, Master study programmes and a PhD study programmes.



In the interest of establishing a relationship of mutual benefit to both organizations, **Amity University, Madhya Pradesh (AUMP)** and **Aurel Vlaicu University of Arad (AVU)** have agreed to the areas of collaboration on academic and research related activities as mentioned in this MoU.

1. Objectives:

- 1.1. To contribute further to the regional understanding between both countries (Romania and India), both cities (**Arad** and **Gwalior**), and both universities (**AVU** and **AUMP**) through mutual cooperation programs.
- 1.2. To strengthen collaboration between **AVU** and **AUMP** through academic programs in instruction, research and faculty development among the faculty and students of both institutions.
- 1.3. To enhance the international experience of faculty and students.

2. Scope

The Scope of collaboration on academic and research activities in this Memorandum of Understanding includes the following categories:

1. Developing research projects jointly and avail funding;
2. Exchange of academic information, materials and facilities;
3. Students Exchange;
4. Faculty Exchange;
5. Research supervision of Ph.D scholars by both parties.
6. Intellectual property rights of the collaboration work belonging to both parties.
7. Organizing/ participation in Joint symposia, seminars, conferences, workshops etc.;
8. Developing articulations for twinning/joint programs and allowing students to undertake part of the programme/course of study at each institution; and
9. Promoting such other activities/programs as mutually agreed from time to time.

2.1 Developing research projects jointly and avail funding

Both institutions agree to undertake research projects/activities through sharing of research ideas, data and academic resources that can lead to joint publications, development of any product or other intended outcomes like Intellectual property rights/ patents/discoveries generated out of the research activities, belonging to both parties. Such collaboration activities will also include joint research conferences, visitations and sabbaticals at each other's institution; subject to mutual consent of both the parties. Faculty from both Institutions will collaborate in the supervision of joint research in disciplines of mutual interest. All such joint research activities will be governed by the terms and conditions laid out by separate written agreement by both Institutions.

2.2 Exchange of academic information, materials and facilities

Both institutions agree to exchange academic information, facilities, resources etc. as mutually agreed from time to time.

2.3 Students Exchange

2.3.1 Student Exchange Programs

Both institutions agree to develop programs whereby the students of either institution can have the opportunity to study at the other institution with mutual recognition of the credit hours arising there from. It is desired by both institutions that there will be significant flow of students in exchange as reciprocal. Both parties agree to facilitate internship facilities for exchange students as mutually agreed. Pursuant to the specific agreement for academic exchange, Aurel Vlaicu University and Amity University will exchange students according to the terms and conditions laid out by separate written agreement by both Institutions.

2.3.2 Short Courses/ Summer School

These courses, usually two to four weeks in duration, will normally be held in spring or summer as mutually agreed. The programs will facilitate visits by students and faculty to learn about the business environment and culture in the host country. In addition to various topics on business operations and culture, the course would include meetings with business executives, and visits to various industrial and business establishments. The cost and other terms of such programs will be mutually worked out separately each year.

2.4 Faculty Exchange

Both institutions agree to develop opportunities for faculty to teach courses, conduct seminars and undertake such other activities at each other's campus as mutually agreed. Visiting faculty will be provided with opportunities to observe and share teaching methods and curriculum. Aurel Vlaicu University and Amity University will exchange faculty according to the terms and conditions as mutually agreed upon.

2.5 Organizing/ participation in Joint symposia, seminars, conferences, workshops etc.

Both institutions will promote their faculty participation in the conferences, conclaves and seminars organized by each other to strengthen the ties between both the institutions and will also jointly organize symposia, seminars, conferences, workshops and other programs as mutually agreed.

2.6 Developing articulation for twinning/joint programs allowing students to undertake part of the program/course of study at each institution.

Both the institutions agree to work towards the development of joint program offerings and the articulation of various academic credits between the institutions as mutually agreed for various programs/courses which entitles the students to complete a part of the program of study at each institution and will be awarded the respective degree or other respective academic transcripts upon successful completion of requirements as agreed in the separate articulation agreement.

3. Advertising & Publicity

Both the institutions will publicly advertise the collaboration under this MoU among students, staff etc., if agreed by their management. Where reasonably possible, in making advertisements or public announcements in relation to this MoU, each institution shall acknowledge the participation of the other institution and the contribution that other institution has made if any.

4. Commencement, renewal, termination and amendment

This MOU will come into force upon affixing of the signatures of the representatives of the both institutions and will remain in effect for five (5) years. This MOU will be renewed upon its expiry, as per mutual agreement of both Institutions. If either institution wishes to

already initiated or ongoing unless otherwise mutually agreed. This MoU, its renewal and the actions taken under it will be reviewed at any time. Modifications to MoU will be made by mutual consent and any amendment or extension to the MoU will be formalized by the exchange of letters and or emails between the two institutions.

5. Coordinators:

Each institution agrees to appoint an overall Coordinator for the administration of this MOU. The Coordinator will serve as the contact person on campus. These coordinators will ensure smooth flow of communication and would be responsible to ensure that necessary approvals are in place for student/faculty exchange, articulation agreement etc. These coordinators will be responsible to ensure the effectiveness and enforcement MOU. Both Institutions are responsible for keeping their contact details up to date. Contact details and address of the designated coordinators are given hereunder:

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6. Resolution of Disputes and Governing Law:

In the event of any unforeseen issues or matters not covered herein or any controversy, dispute or difference arising out of or in connection with this MoU, the same shall be resolved amicably by both the institutions. This MoU and further agreements will in all respect be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Republic of India.

This MOU shall be signed in counterpart. Each counterpart will constitute an original document and these counterparts taken together, shall constitute one and the same MOU.

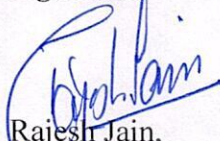
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