



MEMORANDUM OF ACADEMIC COOPERATION

BETWEEN

THE UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

ABN 53 014 069 881

AND

PANJAB UNIVERSITY, INDIA

1 PREAMBLE

Recognising the mutual benefits to be gained through a cooperative program promoting scholarly activities and international understanding, the University of Western Sydney (UWS) and Panjab University (PU), specified above enter into this Memorandum of Academic Cooperation on the terms set out below.

2 PURPOSE

2.1 The purpose of this Memorandum is to provide a framework by which the parties may in future undertake joint activities together, which may include:

- (a) development of collaborative research projects;
- (b) organisation of joint academic and scientific activities, such as courses, conferences, seminars, symposia or lectures;
- (c) exchange of academic staff for teaching and research activities;
- (d) exchange of students to undertake study or participate in research programs; and
- (e) exchange of publications and other information of common interest.

2.2 Cooperative projects under this Agreement may include any of the academic disciplines of the parties.

3 STATUS

- 3.1 This Memorandum does not create any legally binding obligations or rights between the parties.
- 3.2 Any specific arrangements undertaken by the parties will be documented in legally binding agreements.

4 TERM OF THIS MEMORANDUM

- 4.1 This Memorandum commences on the date specified on the last page of this document, and remains in effect for a period of three (3) years from commencement.
- 4.2 The parties may extend or renew this Memorandum by mutual agreement.
- 4.3 Either party may terminate this Memorandum at any time by notifying the other party at least six (6) months in advance of the proposed date of termination.
- 4.4 Termination or expiry of this Memorandum does not affect any legally binding arrangements in effect or continuing following termination or expiry of this Memorandum.

5 COORDINATION OF AGREED ACTIVITIES

- 5.1 In order to carry out and fulfil the aims of this Memorandum, each party will appoint a coordinator, who will be responsible for managing the development and conduct of any activities upon which the parties agree.

6 JOINT ACTIVITIES

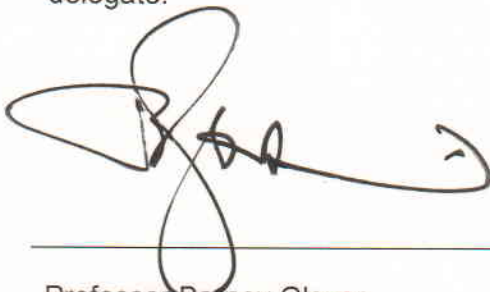
- 6.1 Either party may initiate proposals for activities at any time and submit them to the other party for consideration. If the parties agree to implement any proposal then they will enter into a legally binding agreement incorporating suitable provisions, depending on the nature of the activities agreed.

SIGNATURE PAGE

This Memorandum of Academic Cooperation is dated

2014.

SIGNED for and on behalf of the
UNIVERSITY OF WESTERN SYDNEY
ABN 53 014 069 881 by its authorised
delegate:



Professor Barney Glover

Vice-Chancellor and President

SIGNED for and on behalf of **PANJAB**
UNIVERSITY by its duly authorised officer or
delegate:



Professor Arun Kumar Grover

Vice-Chancellor, Panjab University,
Chandigarh

Witness:

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Date: _____

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