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MEMORANDUM of UNDERSTANDING  
BETWEEN  
The Gokhale Memorial Girls' College  
AND  
Child in Need Institute (CINI)

This memorandum of understanding (henceforth referred to as MoU) made and entered on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2023, by and between

The Gokhale Memorial Girls' College, having its address at 1/1 Harish Mukherjee Road, Kolkata-700020

AND

CHILD IN NEED INSTITUTE, an organization registered under The West Bengal Societies Registration Act XXVI of 1961, having registered office at Daulatpur, Pailan, Kolkata-700104.

The Gokhale Memorial Girls' College and Child in Need Institute henceforth would be referred to as GMGC and CINI, respectively for the sake of brevity and convenience.



Now it is hereby agreed by and between GMGC and CINI hereto that, this MoU is entered between the parties in consideration of establishing the scope of collaboration between the designated members of GMGC and CINI for the development of sustainable knowledge and experience in each unit. The MoU is set for the broad framework of Internship Assignment in the areas of Health, Nutrition, Education, Protection of Children, Adolescents and Women and incorporates the modalities for the collaboration. In the sequel the term "members of faculty" or "faculty members" means identified faculty members of GMGC and working in these and related areas and other technical personnel chosen by the designated members of the aforesaid organizations, specifically for this part.

Whereas, this MoU is meant to be a broad guideline, specific agreements shall be made for joint programmes to be undertaken by the designated members before commencement of a specific project/collaboration/extension/outreach/assignment.

### **OBJECTIVES OF THE MoU**

- ❖ Promotion and enhancement of academic interaction between GMGC and CINI in mutually beneficial areas.
- ❖ In pursuing collaborative activities, the participating designated members of both organizations will agree to respect and abide by the rules and regulations of the respective organizations. The financial liability of each designated member will be on the respective institutions.
- ❖ In pursuing collaborative associations, the students of GMGC may be sent to CINI for various kinds of internship, training and/or experiencing the skills.

### **TECHNICAL AREAS OF COLLABORATION**

- Internship
- Knowledge sharing
- ❖ Work/Research collaborations between the two institutions will be undertaken with appropriate separate written agreements where necessary.
- ❖ Collaborating institutions or their nominees may present important findings arising out of the collaborative efforts covered by this MoU at national and international conferences provided these do not have any sensitivity/intellectual property rights (IPR)/commercial implications.

### **CONFIDENTIALITY**

- ❖ GMGC and CINI agree to hold in strictest confidence all information/data designated by the parties as being confidential which is obtained from either party or created during the



performance of the MoU other than those legally required to be disclosed to a competent authority and not disclose the same to any third party without written consent of the other party during the tenure of the MoU and 10 years thereafter. Failure to maintain confidentiality shall entitle the affected PARTY to terminate the agreement and pursue any available remedies at law.

- ❖ The above confidential clause under this MoU excludes information/data processed by either party before entering into this MoU or independently developed and/or information already available in the public domain.

### **INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHT**

- ❖ GMGC and CINI agree to share and exchange knowledge and intellectual property generated out of the collaborations between the mentioned organizations. Separate agreements shall be entered into for the modalities of sharing the intellectual property rights (IPR).
- ❖ Intellectual property rights generated through scientific/technical collaboration shall be jointly owned. The expenses for obtaining and maintaining the IPR shall be borne equally by GMGC and CINI. The decision whether or not IPR be secured shall be jointly be taken by the heads of each organization.

### **TERM AND TERMINATIONS**

- ❖ Any article of this MoU may be amended or terminated by written agreement excluded jointly by the aforesaid signatory organizations. The amendment/termination shall become effective from the date on which it has been made unless otherwise agreed to.
- ❖ Either party shall have the right to terminate this MoU upon 90 days prior written notice to the other party. (However, the MoU may be valid for 10 years with mutual agreement.)

### **DISPUTE RESOLUTION**

The parties undertake to resolve any disputes arising under or in connection with his MoU amicably by mutual agreement. In case of exigencies, the heads of the organizations may jointly discuss and sort out any disputes, controversies or differences, which shall be binding on both the parties hereto.



**SIGNED IN DUPLICATE**

This MoU is executed in duplicate with each copy being an official version and having equal legal validity. By signing below, the parties, acting by their duly authorized officers, have caused this Memorandum of Undertaking to be executed, effective as of the day and year first above written.

**CONSIDERATION**

The Gokhale Memorial Girls' College (GMGC) shall pay to Child in Need Institute (CINI) an administrative fee for internship amounting to Rs.2000/- only per month per student and Rs.1000/- only per student for up to 2 weeks of internship.

*Sudeep Patil*

Chief Operating Officer  
On Behalf of

For Child in Need Institute

*Sudeep Patil*  
Chief Operating Officer



*Prasanna*

Principal  
On Behalf of

Gokhale Memorial Girls' College

Principal  
Gokhale Memorial Girls' College

15.09.2023

*Maya Borgehi*

Witness:

On behalf of  
Child in Need Institute



*Sanchita Sen* 15/09/2023

Witness:

IQAC, Co-ordinator

On behalf of  
Gokhale Memorial Girls' College

Co-ordinator  
IQAC

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