



### **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

# AGREEMENT OF ACADEMIC COOPERATION Between

J. F. OBERLIN UNIVERSITY, Tokyo, Japan And

# SYMBIOSIS INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY, India

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as the "MOU") is made and executed on this 17 day of March 2017at Pune

#### BETWEEN

J. F. OBERLIN UNIVERSITY having its address at : 3758 Tokiwa- machi, Machida-shi, Tokyo 194-0294 Japan **OF THE FIRST PART** 

#### AND

#### SYMBIOSIS INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

a University established under Section 3 of the UGC Act 1956 and having address at: Symbiosis Knowledge Village, Gram: Lavale, Taluka: Mulshi, District: Pune 411042 (India), for and on behalf of its constituent the Symbiosis Centre for International Education (SCIE), having its campus at: Senapati Bapat Road, Pune 411 004

**Through its Registrar** 

(hereinafter referred to as "SCIE")

... OF THE SECOND PART

(The parties agree that for all practical, implementation and execution purposes, this engagement is for Symbiosis Centre for International Education and hence University hereinafter shall be construed as SCIE)

In order to encourage closer academic ties, Symbiosis International University and J. F. Oberlin University enters into an agreement of cooperation to establish programs of exchange and collaboration in areas of interest and benefit to both institutions. This agreement will serve as a general framework for cooperation between the two universities and is intended to facilitate the development of specific independent programs of collaboration in the areas listed below.

In particular, the two universities agree:

- A. To identify opportunities for exchange of students, faculty and staff;
- B. To establish programs that will enable interested and qualified students to pursue either short-term or extended programs of study in the respective institutions;
- C. To identify other areas of possible interest and collaboration; and
- D. To make faculty and students aware of the academic programs, study opportunities, research institutes, and educational resources of the other institution.

The scope of activities under this agreement shall be determined by the funds regularly available at both institutions for the types of collaboration undertaken and by such other financial assistance as may be obtained by either institution from external sources.

This Agreement is valid for \_\_\_\_\_\_years from the date of signing of this Agreement.

Upon approval by each institution, this agreement shall be in effect until terminated by either institution. Either university may amend, add to, or terminate this agreement with mutual consent of the other institution and must provide at least six months advance notice to the intention to terminate. Termination shall be without penalty.

This agreement and all questions of construction, validity and performance under this Agreement shall be governed by Japanese Law and shall be subject to exclusive jurisdiction of the Japanese Courts, when it relates to exchange program in Japan. Similarly, for exchange students in India all questions of construction validity and performance under this Agreement shall be governed by Indian Law and shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the Indian courts.

## PARTY OF THE FIRST PART

For and on Behalf of

J. F. OBERLIN UNIVERSITY, Tokyo, Japan

PARTY OF THE SECOND PART

On Behalf of Symbiosis International University, India

Dr. Toyoshi Satow

Chancellor

J. F. Oberlin University

Date 17 03 2017

For J. F. OBERLIN UNIVERSITY

Dr Vidya Yeravdekar

**Executive Director** 

Symbiosis Centre for International Education

Date 17 03 2017

For Symbiosis International University

Prof. Dr. Hiroaki Hatayama

Vice President

Date March 17, 2012

Registrar

Dr. M. S. Sheju

Date March 17 2017