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Memorandum of Understanding

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as the “MOU”) is made and executed on this 29th day of April 2015 at Symbiosis Centre for International Education, Pune.

BETWEEN

MACQUARIE UNIVERSITY, SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

ABN 90 952 801 237. A public University established in the State of New South Wales and having its address at: Sydney NSW 2109, Australia

Through its Executive Dean, Faculty of Business and Economics

(hereinafter referred to as “Macquarie”)

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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 : SenapatiBapatRoad,Pune 411 004

Through its Registrar

Dr. S. C. Nerkar

(hereinafter referred to as “SCIE”)

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(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**)

WHEREAS

Macquarie is an Australian Public Research university renowned for its interdisciplinary research and teaching, highly skilled graduates and first-class facilities;

Symbiosis Centre for International Education (SCIE) is a constituent of Symbiosis International University and is engaged in providing leadership and support to internationalize the campus and the curricula. International students from over 85 countries pursue their undergraduate and postgraduate studies at Symbiosis and SCIE aims to provide the Students and faculty with opportunities to pursue their international academic interests to the fullest, be it through academic exchanges, or exposure to international conferences, seminars, workshops, and other resources;

The parties desired to enhance relations between them by developing academic and cultural interchange in teaching, research and other programs and activities;

Accordingly, based on discussions between the parties, the Terms and Conditions of this Memorandum of Understanding are outlined as under:

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Purpose of memorandum

The two institutions party to this memorandum seek to enhance relations between them by developing academic and cultural interchange in teaching, research and other programs and activities. Within the framework of the regulations and policies applying to and in each institution, and subject to the availability of resources, the following programs and activities will be encouraged:

- a) exchange of staff
- b) joint research activities
- c) joint conferences and other academic meetings
- d) exchange of academic materials and information
- e) exchange of students

Formal agreements to be negotiated

Before any program or activity referred to in this memorandum is implemented, the parties will enter into a binding and formal written agreement or agreements with each other. Each written agreement will detail the specific form and content of the program or activities and will cover the rights and responsibilities of each institution.

Non-binding memorandum

This memorandum is not intended to create binding legal obligations for either party. It serves only as a record of the parties' current intentions.

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Visas and Costs

a) All visits of staff and the admission of students will be subject to compliance with entry and visa requirements of the two countries involved and with the requirements and policies of the two institutions.

b) Each party acknowledges that in the absence of any specific agreement to the contrary all expenses, salary, travel, living and allied costs will be determined at the discretion, and will be the responsibility of, the visitor's home institution.

Other projects

The terms of this memorandum do not preclude:

a) the two parties developing future collaborative projects not referred to in this memorandum; or

b) the development of other collaborative projects between either party and a third party.

Term of memorandum

a) This memorandum takes effect on the date of last signature and will cease to have effect:

i) five years after that date; or

ii) immediately if either party informs the other in writing that they no longer wish to be party to the memorandum.

b) The five year term referred to in clause 6a)(i) may be extended by the mutual written consent of the parties.



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On behalf of Macquarie University

On behalf of Symbiosis International University

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Professor Mark Gabbott

Dr. Vidya Yeravdekar

Executive Dean,

Executive Director,

Faculty of Business and Economics

Symbiosis Centre for International Education

Date: *29 April 2015*

Date: *29th April 2015.*

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For Symbiosis International University

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Dr. S. C Nerkar,

Registrar,

Date: *29/04/15*