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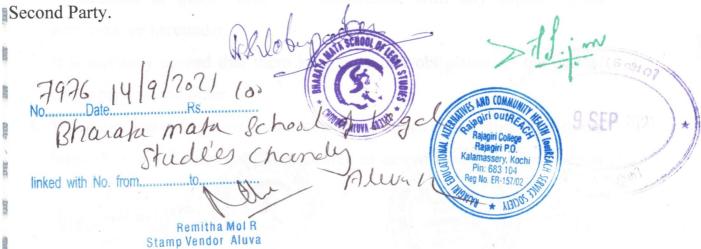
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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This MOU is made on this day, the 1st day of June 2022, between **Bharata Mata** School of Legal Studies (BSOLS), having its office at Aluva, Choondy, Kerala, represented by the Director, Rev. Fr. Sebastian Vadakumpadan for the first party, hereinafter referred to as the First Party.

And

Rajagiri outREACH, Rajagiri College of Social Sciences (Autonomous)
having its office in Kalamassery, Ernakulam district, Kerala, represented by its
Secretary, Saju M.D PhD for the second party, hereinafter referred to as the
Second Party.



Purpose of agreement

The purpose of this Memorandum is to develop academic and educational cooperation. It is in the highest interest of both institutions to develop reciprocally beneficial programs for their institutions, students and staff within the framework of this Memorandum.

Areas of co-operation

Both institutions agree to foster partnership under the domains of academics (teaching and learning), research and community engagement with a special focus on 'Social work'.

The following are the broad areas envisaged for collaboration

- Joint educational activities
- Joint lectures, symposia, conferences and workshops
- Student, academic and administrative exposures
- Internship
- Exchange of academic resources
- Collaborative researches

Whereas the parties mutually agree as follows

- 1. Neither party shall discriminate against any person by reason of race, colour, gender, age, religion, disability, veteran's status, sexual orientation or national or ethnic origin in connection with any aspect of its performance hereunder.
- 2. It is mutually agreed that there is no financial obligation on the part of either party to the other.
- 3. When circumstances warrant withdrawal or removal of a student from the Internship, the parties with confer to determine appropriate action

deemed to be in the best interests of the student and the parties. Either party reserves the right to withdraw/remove a student from an internship for good cause, unrestrictedly including if the student violates any substantive policy, rule or regulation of the second party duly communicated to the student.

- 4. It is mutually agreed that the second party shall not be responsible for furnishing room and board to the student.
- 5. The first party will designate a faculty member liaison to work with the second party.
- 6. The first party is responsible for the education and academic evaluation of the student and for monitoring the student's learning experiences.
- 7. The first party shall require its students to agree to follow all reasonable policies, rules and regulations of second party during the Internship of which the students are given prior notice.
- 8. The first party shall ensure its students to follow the Prevention of Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA) policy of the Second party during their tenure of internship
- 9. The first party shall ensure its students to follow the Child Protection policy of Rajagiri outREACH the second party during their internship

Duration and renewal of agreement.

This Memorandum of Understanding shall become effective immediately after being signed by representatives of both institutions, for a period of 1 year and is subject to revision or modification by mutual agreement. It may be extended further by the mutual consent of both the parties.

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Termination of Agreement

This agreement may be terminated at any time during its operation by either party upon written notice to the other no later than 90 days before the termination date. Termination shall not affect the completion of any program or activities underway at the time the notice of termination is given.

Sd/- This day of the 1st day of June, 2022.

For the first party

Fr. Sebastian Vadakumpadan

Executive Director

Bharata Mata School of Legal Studies, Choondy, Aluva

For the second party

Saju M.D PhD Secretary, Rajagiri outREACH Rajagiri College of Social Sciences Kalamassery, Kochi