

# **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

**BETWEEN**

**Uttaranchal University,**

**India**

**&**

**Sul Ross State University,**

**The United States of America**

**This Memorandum of Understanding is made on the 06 day of February, 2019.**

Between:

**Uttaranchal University  
Arcadia Grant, PO-Chandanwari,  
Premnagar, Dhradun-248007  
Uttarakhand, India**

**Sul Ross State University  
East US Highway 90  
Alpine, TX 79832  
United States of America**

**Uttaranchal University** ("hereinafter refer as **UU**") and **Sul Ross State University** ("hereinafter refer as **SRSU**") have agreed to establish a close working relationship base on mutual-benefit principal, and for purposes more particularly set forth herein, and hereby recorded their intentions.

1. Both parties hereby agree to sign and carry out this Memorandum of Understanding with the following contents:

1.1 The parties will work together to develop and foster a collaborative relationship through different areas of potential mutual interest.

1.2 The parties may consider areas of potential mutual interest, including but not restricted to the following:

1.2.1 Credit transfer or Articulation arrangement for students of **UU** to continue studies to **SRSU** and vice versa.

1.2.2 Short-term study abroad and summer programs.

1.2.3 Opportunity for students and/or staff exchange arrangement

1.2.4 General academic cooperation and provision of any other services as may require from time to time to be identified by the both parties and in which either party has expertise

## **2. COLLABORATIVE ARRANGEMENT**

To facilitate the collaboration between the parties, the parties anticipate such arrangements, including but not limited to the following:

2.1 Discussions will be held to update both parties on current project, development plans, opportunities for collaborative activities and areas of common interest. Due to potential travel constraints of both parties, meetings may be conducted via phone, video conferencing or other suitable media as agreed between the parties.

2.2 Both parties will engage in dialogue with a view to creating mutual pathways and transfer of credit arrangements for programs of mutual interest.

2.3 The details of any specific joint activities arising as a result of further discussions pursuant to this Memorandum of Understanding will be set forth in a definitive agreement, the terms of which are to be agreed upon by the parties and to be signed at the relevant time by the parties.

**3. FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS**

Both parties will discuss to reach an agreement on the funding and financial reimbursement which may result from the co-operation contemplated in the execution of the collaborative arrangements which are mutually beneficial to both parties.

**4. COSTS**

Each party shall be responsible for its own costs incurred in pursuing to and under this Memorandum of Understanding, including but not limited to such costs and expenses incurred in developing and negotiating a formal definitive agreement.

**5. NON-BINDING**

The parties agree that this Memorandum of Understanding shall not serve as a legally binding document. It is merely to express the intent between the parties hereto.

**6. COMMENCEMENT AND TERMINATION**

This Memorandum of Understanding shall commence on the date of signing and shall operate for **FIVE (5) years** unless either party has given the other not less than **ONE (1) month** notice in writing of its intention to terminate this Memorandum of Understanding or until a formal definitive agreement supersedes this Memorandum of Understanding, whichever is earlier. Any announcements proposed to be made by any party in respect to the arrangement described herein, this Memorandum of Understanding or the negotiations pertaining thereto, shall only be made after the prior written consultation with the other party.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have hereunto executed this Memorandum of Understanding on the date and year first written above.

SIGNED for and on behalf of  
**Uttaranchal University**

SIGNED for and on behalf of  
**Sul Ross State University**

Signature:.....  
DATE..... 6.02.2019  
Prof. (Dr.) N.K. Joshi  
Vice Chancellor  
Uttaranchal University

Signature:.....  
DATE: 2/21/2019

Name: Prof (DR.) N.K. Joshi

Name: Dr. Bill Kibler

Position: Vice Chancellor

Position: President

