# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

#### **BETWEEN**



# Malaviya National Institute of Technology, Jaipur

JawaharLal Nehru Marg, Jhalana Gram, Malviya Nagar, Jaipur, Rajasthan 302017 www.mnit.ac.in

## AND



## THINK INDIA

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**THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING** is made and entered into at Jaipur on this \_\_\_\_ day of August, 2017;

## BY AND BETWEEN

Malaviya National Institute of Technology, Jaipur (MNIT, Jaipur) an educational institute having its campus at JawaharLal Nehru Marg, Jhalana Gram, Malviya Nagar, Jaipur, Rajasthan 302017 through its Director Dr.Udaykumar Yaragatti, hereinafter referred to as "THE FIRST PARTY" (which expression unless repugnant to the context shall mean and include its successors in interest, executors, administrators and permitted assigns etc.);

#### AND

**THINK INDIA**, a national forum of students, alumni and faculties of premier institutes of national importance having its head office at Yuvashakti, 55, 1st Main Road, Seshadripuram Bangalore 560020 through Mr. Pratik Mor, Convener, Think India, Rajasthan, hereinafter referred to as "**THE SECOND PARTY**" (which expression unless repugnant to the context shall mean and include its successors in interest, executors, administrators and permitted assigns etc.).

## WHEREAS:

- 1. **Malaviya National Institute of Technology, Jaipur** was established in 1963 with the name as Malaviya Regional Engineering College, Jaipur as a joint venture of the Government of India and the Government of Rajasthan, Subsequently; on June 26, 2002 the college has been given the status of National Institute of Technology and on 15 August 2007, Proclaimed Institute of National Importance through Act of Parliament. The Institute is fully funded by Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD), Government of India.
- MNIT's vision is to create a centre for imparting technical education of international standards and conduct research at the cutting edge of technology to meet the current and future challenges of technological development.
- 3. MNIT's mission is to create technical manpower for meeting the current and future demands of industry: To recognize education and research in close interaction with industry with emphasis on the development of leadership qualities in the young men and women entering the portals of

the Institute with sensitivity to social development and eye for opportunities for growth in the international perspective.

- 4. 'Think India' initiated in 2006 by students of IISc, IIMB & Professional Institutes of Bengaluru. The idea of Think India came into reality with the organization of the maiden Think India convention in 2007 at the Art of Living Ashram, Bengaluru. It is a national forum of students, alumni and faculties of premier institutes of national importance students, alumni and faculties from premier national institutes i.e. IITs, IIMs, IISc, National Law Universities, NITsand other such premier institutes in the various field of academia across India. Think India is an initiative to bring the best talent from the finest institutions with a broader agenda to generate ideas and views of nationalistic fervor and also to instigate young minds to shoulder their role in the nation building process.
- 5. The Objectives of the Think India had been spelled out in the Think India Bengaluru Declaration, Adopted on the occasion of the First Think India Convention held at Art of Living ashram, Bengaluru on the 13th day of January 2007 as below;-

"Think, design and develop sustainable development strategies for underdeveloped and rural Bharat,

Think and act to meet the environmental, cultural and security needs of Bharat and the World.

Motivate and support the initiatives of the organizations and individuals to inculcate India-centric action, propagation and implementation of thought and designs,

Initiate and sustain India-centric thoughts and activities in campus and among intelligentsia,

Denounce, in thought and action, all forms of terrorism, illegitimate interference in religious and cultural matters and any forces and design, working against our national interest,

Actively oppose any sectarian and narrow-minded activities of fissiparous tendencies and engage ourselves to promote social harmony in every possible way,

Support and uphold the concept of gender justice and promote family values, the unique contribution of Bharat to the world civilization."

- 6. Since 2011, Think India organizes flagship annual national conference. It runs a nationwide social Internship Program called 'Anubhooti' where students from premier institutes intern in leading sewa organizationsin different parts of India. It also organizes various campus events to aware, generate and gather mandate of the intellectual student community over social, economic and political issueshavingnational and international significance. It also organizes various other internship programs called, Vidhi, Niti etc.
- 7. Think India organizes various activities as below.
  - Interactive groups organizing discussions or Sewa activities on campus.
  - Organizing Talks on Social, Developmental and of India's concern on campus.
  - Organizing Fellowship / Internship with Sewa organizations.
  - Organizing flagship Conferences, Workshop or Seminar for Premier Institutes' community to share their ideas.
- 8. In 2017 Think India has started 3 other internships program for different streams like 'Vidhi' for Law and humanities students, 'Niti' is open for all and basically deals in policy formation and last one is the 'Diksha' which deal with technical students.

This partnership is important because MNIT-Jaipur and Think India intend to be associated with each other and to work together to inculcate ethics & society centric thought in students through its activities.

NOW THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITNESSETH AND IT IS HEREBY MUTUALLY AGREED BY AND BETWEEN BOTH THE PARTIES AS FOLLOWS TO PROMOTE ACADEMIC AND SOCIAL EXCHANGES AND COOPERATION ON LEADERSHIP.

- 9. Think India in cooperation with the MNIT Jaipur seeks to undertake the following events / activities:
  - a) Organize interactive group discussions or *Sewa* activities on campus as well as off campus.

- b) Organize debates and talks on issues of national and international importance pertaining to social, economic, developmental concern.
- c) To facilitate guests (real life role model) to deliver lectures on issues concerning the society at large.
- d) Organize Fellowship/Internship programs with various Sewa organizations.
- e) Organize flagship Conferences, Workshop and Seminar.
- f) To encourage participation of the students and faculty members in social cum academic activities which concerns today's society.
- g) To form a Study Circle to discuss the issues among students and faculties on current topics which affect the society as well as to invite any eminent guest speaker.
- h) Adoption of a village near institution to spread awareness through organizing medical camp and adopting tree plantation activity.
- 10. The MNIT Jaipur shall make every endeavor to provide assistance, infrastructural facilities and cooperation for the successful implementation of the events and activities and shall do the followings:
  - a) Allow and permit Think India to organize the events / activities in campus and off campus.
  - b) Allow and permit at least two representatives of Think India to attend and participate in the seminars, conference, debates, workshop or symposium for free.
  - c) Receive the Token of Appreciation either from MNIT Jaipur or the Government of India for your works in encouraging participation of students in social activities.
  - d) Grant permission(s), provide infrastructural facilities and cooperation to Think India in organizing the events / activities in the campus.
  - e) Allow, permit and encourage students and faculties to positively participate as well as take part in organizing the events / activities to be undertaken by Think India.
  - f) Acknowledge Think India as partner for any event to be organised in collaboration with the students.
  - g) To provide us a list of organizations, this will help us in achieving our mutual goals and objectives.
  - h) MNIT Jaipur will registered Think India as a formal society or club in their institution.

## 11. Reporting:-

Atleast two representatives of the Think India and two representative members from MNIT Jaipur will mutually evaluate the effectiveness and adherence to this Memorandum of Understanding.

# 12. Funding:-

All the expenses to conduct the events / activities in the campus will be borne by the institute itself in coordination with the Think India.

# 13. Duration:-

This MOU is at-will and may be amended by mutual consent of authorized representative of MNIT Jaipur and Think India. This MOU shall become effective upon signature and will remain in force until modified or terminated by both the parties through written mutual consent.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF THE PARTIES HERETO HAVE HEREUNTO SET AND SUBSCRIBED THEIR RESPECTIVE HANDS TO THESE PRESENTS ON THE DAY MONTH AND YEAR FIRST HEREINABOVE WRITTEN.

FOR Malaviya National Institute Of Technology, Jaipur

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