





This Memorandum of Understanding

made on the 29th day of September in the year 2020

between

University of Lucknow, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh, established under the Uttar Pradesh Act, located at University Road, Babuganj, Hasanganj, Lucknow 226 007, Uttar Pradesh State, INDIA – (hereinafter referred to as 'UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW'), which expression shall, unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof, mean and include its successors, executors, administrators and assigns, on the First Part

and

Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Education, Government of India and having its registered office at Shakkar Bhavan, Fateh Maidan Road, Basheerbagh, Hyderabad (hereinafter referred to as MGNCRE), which expression shall, unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof, mean and include its successors, on the Second Part, witnesses as follows.

WHEREAS MGNCREis interested in entering into Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with well-established academic and Research and Development set upto explore, extend and strengthen mutual relationship for promotion of professional education in rural management by sharing the facilities and expertise available with each of them,

and

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WHEREAS UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW is interested in offering professional academic programmes in rural management both at the undergraduate and the post-graduate level for promotion of rural development and capacity building,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS AGREED TO BETWEEN THE PARTIES ABOVE NAMED AS FOLLOWS.

- 1. Rights and responsibilities of MGNCRE
 - (a) Providing the course curriculum developed by the institute to UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW;
 - (b) Providing the online course content to the students and faculty members of UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW;
 - (c) Allowing the students of UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW to participate in workshops and the faculty members of UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW to participate in Faculty Development Programmes (FDPs) organised by MGNCRE;
 - (d) Providing the opportunities of industry-academic meet to the students and faculty members of UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW;
 - (e) Helping UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW in arranging field study, summer internship and final placement for their rural management students; and
 - (f) Displaying this MoU and the Logo of UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW on the MGNCRE website.
 - MGNCRE agrees that all the above services will be provided to UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW free of charges.
 - 3. Rights and responsibilities of UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW
 - (a) Introducing rural management programmes/courses at the Bachelor's and Master's level in the university;

- (b) Promoting the BBA, MBA programs/courses;
- (c) Utilizing the course content and curriculum developed by MGNCRE;
- (d) Participating in workshops and FDPs organized by the MGNCRE free of cost; and
- (e) Associating with FPCs, Other organizations for extending professional help and facilitating the students with internship, apprenticeship.
- (f) Displaying this MoU and the Logo of MGNCRE on the UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW website, advertisements and other campaign/publicity material.
- 4. Both the Parties seek to enhance relations and recognise the benefits to be derived from increased mutual collaboration, cooperation and interaction for further promotion.
- 5. On behalf of the First Party, Prof. Sanjay Medhavi, Director CPC, UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW will be the point of contact for further correspondence and coordination.
- 6. On behalf of the Second Party, Prof. Chethan Babu Chittalkar, Director, Rural Management Programme will be the point of contact for further correspondence and coordination.
- 7. This Memorandum of Understanding shall enter into force only solely on the basis of goodwill only and shall never be not be legally bound nor financially binded.
- 8. The MoU is valid for a period of five years from the date of execution and may be renewed for any other period as shall be mutually agreed to between the parties.
- 9. If either Party does not wish to continue this MoU, then such Party shall provide the other Party of its intention to terminate this MoU by giving 3 (three) months' notice in writing. However, both the parties agree that for consistency of the MoU, the

activities implemented before the termination of the Understanding shall be completed even after termination of the MoU.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF both the parties have subscribed their respective hands and seals on the date first above written.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of witnesses

For UNIVERSITY OF LUCKNOW, Lucknow, For Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Uttar Pradesh State

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(Prof. Dr. Alok Kumar Rai) Vice Chancellor, University of Lucknow, Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh State

(Dr. W G Prasanna Kumar) Chairman, MGNCRE, MoE, Govt of India

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(Sanjay Medhavi) Director CPC University of hucknow

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Chethan Chittalkar, MGNCRE, Govt of India