Memorandum of Understanding

Between



The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda Vadodara, Gujarat, India

And



Saskatchewan Institute of Applied Science and Technology Saskatchewan, Canada

The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda in the City of Baroda, Gujarat State, India, here after referred to as MSU and the Saskatchewan Institute of Applied Science and Technology in Canada, hereafter referred to as SIAST in the confident expectation of co-operation between respective institutions in education and training, and in the collaboration of international offices and business faculties have agreed to cooperate in delivering year one SIAST programs in India and have students attend year two in Canada, based on the following terms:

The Saskatchewan Institute of Applied Science and Technology (SIAST) is a Saskatchewan Government Corporation under the Saskatchewan Justice Ministry's Corporations Branch Corporate Registry, Entity Number 101026257 empowered by the SIAST ACT (1996) of the Government of Saskatchewan. A Polytechnic educational institution, SIAST is a member of Polytechnics Canada and the Association of Canadian Community Colleges. SIAST offers over 160 Applied certificates, Certificate, Diploma and Degree Programs.

1. Delivery of SIAST Programs in India

SIAST and MSU agree based on the successful feasibility study conducted by the SIAST Business Administration program head in cooperation with the Bachelor of Business Administration [BBA] Program on the MSU campus during September 23 to 25, 2013 of the potential for the delivery of SIAST programs at BBA MSU. If implemented the program would be delivered by MSU with support from SIAST, but designed, monitored and certified by SIAST. SIAST is the awarding bodies under contractual agreement to have the MSU business faculty deliver the SIAST Business Certificate Program to a cohort of upto 70 students. SIAST and MSU reserve the right to deliver future SIAST programs based upon the success of the BCP delivery.

2. 1+1 Model

Graduates of the SIAST designed MSU delivered BCP in India – once meeting SIAST academic and language entrance requirements – can complete year two of the Business diploma in Accountancy, Administration, Financial Services, Human Resources, Insurance, and Marketing at SIAST Palliser campus. The final decision for acceptance into a diploma program and specific program area for year two is to be determined by SIAST. Graduates of the Business diploma program at SIAST in Canada benefit from successful performance under SIAST articulation agreements with outside universities to complete select undergraduate programs.

3. Citizenship and Immigration

Graduating students from the SIAST BCP delivery at MSU are subject to the rules and regulations of Citizenship and Immigration Canada (CIC) in order to successfully gain a student visa to Canada.

4. Financial Obligations

No financial obligation shall be imposed upon either institution through this Memorandum of Understanding. Program delivery and other related matters shall be discussed and determined according to the principle of mutual equality. These terms and conditions would be formalized in a contract between SIAST and MSU.

7. Duration and Termination

This Memorandum of Understanding will take effect immediately upon its signing. It will cover a 01-year period from the date of signing, and its purpose is that the parties will enter into an agreement regarding the above terms. If no agreement has entered into force within this period, the Memorandum of Understanding will no longer be in effect.

Any amendment and additions will be subject to changes upon mutual consent.

The following representatives are signatory to this MOU on September 27, 2013 at the MSU Head Office, who are duly authorized to sign such document.

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