

PREAMBLE

The Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati (hereinafter referred to as IITG) and National Institute of Technology Silchar (hereinafter referred to as NITS), collectively referred to as the "Institutions", are ready to establish a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for Academic Tie-up regarding the Ph.D. programme of NITS. NITS requested IITG to initiate a special programme to help its faculty members to obtain Ph.D. Degrees, as at present facilities for guiding research at NITS is not sufficient. IITG has an obligation to help the National Institute of Technologies of the region in their pursuit to become internationally recognized Institutes of learning.

DECLARATION

This Memorandum of Understanding sets forth arrangements by the undersigned signatories ("Institutions"), to establish an Academic Tie-up for linkage for the Ph.D. programme of NITS.

WHEREAS, Institutions have agreed to associate themselves with the aim of promoting academic cooperation for mutual interest,

THEREFORE, Institutions agree to the following:

1. Faculty members from NIT Silchar deputed by their administration may be allowed to take for credit courses being taught at IIT Guwahati. The courses so credited will be accepted as meeting the course requirements of NIT Silchar of their Ph.D. programme.
2. Such students will not have to pay tuition fees at IIT Guwahati for the courses they credit.
3. They may be allowed to stay in the hostels during the period of course work, paying appropriate hostel fees. The faculty members of IIT Guwahati may be allowed to become Guide/Co-guide of such students on a case to case basis by the Chairman, Senate, IIT Guwahati.
4. Such Ph.D. students will be students of NIT Silchar, and NIT Silchar will award them Ph.D. Degrees.

For the Indian Institute of Technology
Guwahati



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Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati

Date: 19/10/2005

Witness:


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For the National Institute of Technology
Silchar



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