



## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

### Between

St. John's College, Anchal, (hereinafter referred to as 'FIRST PARTY') AND Mar Athanasios College For Advanced Studies Tiruvalla (MACFAST), Pathanamthitta, Kerala, India. Pin-689 101 (Hereinafter referred to as 'SECOND PARTY')

('FIRST PARTY' and 'SECOND PARTY' are hereinafter jointly referred to as 'PARTIES' and individual as 'PARTY')

### PURPOSE

The purpose of this agreement is to promote cooperation in education and scientific research between the **FIRST PARTY** and the **SECOND PARTY**.

### TYPES OF COOPERATION

Through this memorandum, **PARTIES** affirm the value of mutual collaboration and agree to promote the following activities:

1. Joint research projects in the fields of mutual interests;
2. Exchange of academic publications and reports;
3. Opportunities for faculty and staff development and exchange;
4. Conduct of joint seminars, workshops and conferences;
5. Other activities as mutually agreed.

This Agreement places no financial obligations or supplementary funding commitments on either **PARTY**. These activities will be defined through separate program agreements that detail the commitment of resources (financial or otherwise) required by each Institution. Subsequent program agreements must be approved in writing by the authorized representatives of each institution.

### TERMS

This agreement will become operational w.e.f. the date of signature by both **PARTIES**. It shall remain valid for three years from the date of the last signature, with the understanding that it may be modified by the written mutual consent of both **PARTIES**. This Agreement may be terminated by either **PARTY** with prior written notice of at least thirty (30) days. Upon notice of termination, both **FIRST PARTY** and



**SECOND PARTY** agree to work in good faith to enable visiting scholars to complete their on-going research programs unhindered by the termination. The agreement may be extended by mutual consent of the two **PARTIES** after five years, and it must be renewed in writing. This Memorandum of Understanding in English is hereby signed in two (2) copies with one (1) copy remaining in the possession of each **PARTY**.

FOR THE **FIRST PARTY**

  
PRINCIPAL  
St. John's College  
Anchal - 691306

Date: 02-01-2020

Witness:

SASI THOMAS





FOR THE **SECOND PARTY**

  
Fr. Dr. CHERIAN J KOTTAYIL  
PRINCIPAL  
Mar Athanasios College For Advanced Studies  
Tiruvalla- 689101, Kerala

Date: 02-01-2020

Witness:

Pravin Raj

