

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)  
AND MEMORANDUM OF ACTIVITIES (MOA)

Between

Kavikulaguru Kalidas Sanskrit University, Ramtek, Nagpur

And

Yoga-Samskrutham University, Florida, USA

This agreement is entered in to on this the <sup>5<sup>th</sup></sup> Day of December 2018

**Whereas: -**

Kavikulaguru Kalidas Sanskrit University, Ramtek, Nagpur (hereinafter referred to as KKSU) has been formed exclusively for the development of Sanskrit language. Sanskrit has a glorious, scientific, literary, cultural tradition and heritage. Its contribution in the area of prose, poetry, drama, dance, sculpture, paintings, fine arts, medicines, philosophy and other allied areas is far more extensive and lasting than has been realized by the Indian scholars till today.

Kavikulaguru Kalidas Sanskrit University was established at Ramtek on 18<sup>th</sup> September 1997 by the inspiration of former Prime Minister of India, Hon'ble Shri P.V. Narasimha Rao.

The common vision of this University is to-

- Develop study in all related fields Encourage and strengthen research prospects
- Establish International Linkage and Collaboration through various programs.
- The University desires to enter into MOUs with other academic institutions including Non-Government Organizations in India and other countries etc. to be a World Class University for Study, Teaching and Research of Sanskrit and Sanskrit Literature, endangered Indian scripts used for writing Sanskrit Language. to develop International and national collaborations with educational institutes for promoting and propagating Indian traditions, culture and ancient wisdom, conducting workshops,



consultancies, retreats, sessions relating, training etc. relating to Yoga, Modern application of learnings from Vedas, Mahabharata, Chanakyanithi, Ramayana etc., to be Recognized as Centre of Excellence for Research around Sastras, Vedanta, Alamkara, Vedas, Puranas etc.

**And Whereas: -**

Yoga-Samskrutham University, Florida, USA (hereinafter referred to as YSAM), **currently located at** 1990, Main Street, Suite 750, Sarasota, FLORIDA — 34236, U.S.A. is an incorporated Institution of Higher Education enterprise at Florida, under American Education Provisions, Represented by: **Dr. B V Venkatakrishna Sastry, President and Chair / Chief Vision Officer**, referred as Y.S.A.M,

YSAM is established and functioning as an Institution of higher education in the areas of Yoga, Samskrutham and Languages, and has obtained necessary approvals by competent authorities as on 27 Sept 2011, the University is authorized by Commission of Independent Education to function as a degree granting institution under the provisions of Florida Statute 1005.06(1)(f) and award Higher educational degrees in the areas of Yoga, Samskrutham and Languages, the higher education activities of the University is aimed for the implementation of vision:- Fostering Yoga-Samskrutham -Language Excellence; which translates in to the design of higher education programs aimed to uplift the quality of traditional education and practices in the areas of Yoga-Samskrutham Languages and recognize, reward and award excellence related to Vedic Sciences, Vedanga Jyotoisha, Vastu, Ayurveda, All Texts and Languages and connected Practicing Traditions Professions and services, as a part of Search- Research Outreach efforts to promote Yoga directive from Shrimad Bhagavad-Gita: '*Tasmat Yogi Bhava*' (6-46)-*Therefore, Thou shall strive to Become a Yoga Professional and Promote Yoga-Excellence*' through appropriate means to facilitate everyone to be a Healthy, Ethical, Cultured, Spiritual Citizen, promoting Yoga traditions referred to as Vedic Science for Purushartha and Paramartha Yogas through integration of , Vyasa and Dasa Sampradayas, And more specifically the YSAM has special interest in promoting the development of Samskrutham- the heritage language of Vedic yoga Traditions, and promote search-research and outreach of. Samskrutham to bring out the glorious, scientific, literary, cultural tradition and heritage, and works for the



implementation of vision: - **Vision statement:** Fostering Yoga-Samskrutham -Language Excellence,

**Whereas: -**

Both Parties and their representatives have arrived at an arrangement for mutual co operation, which is being formalized by this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) and Memorandum of Activities(MOA). Both parties agree that the encouragement and development of cooperation and exchange in all areas of mutual academic interest is desirable. Both parties therefore wish to expand the basis of friendship and cooperative education exchange and have set forth the following agreement.

**ARTICLE 1**

The purpose of this agreement includes, but is not limited to, the following:

1. Organization of joint academic and scientific activities, such as courses, conferences, seminars, symposia or lectures.
2. Exchange of staff and/or students.
3. Exchange of materials and publications of common interest.

Co-operative projects ensuant from this agreement may include any of the academic disciplines represented at -----annexure I.

**ARTICLE 2**

Themes of joint activities and conditions for utilizing the results achieved, as well as arrangements for visits, exchanges, and other forms of cooperation will be further discussed and developed mutually for each specific case. All financial arrangements will be negotiated on a case-by-case basis.

In order to carry out and fulfil the goals of this agreement both parties will appoint co ordinators for the development and management of joint activities. Through these



contact persons, either party may initiate proposals for activities under this agreement. Specific details will be set forth in a letter of agreement which will form part of this general arrangement following signature by the appropriate authorities of both parties.

**A letter of agreement will include such items as:**

1. Elaboration of the responsibilities of each institution for the agreed upon activity.
2. Schedules for the specific activity.
3. Budgets and sources of financing for each activity.
4. Any other items deemed necessary for the efficient management of the activity.

The contact persons will be responsible for the evaluation of activities under this agreement according to the practices of the respective parties. Letters of agreement will be approved by both sides according to the normal procedures adopted by the signatory party.

**ARTICLE 3**

This agreement shall be governed by the laws of the country where the cause of action arises and the laws of such country will be applicable and the agreement is subject to the jurisdiction of the courts of the respective country.

**ARTICLE 4**

- This agreement shall be valid for Five (5) years from the date of signing. It shall be reviewed by both parties six (6) months prior to expiry and may be renewed for a further term by mutual agreement.
- This agreement may be terminated by either party at any time provided that the terminating party gives a minimum of six (6) months' notice in writing at the addresses mentioned above.
- As witness to their consent to this agreement, the appropriate authorities hereunto provide their signatures.

**ARTICLE 5**

Any intellectual property right generated shall be vested in the parties and there shall be no third party interest for the same.

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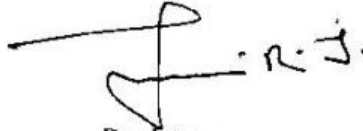
**ARTICLE 5 A**

If any new partners / collaborators are interested in joining the above programs appreciating the above framework and intentions of collaboration, and approach either / both parties for joining hands, the same shall be considered as an extension and expanded activity covered under this MOU terms, subject to other legalities and policy matters.

**ARTICLE 6**

Budgetary requirements, /provisions for the manpower and other related coordination/program activities including travel (local & Outside) will be jointly drawn by YSAM and KKSU in consultation with each other. Joint applications for generating financial requirements will be moved to funding agencies (Govt. public / University resources/donors etc.). Provisions for generating funds through registration fees etc. will also be considered by both parties as per requirements for running the course.

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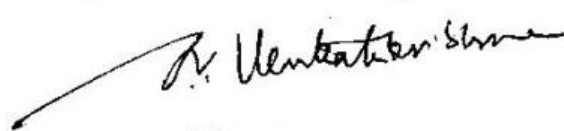
Registrar  
Registrar

K. K. Sanskrit University  
Ramtek Dist. Nagpur

Date:

Witness

Yoga Samskrutham University, Florida



Director

*Sastri*

## Annexure 1

Following activities will be promoted:

1. Promotion of Sanskrit, Shastras, Yoga, Jyotisha, Vastu etc. through workshops, conferences (national & International) certificate courses, proficiency courses etc.
2. Opening of distance learning certificate courses in other cities as may be mutually agreed to by KSSU & YASM
2. Content creation and digitization of resources.
3. Research on rare scripts and related areas like survey of existing resources and interest groups.
4. Exchange of resource persons, research scholars and students
5. Exchange of information and materials in those fields which are of interest to both parties.
6. Activities such as collaborative research, lectures, and symposia.
7. Recognize and award appropriate honorary recognitions for non-academic supporters and contributors to the promotion of above cause.
8. Curriculum development for school level upwards

