

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between



**GOVERNMENT DEGREE
COLLEGE**

SOPORE, JAMMU & KASHMIR

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**POONA COLLEGE OF ARTS,
SCIENCE AND COMMERCE
CAMP, PUNE, MAHARASHTRA**

Government Degree College, Sopore, Jammu & Kashmir and **Poona College of Arts, Science And Commerce, Pune, Maharashtra** recognize their strengths in research and education in one or more disciplines of Department of Chemistry and their mutual interest in engaging themselves in academic cooperation.

Government Degree College, Sopore, Jammu & Kashmir and **Poona College Of Arts, Science And Commerce Pune, Maharashtra** therefore agree to establish a program for academic cooperation in the areas of mutual interest, and in accordance with terms and conditions set forth in this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU).

A. OBJECTIVES

The goal is to foster collaboration, provide opportunity for global experience and to facilitate advancement of knowledge on the basis of reciprocity, best effort, mutual benefit, and frequent interactions. Government Degree College, Sopore, Jammu & Kashmir and Poona College of Arts, Science and Commerce Pune, Maharashtra agree:

- a) To exchange information on research and educational programs.
- b) To exchange information on teaching, learning material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programs.
- c) To jointly organize short-term continuing education programs on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.
- d) To jointly organize seminars, conferences, or workshops on topics of mutual interest and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.
- e) To jointly propose and engage in research or training programs to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.
- f) To exchange, on a reciprocal basis, students at Undergraduate and Graduate for limited periods of time for purpose of education and /or research.

Government Degree College, Sopore, Jammu & Kashmir and **Poona College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Pune, Maharashtra** further agree that detailed terms and conditions that guide each activity identified above will be separately determined and agreed upon by the two institutions.

B. STUDENT EXCHANGE

Government Degree College, Sopore, Jammu & Kashmir and Poona College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Pune, Maharashtra agrees that student exchange will be guided by principles listed below. A home institution refers to the institution where a student is a full-time student, and from where he/she is expected to graduate. A host institution refers to an institution that receives a student for a brief period of time to undertake a pre-determined program of study or research.

- a) Exchange students will be selected by mutual agreement between the home institution and the host institution.
- b) An exchange student will continue to be treated as full-time student at his/her home institution.
- c) An exchange student will be considered as full-time "exchange" student at the host institution. d) The host institution will evaluate an exchange student's performance in each course or module, award a letter grade or marks, and issue a letter to that effect.
- d) If an exchange student has undertaken research, then the host institution will evaluate the exchange student's performance in the research, and issue a letter to that effect, together with a technical report of the research carried out.
- e) If an exchange student has undertaken research, then the home institution will take note of the performance evaluation and the technical report, and take steps in accordance with its own procedures.

C. JOINT CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS AND SHORT-TERM COURSES

Government Degree College, Sopore, Jammu & Kashmir and Poona College of Arts, Science and Commerce Pune, Maharashtra agrees to help identify and invite faculty members from the other institution to participate in conferences, workshops and short-term courses. The terms and conditions for such participation will be worked out by mutual agreement between Government Degree College, Sopore, Jammu & Kashmir and Poona College Of Arts, Science And Commerce Pune, Maharashtra .

D. DURATION

This MoU will take effect from the date it is signed by representatives of the two institutions. It will remain valid for five year from (07/01/2019 to 06/01/2024) and may be continued thereafter after suitable review and agreement. However, Government Degree College, Sopore, Jammu & Kashmir and Poona College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Pune, Maharashtra, will ensure that all activities in progress are allowed to complete successfully.

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