

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between



BAPS Swaminarayan Research Institute, New Delhi

And



Central Sanskrit University, New Delhi.

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Executed on  
28<sup>th</sup> November 2024

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As part of a constant endeavor to promote mutual understanding and international scientific research, an agreement is hereby entered into on cooperation between BAPS Swaminarayan Research Institute, New Delhi (A unit of AARSH Public Charitable Trust, Regn No E-8234, Ahmedabad), a reputed institution for furthering national and international scholarship and promoting collaborating learning, inter-disciplinary and inter-faith dialogue, and carrying out internationally acclaimed research; and the Central Sanskrit University, New Delhi.


### 1. SCOPE OF MoU

- Academic exchange in the areas of lecture series, cultural and religious studies, Sanskrit and Indian Knowledge System,
- Access to library facilities and manuscript resources through cooperation between the Library of BAPS Swaminarayan Research Institute, New Delhi and the Library of CSU, New Delhi
- Exchange of researchers, teaching staff and students,
- Conducting joint research projects,
- Organization of international colloquia,
- Regular exchange of documentary publications and teaching materials.

### 2. GENERAL MATTERS

No financial obligations result from this agreement for either of the two parties unless mutual consent has been given.

The details of exchange of students, researchers and teaching staff shall be determined by both the parties on a project-by-project basis. Both parties declare their willingness to give their guests from the partner university every possible support during their stay. All projects involving financial/infrastructural/Policy implication will be decided on project-to-project basis with mutual consultation and consent.



### 3. DURATION & TERMINATION

The agreement will come into effect from the date of most recent signature and is entered into for a period of 5 years. Thereafter it shall be automatically extended for an additional period of 5 years unless either party provides written notice to terminate the agreement a minimum of one year prior to the date of expiry. Either party may terminate the cooperation, provided that notice is given at least six months in advance. Ongoing projects and exchanges may be completed before a termination becomes valid. BAPS Swaminarayan Research Institute, New Delhi and Central Sanskrit University, New Delhi shall execute this agreement to the best of their knowledge and ability.

### 4. REPRESENTATION

Representatives for regular co-ordination and functionality of this MoU shall be as under: (a.) BAPS Swaminarayan Research Institute, New Delhi will be represented by Pujya Bhadreshdas Swami and, (b.) Central Sanskrit University (CSU), New Delhi will be represented by Registrar of the University.

### 5. CONFIDENTIALITY

Confidentiality Both parties acknowledge that any information disclosed by or on behalf of any of the parties which is not in the public domain is confidential and may not be used or disclosed to any other party (whether before or after the termination of this MOU) for any reason whatsoever save as may be strictly necessary for the due and effectual rendering of the services, as required by this MOU and/or agreements made thereunder. Any data exchanged/shared between the parties for joint research/supervision will not be transferred to third party without consent of the BAPS Swaminarayan Research Institute, New Delhi & Central Sanskrit University (CSU), New Delhi.

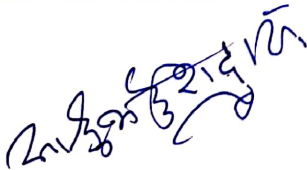
The provisions of this Clause shall survive the expiration or termination of this MOU for a period of three subsequent academic years. However confidential information in the nature of intellectual property rights, trade secrets and/or such confidential information which needs to be protected/kept confidential owing to applicable law(s) shall be kept confidential in perpetuity by the receiving party.

### 6. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

It is the intention of the institutions that all research derived from the collaborative efforts of the two parties will be the joint property of both the parties, proportionate to the parties' respective contribution.

### 7. AMENDMENT TO MOU

No amendment to this MoU shall be valid unless the same is made in writing jointly by the parties hereto or their authorized representatives and specifically stating the same to be an amendment to this MoU.




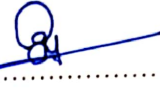
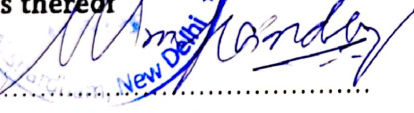
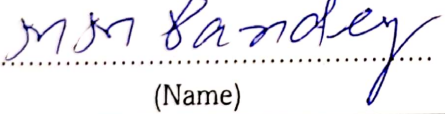
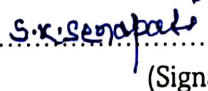


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## 8. ARBITRATION

In the event of differences/disputes arising between the parties in respect of any matter arising out of and relating to this MoU, such dispute/difference shall, in the first instance, be resolved amicably by mutual consultation within 45 days of the reference of disputes by either party.

Where it could not be resolved so, then it shall be referred to arbitration of three arbitrators, one to be appointed by each of the parties. The two arbitrators shall appoint the Third Arbitrator (Umpire) mutually who shall preside over the proceedings. The decision of the said arbitrators shall be final and binding on both the parties. The award of the arbitration is binding on the parties unless appealed against it in a Competent Court within the period of limitation.

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 ..... <b>Mahamahopadhyaya Bhadreshdas Swami</b> Head BAPS Swaminarayan Research Institute Akshardham New Delhi - 110092	 ..... <b>Prof. R. G. Murali Krishna</b> Registrar I/c Central Sanskrit University 56-57, Institutional Area, Janakpuri, New Delhi - 110058
<b>In witness thereof</b> 1)  ..... (Signature)  ..... (Name)	<b>In witness thereof</b> 1)  ..... (Signature) ..... (Name)
<b>In witness thereof</b> 2)  ..... (Signature) ..... (Name)	<b>In witness thereof</b> 2)  ..... (Signature) ..... (Name) अधिष्ठाता, शैक्षिक मामले (शैक्षिक/उच्चम)..... केन्द्रीय संस्कृत विश्वविद्यालय Delhi Central Sanskrit University 56-57, सांस्थानिक क्षेत्र, जनकपुरी, नई दिल्ली 56-57, Institutional Area, Janakpuri, New Delhi