

1. Introduction

AICTE has announced number of initiatives under its Quality Improvement Scheme for the year 2019-20. Share and Mentor Institutions (Margdarshan) is one such schemes. The scheme envisages that a Hub'n Spoke System is to be established by an institute of repute as a Mentor within an existing facility serve as the hub to guide and disperse knowledge to ten technical institutions to encourage best practices. The secondary branches, the spokes are additional services provided to faculty for self-improvement. Eventually, the Hub'nSpoke System will allow for inter hamlet information sharing, such as technical education, research and sharing of resources to the entire system.

2. Objectives of the MOU

The aim of this MOU is to stimulate and facilitate the development of collaborative and mutually beneficial programs which serve for technical upliftment of both campuses.

The objectives of the MOU are:

- a. To promote and enhance academic interaction between hub and spoke institutions
- b. To share and implement best practices for enhancing quality of teaching learning processes
- c. To promote the quality of the technical education among the members of the institutions by offering 10 Faculty Development Program to their faculty members
- d. To organize at least 25 Guest Lectures with the domain experts for mutual benefits towards technical upliftment
- e. To provide assistance for the research initiative and activities to the spoke institutes with the expertise available in the hub institute.

3. Duration

This MOU shall remain effective from the date of execution until the end of the term of three (3) years. However, same also may be amended, terminated or extended by agreement.

4. Terms and Conditions

- The spoke institute need to appoint a co-coordinator from their institute to coordinate with the Chief Coordinator
- The spoke institute can send their faculty members to the faculty development program organized by the hub institute
- The training cost and travel allowance for the participants will be borne from the grant provided by the Margdarshan program, AICTE as per the norms stipulated by Margdarshan program.
- The other expenditure for boarding and lodging may be incurred out of the grant received for the same
- Any dispute pertaining to this MOU shall be referred to Director, SMVEC and his/her decision will be binding on both the institutes.

5. Termination

This MOU is not considered to be contract creating legal and financial relationships between the institutions, rather, it is designed to facilitate and develop a genuine and mutually beneficial exchange process for educational activities as per the objectives mentioned in the Margdarshan Scheme. This agreement will be effective from the date of approval of the program by AICTE and shall remain in effect for a period of 3 years. This can be terminated anytime by mutual written agreement.

6. 'Margadarshan' Coordinator

Both the institutes agree to designate a faculty member who will be responsible to plan, coordinate and implement activities undertaken under this MOU.

In consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein above and the terms and conditions of this MOU and in witness whereof the undersigned, duly authorized thereto, have signed this Memorandum of Understanding on the date, month and year referred to above.

On behalf, of Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College Madagadipet, Puducherry

Witness Dr. K. VELMURUGAN, M.E., Ph.D., Professor Department of Mechanical Engineering Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College Madagadiput, Puducherry-605 107

On behalf, of Krishnasamy College of Engineering and Technology Cuddalore

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Faculty participated in Share and mentor institutes under AICTE-Margdarshan Scheme at Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College from 9th to 13th December 2019





Faculty participation certificate



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Certificate of award from mentor institution



Report:

Location: Pondicherry

Duration: 9th to 13th December 2019

Participants: Our faculties participated participated in Share and mentor institutes under AICTE- Margdarshan Scheme at Sri Manakula Vinayagar Engineering College, Mannadipet Commune, Madagadipet, Puducherry 605107. The faculty members received certificate and awards.