# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

For

## KNOWLEDGE SHARING IN MATHEMATICS

#### **Initiatives Between**

Tagore Government Arts and Science College Lawspet, UT of Puducherry - 605008

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BHARATHIDASAN GOVERNMENT COLLEGE FOR WOMEN Muthialpet, UT of Puducherry – 605003

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is made and entered on 14<sup>th</sup> December 2023 between **Tagore Government Arts and Science College**, Lawspet, UT of Puducherry - 605008 (hereinafter referred to as TGASC), represented by its Principal, Dr Sasi Kanta Dash, Mr. S. Damodaran, Head of the Department of Mathematics and Mrs. A. Shanthi, Associate Professor, the Party of the First Part which expression shall where the context so admits or implies include its executors, successors, and permitted assignees.

And

Bharathidasan Government College for Women, Muthialpet, Puducherry – 605003 (hereinafter referred to as BGCW) represented by Dr. V. Raji Sugumar, Principal, Mr. R. Varadarajan, Head of the Department of mathematics, Mr. B. Selvam, Associate Professor, the party of the Second Part which expression shall where the context so admits or implies include its executors, successors, and permitted assignees and the same witnesses.

Whereas, the undersigned parties desire to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) setting forth the functions to be performed by each of the undersigned parties.

# PART 1: Brief profile of the Parties involved in the MoU

TGASC (Tagore Government Arts and Science College, Puducherry), established in the year 1961, is a premier institution in the Union Territory of Puducherry. Pundit Jawaharlal Nehru laid the foundation stone for the new campus of our College on the Birth Centenary of our patron Shri Rabindranath Tagore. In a span of more than 60 years, it has blossomed into a full-fledged institution offering courses in a wide range of disciplines at the

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Graduate level. The College has earned the honour of being recognized as a quality institution by the University of Madras. From the academic year 1986-87, the College was affiliated to the Pondicherry University. From 1989-90 it has been functioning as an Under-Graduate institution only. The College has been accredited with B Grade by the NAAC. The Institute has a vision to enable self-development and empowerment of all students through modern, scientific and value-based education so as to lead a purposeful life filled with moral and spiritual values.

BGCW (Bharathidasan Government College for Women, Puducherry), in the name of Bharathidasan, the great poet from Pondicherry, established in the year 1968, is a premier institution for women in the Union Territory of Pondicherry. During the span of 55 years the college has witnessed a phenomenal growth both qualitatively and quantitatively and caters to the needs of women students by offering a wide range of Science, Arts and Commerce courses. Excellent performance in the curricular and extra-curricular activities has facilitated the institution to get the autonomous status in the academic year 2004-2005. The vision of the college is to provide value based and student centered high standard education to the women community.

# PART 2: Objectives/ Purpose of the Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

- To initiate joint collaborative research projects/product/technology development and patenting.
- To initiate joint training programmes to the students.
- To jointly organize short-term continuing education programmes on topics of mutual interest in Computational Sciences.
- To facilitate academic development exchanges between the Parties, including mutual visits by faculty to train students and to participate/organize/collaborate in seminars, national and International conferences, workshops, etc.
- To exchange information on teaching, learning material and other literature relevant to their educational and research programmes
- To provide technical training with Professional certification
- To jointly seek funding for the activities to be carried out.

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# PART 3: Roles and Responsibilities of Both Parties TGASC will provide

- 1. Basic facilities to carry out research programmes for the students and scholars.
- Extend support by way of providing rooms and auditorium to conduct training and Conferences.
- 3. Extend support by way of providing technical assistance for research and training programmes planned by both organizations

### **BGCW** will Provide

- 1. Extend support by providing expertise and technical support to take up research programmes, Internship programmes, Conferences and Seminars.
- 2. Provide assistance to publish research findings and educational material whichever is appropriate for the projects undertaken.
- 3. Extend support to raise funds and find partners for project collaboration.

### PART 4: Areas of Understanding

## 1. Details of training/research/academic activities

## 1. Training and Certification

TGASC and BGCW agree to facilitate training/short-term Professional Certification Courses/Intern programmes in Computational Mathematics, Statistical softwares and Documentation of Mathematical articles.

#### 1. Exchange of Information

- 1. The term "information" includes Scientific or technical data, results and/or methods of investigation, and other information intended to be provided, exchanged, or arising under project descriptions entered into pursuant to this MoU.
- 2. The parties support the widest possible dissemination of information. Each party in joint projects shall be given the right to use, disclose, publish or disseminate such information for any and all purposes.

#### 1. Details of the link/ Nodal officers for both Parties

To work out operational details of cooperation between the two organizations and ensure proper and effective implementation of this MoU, the following link/Nodal officers

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will be appointed. The Coordinators will periodically review and identify ways to strengthen cooperation between the two institutions

For TGASC -- Mrs. A. Shanthi, Associate Professor of Mathematics

For BGCW - Mr. B. Selvam, Associate Professor of Mathematics

### 2. Confidentiality

All information and/or data that may be exchanged, acquired and shared in connection with the areas of cooperation between the Parties pursuant to this MoU shall be treated as strictly confidential and shall not under any circumstances be divulged by the receiving Party to any third party without the prior written consent of the disclosing Party unless otherwise the same has already been in the public domain. This obligation shall continue to bind the Parties hereto notwithstanding the termination of this MoU.

### **Intellectual Property Rights**

TGASC and BGCW agree to respect each other's rights to intellectual property. Further, the intellectual property rights that arise as a result of any collaborative research or activity under this MoU will be worked out on a case-by-case basis, and will be consistent with the officially laid down IPR policies of the two institutions.

#### **PART 5: Financial Commitments**

Both parties will jointly put efforts to raise funds for research activities, training programmes, and conferences and the budget required for the proposed projects will be prepared as and when the need occurs. The fees for Conference registration, Seminar and Internship programmes will be fixed as per the regulations of both institutions. However, it will be finalized based on mutual understanding and in writing.

#### PART 6: Tenure of the Understanding and Exit Clause

This MoU will take effect from the date it is signed by representatives of the two institutions. It will remain valid for **THREE** years from the date of signing and may be continued thereafter after suitable review and understanding. Either institution may terminate the MoU by giving written notice to the other institution six months in advance. Once terminated, neither TGASC nor BGCW will be responsible for any losses, financial or otherwise, which the other institutions may suffer. However, TGASC and BGCW will ensure that all activities in progress are allowed to be completed successfully.

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This MoU has been executed in two originals; one is retained by TGASC and the other by BGCW

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Women, Muthialpet, Puducherry -605003

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Date: 14/12/2023

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