

BIRLA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MESRA, RANCHI (JHARKHAND)

AND



INDIAN TRUST FOR RURAL HERITAGE AND DEVELOPMENT

NEW DELHI

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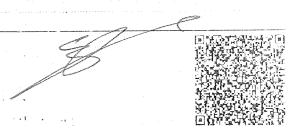
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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

BETWEEN

Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra (BITM) AND Indian Trust for Rural Heritage and Development (ITRHD)

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter called as the 'MoU') is executed between Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra (BITM), Ranchi – 835 215, represented by its Registrar and Indian Trust for Rural Heritage and Development (ITRHD) having its registered office at C-56, (G.F.), Nizamuddin East, New Delhi – 100 013 represented by its Chairman.

2. Purpose of the MoU

Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra (BITM) is a multi-disciplinary Higher Educational Institution, whereas Indian Trust for Rural Heritage and Development (ITRHD) is a non-profit organization engaged in empowering rural communities, its sustainability & management of their cultural assets through the conservation of precious rural heritage. Both of them believe that collaboration and co-operation between themselves will promote more effective use of each of their resources, and provide each of them with enhanced opportunities.

The Parties intent to cooperate and focus their efforts on cooperation within area of Skill Based Training, Education, Placement, and Heritage Site Visit, Expert Lecture, Rural infrastructure development, etc. Both the party's association will facilitate effective utilization of the intellectual capabilities.

3. Role & Responsibilities of BITM and ITRHD

BITM and ITRHD will work together on the following mutually agreed terms and conditions:

3.1 Role and responsibilities of Birla Institute of Technology Mesra, Ranchi

- i. BITM will constitute a committee out of its various departments for working jointly with ITRHD to identify areas to work in the field of heritage tourism and development of rural sector in the state of Jharkhand and need be all across the country, which will include a representative of ITRHD, the Heritage Ambassador for Rural Tradition (HART), Jharkhand.
- ii. On behalf of BITM, the Head of Department of Architecture and Planning will be the coordinator amongst all departments having expertise and interest in similar fields and will be joining hands with the heritage experts from ITRHD to map the heritage destinations, especially in the rural areas, keeping in mind the overall development of the region.

3.2 Role and Responsibilities of ITRHD

- 3.2.1 ITRHD will facilitate the Faculty and Students of BITM to visit its heritage sites and also involve them in its Training Programs. This will provide confidence & smooth transition for students.
- 3.2.2 ITRHD with its experts in the field of heritage and rural development will work with BITM to fix benchmark for the various activities that will be carried out in these areas. ITRHD may hold guest lecturers to the students on the technology trends and in house requirements.
- 3.2.3 ITRHD jointly with BITM will prepare project and feasibility reports for developing infrastructure for Rural heritage tourism, including an overall development plan for the concerned areas as and when entrusted by the state / central government / PSUs under its CSR initiative. The revenue generated in this effort will be shared equally.
- 3.2.4 ITRHD will jointly organize capacity building programs with BITM, especially in rural sector, with the funding from various Government / Semi Government and other voluntary funding agencies without causing any financial burden to BITM.
- 3.2.5 ITRHD may register on the AICTE Internship Portal for the benefit of students of BITM.

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4. Pre-condition - Limiting factors

- 4.1 BITM and ITRHD resolve to undertake all activities in an impartial manner and without any direct or indirect discrimination on grounds of caste, creed, religion, gender or social, political or personal affinities.
- 4.2 Both BITM and ITRHD will try utmost to carry out all the activities in a congenial and harmonious manner. In case of disagreement or dispute, all efforts will be made to resolve the same amicably through mutual discussions and understanding.
- 5. This Agreement will be valid for 5 years until it is expressly terminated by either Party on mutually agreed terms. It shall come into existence from the date of signing of the MoU by the parties concerned. The period of the MoU may be extended by mutual consent.
- 6. However this MoU may be terminated by either party or by mutual agreement, after giving a notice of six months. Subject to condition that all existing commitments will be fulfilled by both the parties in respect of the projects already underway.
- 7. Made at on 18th day of October 2021, in two originals in English language.

IN WITNESS WHERE OF the authorized representatives of the Parties here to have signed this MoU.

(S K MISRA) Chairman

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ITRHD

(COL. (RETD.) SUKHPAL SINGH KHETARPAL)

Registrar

Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra, Ranchi

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Heritage Ambassador for Rural Tradition
ITRHD