

# **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

**BETWEEN**

**National Centre for Good Governance**

Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances,  
Government of India

**&**

**Indian Institute of Technology  
Jodhpur**

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**  
**Between**  
**National Centre for Good Governance, New Delhi**  
**And**  
**Indian Institute of Technology Jodhpur**

The National Centre for Good Governance [hereinafter referred to as "NCGG"], Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DAR&PG), Govt. of India (GOI) and the Indian Institute of Technology Jodhpur, [hereinafter referred to as "IITJ"], hereinafter jointly referred to collectively and commonly as "the Institutions" agree upon the general terms of this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU), in accordance with a mutual desire for cooperation and collaboration aimed at improving, strengthening, and promoting relations between them, to further the realization of their respective objects, in larger public interest.

**Article I**

The Institutions hereby express their intent to promote cooperation between their academic members, students, and research groups.

**Article II**

Building on their respective strengths, the Institutions will explore mutually beneficial relationships, including, but not limited to the following endeavors as per respective institutional guidelines:

1. Exploring joint programmes including academic title granting programmes.
2. Collaborating for resource-sharing, including faculty experts to participate in joint consulting and research projects and as per respective institutional guidelines.
3. Promoting and encouraging activities of joint research in the fields of common interest.
4. Collaborating in joint initiatives (e.g., policy-formulation, net zero government tasks etc.)
5. Encouraging exchange of academic faculty and researchers.
6. Leadership courses for various stakeholders such as bureaucrats, leaders of engineering institutes.
7. The areas of collaboration shall include the following (but not limited to):
  - i. I-Governance
  - ii. Green Energy
  - iii. Environment
  - iv. Water
  - v. Technology Foresight and Policy
  - vi. Use of Indian languages
  - vii. AI, ML in various spheres such as technology, legal, governance, landscape

### Article III

The precise nature and specific details of collaboration between the Institutions as regards the common activities and forms of cooperation and the modalities thereof under the framework of this MoU will be finalized as described under Article IV below.

### Article IV

The terms of cooperation for each specific event and / or activity arising from this MoU shall be mutually discussed on case-to-case basis and agreed upon separately in writing by the Institutions prior to the initiation of such event and/or activity. By mutual consent, this MoU by itself shall not have any legal or financial obligations or implications for the Institutions.





### Article V

This MOU is written and signed in two originals in the English language. It will come into force as soon as it has been signed by the respective authorized representatives of the Institutions and will remain in force for a five-year period from the date of execution and may be renewed for an additional five years upon mutual consent. The MoU may be terminated by the authorized official representative of either Institution by written notice. Such notice must be given at least three months before it becomes effective. Such termination shall not affect the completion of any event or activity underway at the time or the rights of Institutions exchanged under this MoU, prior to the notice of termination.

Any amendment to this MoU may be made by the Institutions by mutual consent, during its validity.

Dr. Himanshi Rastogi  
Associate Professor  
NATIONAL CENTRE FOR GOOD GOVERNANCE

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being duly authorized by their respective Institutions, have signed this MoU.

	
For and on behalf of <b>NCGG, DEPT. OF ADMINISTRATIVE REFORMS AND PUBLIC GRIEVANCES, GOVERNMENT OF INDIA (GOI)</b>	For and on behalf of <b>INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY JODHPUR (IITJ)</b>
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<b>DESIGNATION:</b> Secretary, DARPG & DG, NCGG	<b>DESIGNATION:</b> Director, IITJ
<b>PLACE:</b> New Delhi	<b>PLACE:</b> Jodhpur
<b>DATE:</b> 31-07-2024	<b>DATE:</b> 08-08-2024
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<b>In the presence of:</b>	
	
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