MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN



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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING [hereinafter called as the MoU] is made and entered into on this 29th day of January, 2024 between the Goa University, Goa, India, herein represented by its Registrar, Prof. V. S. Nadkarni, having its official address at the Administrative Block, University Campus, Taleigao Plateau, Goa 403206





(hereinafter referred to as GU and which expression shall unless it be repugnant to the meaning or context thereof, be deemed to mean and include its executors, administrators and permitted assigns) on the ONE PART and Bodhi Pedagogy Services LLP, also known as the Bodhi Academy through its Founder and Director, Mrs. Alka Verma major in age, Indian National, having its official address at Office number 103, 1st floor Gera Imperium Green Building Neugi Nagar Mala Panjim, Goa 403001 (hereinafter referred to as BPSL and which expression shall unless it be repugnant to the meaning or context thereof, be deemed to mean and include its executors, administrators and permitted assigns) on the OTHER PART(who for the purpose of this MoU are hereinafter individually referred to as PARTY and collectively referred to as the PARTIES).

AREAS OF THE COOPERATION

This MoU establish a formal understanding of cooperation. The Cooperation shall be carried out, subject to the following under this MoU:

- 1) The Parties intend to cooperate and focus their efforts on cooperation in Skill Based Employability Training, Awareness of Government job exam notifications, competitive exams and Placement Assistance to the students and alumni of GU.
- 2) **BPSL** shall provide information relating to all Government competitive exams and awareness with regards to job notifications and placements, pattern of different competitive exams, and preparation methodology to the students and alumni along with placement and apprenticeship services to the students and alumni of GU.
- 3) BPSL shall provide Industry exposure and hands-on experience through talks and interactions with experts from various officers from the banking industry, bureaucratic sector, and other employees from prestigious organizations.

At GU, Director, Directorate of Student Placement and Alumini Relations, will oversee the implementation of the MoU. At BPSL, Director, Mrs. Alka Verma, will oversee the implementation of the MoU.

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THE PARTIES HERETO AGREE TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET OUT HEREIN, WHICH ARE AS FOLLOWS: -

CLAUSE 1 - SCOPE OF THE MoU:

- 1.1 BPSL shall play a key role in providing knowledge to the students and alumni of the GU on "How to crack Government Exams like Banking Entrance Exams, Staff Selection Exams, Goa-SSC, GPSC, etc., and other competitive exams like CMAT / CAT / XAT / GRE / IELTS, etc. Both the parties believe that the close cooperation between them would be of major benefit to the student community to enhance their skills and knowledge for employability.
- 1.2 BPSL shall give valuable inputs to the GU in training methodology. BPSL shall also provide guidance and support to all the students seeking these opportunities so that the students fit into the process of preparation for these exams in a meaningful manner.
- 1.3 BPSL, as part of its responsibility, will impart simulation training and mock practice sessions to the interested students & alumni of the GU to have a smooth transition from academic to working career.
- 1.4 Apprenticeship/Internship: BPSL shall train the students and alumni of GU on teaching methodologies in order to bridge the skill gap and make them industry-ready. For this purpose, BPSL will offer apprenticeships/internships to the students of the GU for a specific period to make them job-ready. This option shall be open for the students who want to move towards teaching as a profession after their higher studies.
- 1.5 Guest/Industry Lectures: BPSL shall extend necessary support to deliver guest lectures from the industry to the students and alumni of the GU on awareness towards various competitive exams, methodology of preparation, skills to qualify for these exams and motivational talks to orient the interested students on all specifications about the government jobs.
- 1.6 Placement of Trained Students: BPSL shall actively assist with the delivery of the training and placement of students and alumni of the GU.

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- 1.7 The job opportunities at BPSL can be notified and posted on the job portal of the GU with prior consent of the GU so that interested students can directly be intimated about various openings and apply to BPSL.
- 1.8 There shall be no financial commitment on the part of the GU and its students and alumni to take up any program mentioned in the MoU. Incase there is any financial consideration, it will be dealt with separately and mutually between both the parties which shall not be a part of this MoU.

CLAUSE 2 - INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY:

2.1 Nothing contained in this MoU shall, by express grant, implication, estoppel, or otherwise, create in either Party any right, title, interest, or license in or to the intellectual property (including but not limited to know-how, inventions, patents, copyrights, and designs) of the other Party.

CLAUSE 3 - TERM AND TERMINATION:

- 3.1 The Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) shall remain in force for a period of three (3) years from the date it is signed by the authorized officials of the two Institutions. It may further be extended or amended with the written consent of both parties. This MoU may be terminated by either party subject to the delivery of three (3) months prior written notice to the other Party. In the event of Termination, both parties have to discharge their obligations.
- 3.2 Any act on the part of **BPSL** after termination of this MoU by way of communication, correspondence, etc., shall not be construed as an extension of this MOU.
- 3.3 In case of termination of the MoU, the training and placement at that time shall be permitted to be conducted and completed, to ensure that no candidate is affected or harmed in any manner and the candidate's interest is protected.

CLAUSE 4 - NOTICES:

Unless otherwise agreed between the Parties in writing, all notices and other communications required or permitted to be given under this MoU shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been properly given if delivered by hand or by courier, or sent by

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registered mail or addressed to intended recipient's registered address as mentioned above. Any change in the particulars shall be promptly notified to the other Party in writing well in advance.

CLAUSE 5 - AMENDMENT:

No amendment, modification, alteration or enlargement of this MoU or its Schedules, if any, shall be valid or binding unless it is in writing and signed by the duly authorized representatives of the Parties.

CLAUSE 6 - RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE PARTIES:

It is expressly agreed by the Parties acting under this MoU as independent entities. Neither Party is authorized to use the other Party's name in any way to make any representations or create any obligation or liability expressed or implied on behalf of the other Party without the prior written consent of the Party. This MoU is not intended to and does not give any person who is not a Party to it any rights to enforce any of its provisions. Nothing in this MoU will be construed as creating a binding legal relationship between the Parties. This MoU is a broad statement of intent which sets forth the general basis upon which the Parties wish to proceed. No legal liability will arise in respect of any subject matter hereof unless a subsequent binding agreement is negotiated, approved, executed and delivered by the Parties to this MoU.

CLAUSE 7 - FORCE MAJEURE:

The Parties agree and confirm that, for the purpose of this MoU, Force Majeure means an event which is beyond the reasonable control of either Party, and which makes the Parties performance regarding its obligations hereunder impossible or so impracticable as reasonably, to be considered impossible in the circumstances and includes, but is not limited to war, riots, civil disorder, earthquake, fire, explosion, storm, flood, and other adverse weather conditions, strikes, lockouts, State or any public enemy or acts mandated by applicable laws, regulation or order, whether valid or invalid, or any governmental body or any other similar action which are not within the power and control of either Parties, invoking force majeure to prevent confiscation or any other action. Neither Party shall be liable for damages for any delay or failure to perform its obligations herein, if such delay or failures due to such Force Majeure events.

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CLAUSE 8 - SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTE:

Normally, it is expected that no dispute will arise in the assignment. Should any dispute arise, the same shall be amicably settled by the Dispute Resolution Committee constituted by both the Parties to this MoU. The Dispute Resolution Committee shall consist of senior representatives of the GU who shall be nominated by the Vice-Chancellor of GU and by the Director of BPSL. The decision of the Dispute Resolution Committee shall be final and binding on the parties.

IN WITNESS WHERE OF, THE PARTIES have executed this MoU on this 29th day of the January month and the year 2024 and represent that they approve, accept and agree to the terms contained herein.

For and on behalf of GOA UNIVERSITY

For and on behalf of BODHI
PEDAGOGY SERVICES LLP,
GOA, INDIA

Name: Prof. V. S. Nadkarni

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