

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

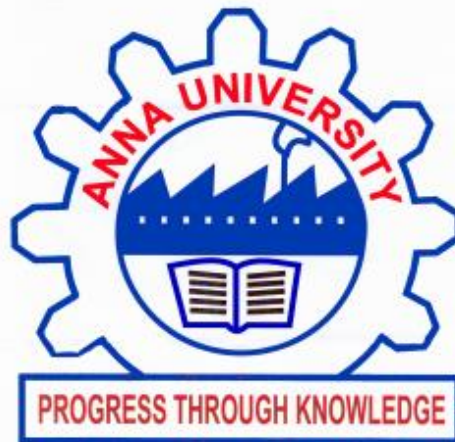
Between

ECOLE CENTRALE DE NANTES, FRANCE



and

ANNA UNIVERSITY, CHENNAI, INDIA



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1, rue de la Noe - BP 92101, F- 44321 Nantes Cedex 3
and

ANNA UNIVERSITY

Sardar Patel Road, Guindy
Chennai 600025 INDIA.

WHEREAS,

For the last 100 years Centrale Nantes has aimed at training high scientific level leaders, managers and innovators fully active in the global environment. In order to achieve that goal, Centrale Nantes has developed three trends:

- International, national and regional academic partnerships
- International, national and regional corporate partnerships
- Sustainable development

Thanks to its international development, Centrale Nantes now welcomes growing numbers of excellent students, researchers, and academics from partner institutions in more than 50 various countries.

The high quality of teaching and research - engineering training programmes, Master's Degrees and PhDs - is fully recognized by prestigious national, European and international institutions, particularly with Erasmus Mundus Master's Degrees and various attractive scholarships.

Centrale Nantes current network of 15,000 graduate across the world bridges the gaps between education, research, development, and the corporate world.

WHEREAS,

Anna University was established on 4th September 1978 as a unitary type of University. It offers higher education in Engineering, Technology and allied Sciences relevant to the current and projected needs of the society. Besides promoting research and disseminating knowledge gained therefrom, it fosters cooperation between the academic and industrial communities. The University was formed by bringing together and integrating two well-known technical institutions in the city of Madras. College of Engineering, Guindy (CEG) (1794), Madras Institute of Technology, Chromepet (MIT) (1949) and three Technological Departments of the University of Madras, Alagappa College of Technology (ACT) (1944), School of Architecture and Planning (SAP) (1957). From December 2001, the University has become a large, highly renowned University with affiliating status.

The signatories agree:

ARTICLE 1: Both Universities agree to promote the following:

- Promotion of joint research.
- Exchange of faculty members and administrative staff.
- Exchange of students.
- Exchange of academic research outcomes, academic publications and other academic information.
- Other academic and educational exchange programs approved as suitable by both Universities.

ARTICLE 2: Implementation of the Exchange programs

2.1 The programs listed above are to be carried out after mutual consultation.

ARTICLE 3: Term of the Agreement

3.1 This agreement shall remain in effect for 5 years from the final date of execution by the appropriate officer of each signatory University. This agreement may be renewed at any time before the actual expiration date by the written consent of both parties.

ARTICLE 4: Revision and termination of the Agreement

3.1 Both Universities must send written notice and consult each at least one year before revision or termination of the agreement.

ARTICLE 5: Language Used

5.1 This agreement shall be established in English.

ARTICLE 6: Legal Effect

6.1 This MoU is not intended to impose any legal obligation whatsoever on either parties. The parties do not intend to be bound by any agreement contemplated in this MoU until both parties agree and sign a specific written contract. Neither party can rely on any promise inconsistent with this paragraph. This paragraph supersedes all other conflicting terms.

Should any questions on any part of this agreement arise, both Universities must consult with one another to find a solution.

For and on behalf
Anna University, Chennai



Prof. R. Velraj
Vice-Chancellor

Date: January 11, 2022

For and on behalf of
Ecole Centrale De Nantes, France

Jean-Baptiste Avrillier
Director
Ecole Centrale De Nantes



Date: 11/01/2022



Prof. G. Ravikumar
Registrar

Date: January 14, 2022

Prof. Vincent Fremont
Director for International Relations
Ecole Centrale De Nantes, France



Date: 06/01/2022



Prof. G. Nagarajan
Director
Centre for International Relations

Date: January 11, 2022