

## Memorandum of Understanding (MoU)

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is entered into this **27th day of June 2020**, by and between:

**Harcourt Butler Technical University, Nawabganj, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh, India – 208 002** referred as HBTU has been established in year 2016 by the Government of Uttar Pradesh with a view for making it a leading Residential University to become a Centre of Excellence with focus on Research and Development and Incubation in the field of Engineering, Technology, Basic & Applied Sciences, Humanities courses. HBTU aims to promote studies, research & innovation in engineering areas of higher education, to enhance skill development through continuing education programme and knowledge and to achieve excellence in higher Technical education and represented by the authorized signatory shall be Dr. Neeraj Kr. Singh, Registrar, HBTU Kanpur of the **FIRST PART**,

**AND**

**Uttar Pradesh Textile Technology Institute (UPTTI), Kanpur** is a premier textile institute of North India. It made a modest start in 1937, having its office at 11/208, Souterganj, Parwati Bagla Road Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh, India – 208001, India (hereinafter referred to as "UPTTI" which expression shall, unless repugnant to the context or inconsistent with the meaning thereof, mean and include its representatives, assigns etc.) and represented by Dr. I.P. Mishra, Registrar, UPTTI Kanpur, of the **SECOND PART**,

### **WHEREAS:**

- a. **HBTU Kanpur** has its objectives, to enable, promote and incubate new technology/knowledge/innovation based start-ups, building a vibrant start-up ecosystem by establishing network between academia, financial institutions, industries and other institutions, providing training and different services to start-ups like mentoring, legal, financial, technical services etc. and conducting exhibitions, trade fairs, etc., or any other value added or promotional activities for start-ups, students or industry at large. HBTU provides research and development support and promotes technological awareness of entrepreneurs.



- vii) However, nothing in this clause shall create an obligation on the part of either Party to enter into any project specific agreement. Any such activity will be carried out depending upon availability of resources.
- viii) The collaborative program between HBTU and UPTTI shall be coordinated by a coordination committee appointed by competent authorities of both the parties.
- ix) This MOU will not be used to obligate or commit the funds of either party.
- x) Logos of either party may only be used in marketing or other publicity materials related to the objectives of this MoU during the tenure of the agreement subject to explicit written prior permission of the other party. Logos may not be used in any confusing way.

**3. Communication and exchange of information:**

The *Parties* shall, on a regular basis, keep each other informed of and consult on matters of common interests, which in their opinion are likely to further the collaborative efforts of the parties as documented in this MoU.

**4. Effective date, duration, termination of the MoU:**

The MoU shall be effective from the date of its execution and shall remain in force for a period of three (3) years. The parties may extend the term in writing. The MoU may be terminated by either party by giving a written notice of 30 days to the other party, without assigning any reason thereof.

**5. Confidentiality:**

i) Confidential Information includes all communication of information/ideas disclosed/derived in documentary or tangible form between the Parties, including oral, written and machine-readable form. In the case of such information disclosed orally or visually, the Disclosing Party shall confirm in writing the fact and general nature of each disclosure within (30) days after it is made. The Party disclosing the Confidential Information shall be referred to as the Disclosing Party. The Party receiving the Confidential Information shall be referred to as the Receiving Party.

ii) Confidential information includes the information:

- (a) Disclosed by or on behalf of the Disclosing party to the Receiving party,
- (b) Otherwise learned or ascertained by the Receiving Party from inspection and/or evaluation of sample(s) identified by the Disclosing Party as confidential and provided to



In witness whereof, the parties hereto have offered their signature from the date mentioned above.

For and on behalf of HBTU

(Dr. Neeraj Kr. Singh)  
Registrar  
HBTU, Kanpur)

For and on behalf of UPTTI

(Dr. I.P. Mishra  
Registrar  
UPTTI, Kanpur )

**Witness:-**

1.

For and on behalf of HBTU

Signature:

Name: **Prof. Narendra Kohli**

Designation: **Dean, Incubation Hub**

Date: 27/06/2020

**Witness:**

2.

Signature:

Name: **Dr. A. K. Shankhwar**

Designation: **Associate Dean, IH**

Date: 27/06/2020

**Witness:-**

1.

For and on behalf of UPTTI

Signature:

Name: **Prof. Mukesh Kr. Singh**

Designation: **Director, UPTTI**

Date: 27/06/2020

**Witness:**

2.

Signature:

Name: **Dr SK Rajput**

Designation: **Associate Professor**

Date: 27/06/2020