





# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

### BETWEEN

WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY, AUSTRALIA ABN 53 014 069 881

#### AND

CENTURION UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT, INDIA

## 1 PREAMBLE

1.1 Recognising the mutual benefits to be gained through a cooperative program promoting scholarly activities and international understanding, Western Sydney University (WSU) and the Centurion University of Technology and Management, India (CUTM) specified above enter into this Memorandum of Understanding on the terms set out below.

## 2 PURPOSE

- 2.1 The purpose of this Memorandum is to provide a framework by which the parties may in future undertake joint activities together, which may include:
  - (a) development of collaborative research projects;
  - (b) organisation of joint academic and scientific activities, such as courses, conferences, seminars, symposia or lectures;
  - (c) exchange of academic staff for teaching and research activities;
  - exchange of PhD/HDR students to undertake study or participate in research programs; and
  - (e) exchange of publications and other information of common interest.

Hereby, two institutions agreed to continue exploring the following activities to start the collaboration:

- (f) WSU participation in the social entrepreneurship joint centre;
- (g) student mobility program with a particular focus with WSU's School of Social Science and Psychology, School of Law, School of Education, School of Business and The Academy;
- (h) placement opportunities for social work, medicine and nursing student from WSU;
- (i) research collaboration areas including diabetes and podiatry;
- (j) training collaboration for paramedics through the School of Science and Health;
- (k) PhD scholarships with stipends to be granted by WSU to nominated CUTM academics;
- collaborative research projects taking advantage of CUTM's unique engagement with local communities and development agendas;
- (m) any collaborative activities as mutually agreed by all parties.
- 2.2 Cooperative projects under this Memorandum may include any of the academic disciplines of the parties.

#### 3 STATUS

- 3.1 This Memorandum does not create any legally binding obligations or rights between the parties.
- 3.2 Any specific arrangements undertaken by the parties will be documented in legally binding agreements.

## SIGNATURE PAGE

This Memorandum of Understanding is dated

29 June 2018.

SIGNED for and on behalf of the WESTERN SYDNEY UNIVERSITY ABN 53 014 069 881 by its authorised delegate:

SIGNED for and on behalf of the
CENTURION UNIVERSITY OF
TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT, INDIA
by its duly authorised officer or delegate:

Professor Barney Glover

Vice-Chancellor and President

Dr Ron Harper

Director, International Operations