Memorandum of Understanding.

This memorandum of Understanding (hereafter referred to as 'MoU')

Between

Central Tribal University, Vizianagaram, Andhra Pradesh (hereafter referred as CTUAP)

AND

The Govind Ballabh Pant Social Science Institute, Allahabad (hereafter referred to as 'GBPSSI')

Central Tribal University, Vizianagaram, A.P., was established in 2019. The jurisdiction of the University extends to the whole State of A.P. and it is fully funded by the Central Government through the University Grants Commission. The University caters to the tribals' long cherished dream of higher education.

The CTUAP is moving ahead with a vision to enable responsive and transformative educational experiences focused on specialized disciplinary learning with a combination of collaborative and innovative culture with deep rooted commitment on diversity and inclusion. It is striving for culminating to be an exemplary tribal university that empowers the tribal youth in nation building and global competitiveness. THE CTUAP is committed for Socio-economic advancement of tribes by nurturing world class citizens inculcating desirable knowledge, skills and attitudes through promotion of research innovation and entrepreneurship.

Objectives:

- To disseminate and advance knowledge by providing instructional and Research Facilities to the tribal students in different branches of learning as it deem fit;
- To make provisions for courses in humanities, social sciences, education, vocational studies and other disciplines in its educational programmes.
- To take appropriate measure for promoting innovations in teaching-learning process; interdisciplinary studies and research; to educate and train the tribal community on par with other sets of the society for the development of the country.

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- To establish linkages with industries for training and placements.
- To pay special attention to the improvement of the social and economic conditions and welfare of the tribal people as well as others in their intellectual, academic and cultural development.
- To encourage a high level of participation in the creation, promotion, and enforcement of standards by all members of the community.
- To educate all stakeholders of community about responsible citizenship.
- To maintain accurate records and produce information to assist other University offices in their functions.

Whereas, the GBPSSI established in 1980 is a Constituent Institute of the University of Allahabad. The Institute is a premier research institute of social sciences in the country.

The research areas pursued by the Institute are as follows:

Economic and Social Policies and strategies: The major concerns include agrarian structure, issues related to land, labour and employment; environment, disaster, poverty and climate change; food security, development related displacement and most importantly Institutions and development. Other International concerns that are being addressed include Global governance, climate change, and carbon markets.

Social policy concerns include population growth and resource constraints, which are of utmost importance to the most densely populated state of Uttar Pradesh; problem associated with ageing intergenerational transmission of advantages and disadvantages of education, health and stamina; the inter - relationship of under nutrition health and ecosystems; enlarging human choices, securing freedom, well being and dignity for every human being and gender development issues.

Culture, Politics And Society: Concept of power, popular cultures, memory and past, orality and printed knowledge of Dalit, subaltern and other marginalised communities, local knowledge structures and forms of subaltern cultural consciousness and linkage between cultural resources of the communities and process of development. Newly emerging public cultures, new turns in regional practices, mobile communities and moving images in globalised world, diasporic cultures, various forms of identity politics, cinema and media and relationship between politics, culture, and state in colonial and contemporary India. Explorations of alternative public sphere, dissenting voices, social, and political literatures, political of representations and emancipator and syncretic cultural

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Democratic Processes and Institutions: concept of justice in democratic processes, relationship between social justice and marginalities, governmentality, new modes of participatory governance, popular aspirations and new social movements, formation of civil societies, state, power and citizenship and public sphere as a space of democratic deliberations of post-colonial Indian Society. Issues of human suffering, force displacement and migration, human rights and women dignity in contemporary globalisation induced developmental democracy. Exploring democratic processes at work, in different context at different levels and their consequent interplays, understanding inclusionary and exclusionary politics with respect to ethnic and religious identities, changing contours of domestic politics under influence of international forces.

The parties hereby agreed that:

- They shall exchange faculty of social sciences and other faculties for specific durations;
- They shall promote interactions of doctoral students through student interaction / exchange programs;
- They shall undertake joint research programs, research projects and other academic endeavours;
- They shall organize joint seminars and workshops on current social issues as well as on issues of national importance.
- That is MoU you shall be terminated by either party on an advance notice of six months.

IN WITNESS WHERE OF, THE PARTIES HERE TO AFFIXED THEIR SIGNATURES THIS THE DAY AND YEAR FIRST ABOVE WRITTEN

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