MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

Between



Shri Guru Ram Rai University

Pathribagh, Dehradun (Uttarakhand)

And



Geetanjali University

Udaipur, Rajasthan



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This MoU made and entered into on 27 day of October, 2022 between, Geetanjali University, Udaipur, Rajasthan, Established under Act. 2012 enacted by the Government of Rajasthan is duly recognized under the provision of Section 2 (f) of the University Grant Commission having its registered office at N.H. 8 Bypass, Near Ekling Pura Chouraha, Udaipur (Raj.) 313001, India represented herein by its authorized signatory, Bhupendra Jain, Registrar (hereinafter referred to as "Geetanjali University").

AND

Shri Guru Ram Rai University, Dehradun, established by Govt. of Uttarakhand, vide Shri Guru Ram Rai University Act No. 03 of 2017 Act No. 03 of July 2017 having its registered office at Pathribagh, Dehradun (Uttarakhand), 248001, India, represented herein by its authorized signatory, Prof. (Dr.). Deepak Sahni, Registrar (hereinafter referred to as "SGRR University", which expression shall where the context admits, mean and include each of its trustees their respective heirs, executives, successors and assigns);

SGRRU and GU will be collectively referred to as "Partners" or "Parties"

PREAMBLE:

Whereas, **Geetanjali University** was Established under Act. 2012 enacted by the Government of Rajasthan is duly recognized under the provision of Section 2 (f) of the University Grant Commission having its registered office at N.H. 8 Bypass, Near Ekling Pura Chouraha, Udaipur (Raj.) 313001, India, Geetanjali University is a very well designed and structured campus wherein all the modern amenities are provided. The University is spread across 50 acres of land which is surrounded by the range of Aravali Hills. The Geetanjali University is known to have a world class campus.

Whereas Shri Guru Ram Rai University (Estd. by Govt. of Uttarakhand, vide Shri Guru Ram Rai University Act No. 03 of 2017 Act No. 03 of July 2017) with its 10 different colleges and 67 years of educational experience is imparting education in various fields viz. Agricultural Sciences, Medical Sciences, Life Sciences, Management, Pharmaceutical Sciences, Yogic Sciences and Computer Sciences. Shri Guru Ram Rai University aims at providing exceptional value to students by guiding them to achieve their aspirations through personalized and relevant learning opportunities. The university envisages advancing the intellectual and social conditions of the people through the creation, translation, and dissemination of knowledge. The university believes that collaboration can enhance the quality of research and teaching through

Section (I)GENERAL SCOPE

1. This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) establishes the general framework of intended collaboration for promoting and conducting high-quality research to strengthen the evidence base necessary for cancer prevention, treatment, and management.

2. The Participants intend to strengthen their collaboration, in conformity with the mission and objectives of each Participant, to cover, inter-alia, the following:

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- a) Promotion and development of cooperation in the fields of clinical cancer research and patient care delivery:
- b) Infrastructure development, training, and capacity building:
- c) Collaboration in cancer research including basic, translational, and survivorship research, epidemiology, prevention, diagnosis, screening, treatment, and control;
- d) Assessment and application of new and cost-effective cancer diagnostic technologies for public health benefits,
- 3. The Participants may collaborate in any other manner as by mutual arrangement (or as determined jointly).
- 4. All activities described in and/or pursued by the Participants under this MoU are subject to the availability of personnel, resources, and funds.
- 5. The Participants intend to develop steps for implementing this MoU through consultations. For this purpose, they intend to establish a schedule of telephone and/or video conferences, and other interactions, which may include, but not be limited to (i) discussing new opportunities, (ii) assessing progress on existing activities, (iii) sharing information about the availability of expertise and infrastructure resources and (iv) planning for scientific conferences and other joint activities.
 - 6. The Participants recognize that the work pursuant to this MoU may involve the inter-institutional visit of administrative and scientific personnel. As such, subject to their respective laws and regulations, the Participants intend to facilitate the necessary clearance for these visits on a priority basis.
 - 7. This MoU imposes no obligations on the Participants, including funding obligations.

Section (II) Applicable Laws

The Participants intend to perform all activities conducted pursuant to this MoU in accordance with the respective laws and regulations of India, as applicable, including laws on the protection of human and animal subjects as well as the transfer of biological material in any research.

Section (III) Areas of Cooperation

The Participants intend the following to be the main areas of cooperation under this MoU, in all cases subject to the availability of personnel, resources, and appropriated funds:

- 1. Increased bilateral cooperation on cancer research, prevention, control, and management;
- 2. Development of collaborative research projects on population-based cancer control and implementation science;
- 3. Development of projects in the areas of basic and epidemiological research, pre-clinical model development, clinical research, and oncology care delivery;



- 4. Collaboration for conducting research and training on the development of low-cost technologies, diagnostics, and combination of existing medications against common cancers and development of existing therapies for novel indications related to oncology:
- 5. Discovery and development of new anti-cancer agents;
- 6. Research on cancer screening and early detection;
- 7. E-health, M-health and telehealth approaches to cancer education, early detection and treatment;
- 8. Health systems research to strengthen cancer care delivery mechanism and build public health capacity for cancer care
- 9. Development of Cancer Registries;
- 10. Organization of joint conferences, symposia, and other scientific meetings of mutual interest;
 - 11. Information and scientific exchanges, and the sharing of experiences;
 - 12. Participation in professional and scientific meetings conducted in both institutions; and
 - 13. Any other area as mutually decided between the Participants if and to the extent consistent with applicable statutes, regulations, and policies.

Section (IV) Protection of Intellectual Property

Both Participants intend to ensure adequate and effective protection of Intellectual Property generated or shared in the course of cooperative activities in furtherance of the objectives of this MOU. Rights to any such intellectual property are to be allocated as negotiated on a project by project basis.

Section (V) Settlement of Disputes

The Participants intend to resolve any disputes or differences arising under this MoU amicably through mutual consultations and negotiations.

Section (VI) Modifications

The Participants may review or modify any part of this MoU by mutual consent in writing.

Section (VII) Commencement of Cooperation

This MoU may commence upon the signature of the Participants and may continue for a period of five years. The MoU may be extended for successive periods of five years through the written consent of the Participants. Should a Participant wish to discontinue its participation under this MoU, that Participant should endeavor to give the other Participants six months' written notice.

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Address of communication

Geetanjali University	Shri Guru Ram Rai University
Vice Chancellor Geetanjali University, Udaipur, Rajasthan	Vice Chancellor, Shri Guru Ram Rai University, Dehradun, Uttarakhand

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this Memorandum of Agreement to be executed on the date, Month, and year first written herein above at Dehradun.

For and on behalf of Geetanjali
University

Registrar, Geetanjali University
Udiapur, Rajasthan

For and on behalf of SGRRU

Registrar,
Shri Guru Ram Rai University,
Dehradun, Uttarakhand

Date:

Year:

Witnesses (Name and Signature):

Shakiluddin Siddigui.

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