

LETTER OF AGREEMENT

between

PURDUE UNIVERSITY
West Lafayette, Indiana, USA

and

Sophia College for Women
Mumbai, India

Purdue University on behalf of its Women's, Gender, & Sexuality Studies Program "Purdue" and Sophia College for Women on behalf of its Women's Studies Department establish this Letter of Agreement to foster international cooperation in education and research.

1. Both parties will encourage the following activities to promote international academic cooperation:

a) Students will register and enroll directly with Sophia College.

b) Students will enroll in five courses at Sophia College, chosen from this selection of seven possible course: "Foundation Course," (Socio-economic and politico-cultural realities of India, includes a large section on gender inequalities, violence against women, etc.), "History of Mumbai and Maharashtra", "Sociology of Gender", "Literature and Gender", "Women's Empowerment", "Outreach Programme", and "Feminist Research."

c) They will pay one fee in the amount of \$3000 payable directly to Sophia College, and due by May 15. (This \$3000 all-inclusive fee will cover their tuition at Sophia College for five courses, accommodations and meals (3 meals/day, 7 days/week) at Sophia College for the duration of the semester starting June 1 and ending during the first week of November. This fee will also cover transportation, to be arranged by Sophia College, from the airport to Sophia College upon students' arrival June 1st, and transportation back to Mumbai International airport for their departure in November)

d) Students will be responsible for paying for and arranging their own round trip flight to Mumbai.

Before implementing these activities, the parties will discuss the opportunities and challenges presented and may thereafter enter into specific agreements based on the mutually agreed objectives and outcomes.

2. This Letter of Agreement forms the framework for cooperation between the parties to identify and achieve shared goals and objectives, and to facilitate and develop a genuine and mutually beneficial exchange process and research relationship. This Letter of Agreement is non-binding and does not impose any legal or financial obligations or liabilities on either party.

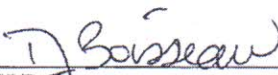
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3. This Letter of Agreement shall remain in effect for five years from the date of final execution, unless (i) either party terminates sooner by notifying the other party in writing, or (ii) the joint activities contemplated by this Letter of Agreement are completed before the end of the five-year period. The parties may extend this Letter of Agreement beyond five years by mutual written agreement.
4. Sophia College for Women will not use the name of Purdue, nor of any member of Purdue's program staff, in any publicity, advertising, or news release without the prior written approval of an authorized representative of Purdue. Purdue will not use the name of Sophia College for Women, or any employee of Sophia College for Women, in any publicity, advertising, or news release without the prior written approval of Sophia College for Women.
5. Each party shall designate a person or office to serve as liaison for implementing this Letter of Agreement. For Purdue, the contact person will be TJ Boisseau, 6164 Beering Hall, 100 N. University Street, West Lafayette, IN, 765-494-6295, tjboisseau@purdue.edu. For Sophia College for Women, the contact person will be Ananda Amritmahal, anandarsej@gmail.com.
6. Should this document be executed in two languages, the English version of this Letter of Agreement represents the understanding of the both Parties. Any other version is provided as a translation. In the event of conflict between the two versions, the English version will prevail.

Purdue University

Sophia College for Women


Dr. TJ Boisseau




Dr. (Sr.) Ananda Amritmahal
PRINCIPAL, SOPHIA COLLEGE

9/29/14
Date

29th September 2014
Date

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