



KALINGA UNIVERSITY

Established under Chhattisgarh Private Universities (Establishment and Operation) Act, 2005

Kotni, Near Mantralaya, Naya Raipur, Chhattisgarh, INDIA – 492 101

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Date: 03/02/2025

To,
The Principal,
Keystone School of Engineering
Near Handewadi Chowk,
Urali Devachi, Pune
Maharashtra – 412308

Subject: MoU between Kalinga University and Keystone School of Engineering.

Sir,

Thank you very much for your interest in seeking collaboration with Kalinga University. We are sending you two original signed hardcopies of MoU, you are requested to please send back one set of the Original after signing and seal in each page to us by speed post in the below mentioned address:

**Registrar
Kalinga University
Kotni, Near Mantralaya, Naya Raipur
Chhattisgarh – 492101 (India)
Mobile: 9303097043**

Enclosed: 2 signed hardcopies of MoU

With regards,


03/02/26
Dr. Sandeep Gandhi
Registrar

**REGISTRAR
KALINGA UNIVERSITY
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RAIPUR (CHHATTISGARH)**



KALINGA UNIVERSITY

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

Kalinga University, Naya Raipur, Chhattisgarh – 492101

(First Party)

and

Keystone School of Engineering, Pune, Maharashtra - 412308

(Second Party)

Preamble

The Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is entered into by and between

KALINGA UNIVERSITY, NAYA RAIPUR, CHHATTISGARH - 492101

and

KEYSTONE SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, PUNE, MAHARASHTRA - 412308

This Memorandum of Understanding has been executed on **02nd February 2026** through the Chief functionaries of the parties.

I. Kalinga University (KU) is accredited by NAAC with B+ grade and attained NIRF Ranking 2025 in the Top 101- 150 universities in the country. It is the only University in Chhattisgarh to have achieved an NIRF ranking in the Top 101-150. It has been established as a multidisciplinary Research-Focused and Student-Centric University with the aim to support learning that will advance human knowledge to develop and educate the leaders of tomorrow in research that tackle the most pressing problems of the state, the country, and the global community.

II. Keystone School of Engineering (KSE) was established in 2012 and is affiliated to Savitribai Phule Pune University (SPPU). The institute is approved by AICTE, New Delhi and recognized by DTE Maharashtra. The institute focuses on academic excellence, industry interaction, innovation, research, and holistic student development. Located in Pune, KSE benefits from strong industrial and IT exposure.


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1. Purpose and Objectives:

The parties recognize the benefits to be derived from mutual collaboration, cooperation and interaction towards the empowerment of the teachers. Hence, the parties desire to work together with the following objectives:

- 1.1 To provide a platform for the teachers, the Research Scholars and the students of both institutions to progress, perform and hone their teaching skills to match-up to the ever-changing and challenging times in education; by organizing seminars, conferences, symposia, workshops and mentoring programmes based on the needs and demands of the stakeholders without financial dependencies.
- 1.2 To cultivate and inculcate a research temperament that fosters an innovative ecosystem, for the teachers and the scholars of both institutions.
- 1.3 To conduct outreach programmes, to aid the less fortunate, to upgrade their knowledge and skills.
- 1.4 To organize faculty development programmes so that the teachers of both the institutions can update their knowledge base and implement the best pedagogical practices.
- 1.5 To encourage and emphasize the Professors, Associate Professors and others to participate and contribute as a resource faculty.
- 1.6 To establish a regional platform for the students/teachers.
- 1.7 To strengthen the educational relationships between both the institutions for the welfare of the teachers and learners.

2. Discretion:

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is subject to the following:

- 2.1 That the final authority in regard to its implementation and coordination of its activities shall rest on the Registrar of Kalinga University, Naya Raipur Chhattisgarh - 492101 and the authorized signatory of the second party.


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- 2.2 That the Memorandum of Understanding will remain valid for five (5) years from the date of signing with the possibility of further renewal, and such renewal is subject to evaluation and subsequent agreement on the part of both the Parties.
- 2.3 Both the Institute agree that this Memorandum of Understanding may be amended by mutual agreement and that each organization may unilaterally withdraw after six months' notice to the partner.
- 2.4 The functionaries shall meet at least once in three months for planning and implementation of the programmes via video conference or face to face based on everyone's availability.
- 2.5 The copyright will be reserved by both the parties.
- 2.6 Both parties may use each other logos after taking prior approval with the purpose of using the same.
- 2.7 In case of any conflict between the two parties, the conflict will be resolved by Arbitration.


(Dr. Sandeep Gandhi)
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