



LETTER OF COLLABORATION (LOC)  
BETWEEN  
GHULAM ISHAQ KHAN (GIK) INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING SCIENCES AND  
TECHNOLOGY TOPI, PAKISTAN  
AND  
UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MALAYSIA (UTM), MALAYSIA

With the objective of strengthening their mutual cooperation as well as striving for the promotion of mutual exchanges, GIK INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY having its address at Topi, District Swabi KP, Pakistan and UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MALAYSIA, having its address at 81310 UTM Sekudai, Johor Darul Ta'zim, MALAYSIA have concluded the following Collaboration:

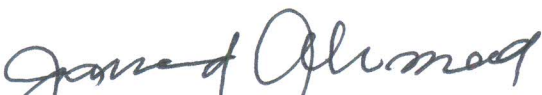
- A. Both universities agreed that their Collaboration will include, but not be limited to the following areas:
  1. To the reciprocal exchange of and visits by academic staff and students (pay tuition fee at their home university) for research, teaching;
  2. To engage in joint research activities and joint publications;
  3. To facilitate the exchange of information including, but not limited to, (taking into consideration pre-existing rights, contracts and confidentiality agreements) academic materials and research publications;
  4. To initiate joint teaching and the development of new degree and training programs; and
  5. To promote other academic activities mutually agreed in future
- B. Both universities agree that this Collaboration shall be identified as the parent document of any program agreement executed between the universities.
- C. Any conditions related to implementing the activities referred to in this Collaboration will be negotiated by both universities and the concerned parties and agreed to in a written document prior to commencing of any activities.
- D. Both universities understand that all financial, project details and legal arrangements and terms and conditions will have to be negotiated on fair and reasonable terms and will depend on the availability of funds. Any formal activity shall be set up under required contractual and financial regulation procedures of the universities and requirements of funding organizations as and when these become relevant.
- E. This Collaboration will come into force on the date that the governing bodies of both universities give their formal approval and will remain in effect for a period of three (3) years after which it may be renewed.
- F. Either university may terminate this Collaboration by officially notifying the other University of its intent to do so in writing by registered post six (6) months in advance.

G. The provisions of this Collaboration may be amended at any time by the mutual consent in writing of both universities.

H. Nothing in this Collaboration is intended to be legally binding on either institution apart from the obligation of confidentiality.

19th January 2017

SIGNED by for and on behalf of  
GIK INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING  
SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY, PAKISTAN



Prof. Dr. Javed Ahmad Chattha  
Pro-Rector (Academic)

Witnessed by



Mr. Muhammad Faheem Akhtar  
Director (Admissions and Examinations)  
GIK Institute of Engineering Sciences  
and Technology, PAKISTAN

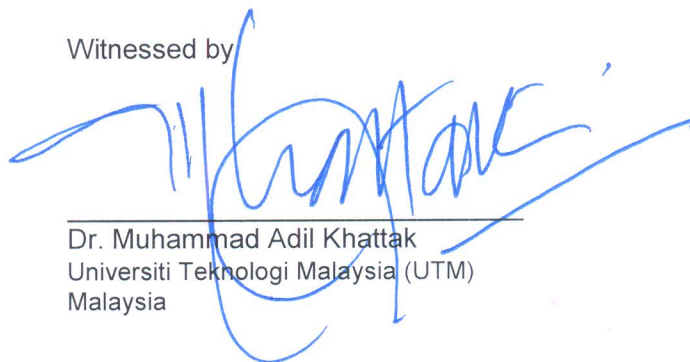
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Prof. Dr. Mohd. Nasir bin Tamin  
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Witnessed by



Dr. Muhammad Adil Khattak  
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Malaysia