

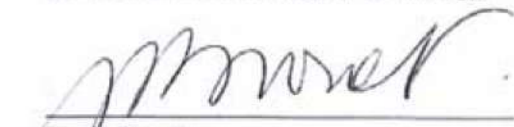
MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
ILLINOIS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, USA
AND
UNIVERSITY OF KASHAN, IRAN

This Memorandum of Understanding is entered into this 28th day of December 2015, between Illinois Institute of Technology ("IIT"), an Illinois not-for-profit corporation with its principal place of business at 3300 South Federal Street, Chicago, Illinois 60616 USA and the University of Kashan ("Kashan"), with its principal place of business at 6 Km Ghotbravandi Blvd, Kashan 8731753153 Iran, hereinafter referred to as IIT and Kashan.


1. Illinois Institute of Technology and the University of Kashan hereby agree to encourage academic cooperation through research and study in furtherance of the advancement of learning as stated below:
 - (a) To encourage visits by faculty from one university to the other for the purpose of engaging in research;
 - (b) To facilitate the admission of qualified students from one university to the other for the purpose of enrolling in courses, degree programs, and certificate programs; or participating in research projects;
 - (c) To foster the exchange of academic publications and scholarly information; and
 - (d) To promote other academic activities which enhance the above mentioned goals.
2. Both universities acknowledge that visits by faculty and students from one university to the other shall be subject to the entry and visa regulations of the United States and Iran and shall comply with the regulations and policies of IIT and Kashan.
3. Both universities agree that visiting students will be responsible for all expenses at the host university that are not covered by scholarships.
4. Both universities agree that all expenses, including research material, international and domestic travel, per diem, honoraria and all other costs, for visiting faculty and researchers, shall be the responsibility of the home university or determined on a case-by-case basis and agreed to in writing by the parties prior to the visit.
5. Each side will make its best efforts to make available university accommodation to visiting faculty and students.
6. Both universities agree to review this Memorandum of Understanding after five years following the date of signing, and acknowledge that this Memorandum is subject to revision and termination at any time by mutual consent or by six months' written notice by either party.
7. Both universities agree that this Memorandum of Understanding is incorporated into, and will provide the foundation and framework for, projects developed by academic and administrative units from the two universities and documented in other subsequent Agreements.

On behalf of Illinois Institute of Technology,

On behalf the University of Kashan



Frances Bronet
Provost



Prof. Abbas Zeraat
Chancellor