



**MOSCOW INSTITUTE OF
PHYSICS AND TECHNOLOGY**



**SHARIF UNIVERSITY OF
TECHNOLOGY**

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between

**SHARIF UNIVERSITY
OF TECHNOLOGY, Iran**

and the

**MOSCOW INSTITUTE OF
PHYSICS AND TECHNOLOGY
(STATE UNIVERSITY), Russia**

Sharif University of Technology represented by its President Mahmoud Fotuhi-Firuzabad, and the Moscow Institute of Physics and Technology (State University), (hereinafter referred to as MIPT), represented by the Rector N.N. Kudryavtsev, hereinafter referred to as Parties, recognize the value of educational, cultural, and scientific exchanges among international research institutions, and have determined that sufficient interest exists to establish this formal understanding.

SCOPE

Sharif University of Technology and MIPT hereby endorse the development of programs and activities that advance scholarship through our cooperative relations.

They may include:

- i. joint educational, cultural and research activities;
- ii. development of new educational programs addressing undergraduate and graduate school practices;
- iii. development of joint research and engineering projects, joint participation in competitions for Russian and international grants, creation of joint laboratories for research and development;
- iv. exchange of faculty, graduate students and postdoctoral scholars;
- v. participation in seminars, workshops and academic meeting;
- vi. exchange of academic materials, publications and other information; and
- vii. special short-term programs and visits.

FORMAT

With the approval of appropriate officers from each institution, this memorandum may include written *addenda* defining in more detail the nature, extent, and terms of specific collaborations.

CONVENTION

There are no legally binding obligations for either institution under the terms of this memorandum. This memorandum is intended to encourage and facilitate international collaboration on topics of mutual academic interest. Sharif University of Technology and MIPT therefore encourage all members of our faculties and research communities to engage as active participants.

The host institution bears no responsibility for the financial support of visiting participants or programs named in this or its *addenda*, and all exchange participants are subject to the host university's policies and regulations concerning academic personnel and intellectual property.

To sustain special programs and activities, both institutions may seek funds from extramural sources, if available.

Except in promoting activities among participants faculty and students, neither party may use name of the other party in any form of advertising or publicity without express written permission of the other party

Agreement between Sharif University of Technology and MIPT regarding specific activities that are intended to binding shall be negotiated and executed subsequent to and separate from this memorandum.

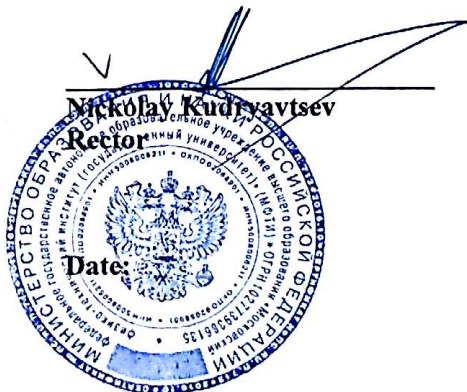
TERM AND TERMINTION

This memorandum is expected to remain in effect for five years form date of signature with possibility of renewal; however, if either institution desires, the understanding memorialized herein may be revoked at any time after the first six months by either party giving six months' prior written notice to the other party.

This document in English is signed in duplicate, with originals retained by each participating institution.

Visas

**MOSCOW INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS
AND TECHNOLOGY**



Nikolay Kudryavtsev
Rector

Date:

**SHARIF UNIVERSITY
OF TECHNOLOGY**

Mahmoud Fotuhi-Firuzabad
President

20, Dec, 2016