

# **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)**

**BETWEEN**



**IIT MANDI, HIMACHAL PRADESH**

**&**



**GOVERNMENT HYDRO ENGINEERING COLLEGE BANDLA,  
DISTRICT BILASPUR, HIMACHAL PRADESH**

**Memorandum of Understanding between Government Hydro  
Engineering College Bandla,  
District Bilaspur, Himachal Pradesh and Indian Institute of  
Technology Mandi, Himachal Pradesh**

**This Memorandum of Understanding is made between:**

**Government Hydro Engineering College Bandla, District Bilaspur, Himachal Pradesh  
and  
Indian Institute of Technology Mandi (IIT Mandi), Mandi 175075,  
Himachal Pradesh.**

**Objectives of Memorandum of Understanding**

GHEC Bandla and IIT Mandi are government funded institutions created through the act of State and Central Governments, respectively. To promote and support academics and research for the development of excellence in both the institutions, the two institutions have agreed to cooperate in the following main activities:

- Exchange visits of faculty and staff for the purpose of research, teaching and consultancy with prior approval from both the institutions for a duration of up to one year.
- Joint supervision of postgraduate and Ph.D. students as per the norms of IIT Mandi and affiliating university of GHEC Bandla i.e. Himachal Pradesh Technical University Hamirpur
- Permissible exchange of scientific information for academic purposes.
- Utilization of research facilities at special usage charges applicable for H.P. users.
- Training of students on facilities at both institutes subject to availability of resources.
- Joint research activities through participation in nationally and internationally funded projects.
- Organization of joint events such as seminars, workshops, conferences, training programs, etc.
- Exchange of students for 1 or 2 semesters for course work and projects with the possibility of transfer of credits as per the norms of IIT Mandi and affiliating university of GHEC Bandla i.e. Himachal Pradesh Technical University Hamirpur.
- Any other objective as agreed upon writing both the institutions.

**1. Financial Arrangements:**

Both the parties acknowledge and understand that all financial arrangements, if any, will be subjected to prior written agreement and availability of funds for each activity undertaken.

**2. Duration renewal:**

The MoU is signed initially for five years at the first instance from the date of signing. Further continuance of this MoU will be subject to joint agreement and review by both parties to be undertaken before the expiry of this MoU.

### 3. Advertising and Publicity:

Both the institute may advertise this MoU for information of students, faculty, staff and the general public.

### 4. Modification of MoU:

This MoU may be modified at any time if circumstances arise which call for any alteration, subject to the approval of both parties.

### 5. Statutory Compliance:

This MoU solely expresses the intention of both institutions. It is agreed that it does not have a legal effect nor create any financial obligations on either institution.

### 6. Confidentially:

Both institutions agree and undertake to keep confidential any information/data exchanged, acquired, or shared in connection with any program or activity conducted under this MoU.

### 7. Governance:

All terms of this MoU are subject to the laws of the Republic of India and acts, statutes and ordinances of both the institutions.

### 8. Signature on MoU:

Both the institutions agree to execute the objectives of the MoU within the framework of terms of reference of this agreement.

Now based on the aforementioned promise(s) the parties put their signatures on this MoU on date 06/05/2026

This MoU is written in two identical originals, both of equal validity.

Signature: [Signature]  
Director-cum-Principal  
Govt. Hydro Engineering College  
Bandla, Distt. Bilaspur (HP)

Director cum Principal  
Govt Hydro Engineering College Bandla,  
District Bilaspur, Himachal Pradesh-174001

Witnesses:

1. [Signature] (Nishant Singh Chandel)
2. [Signature] (Ravi Kumar)  
AP CSE

Signature: [Signature]  
Authorized Signatory

Prof. Shyam Kumar Masakapalli  
Dean  
Sponsored Research & Industrial Consultancy  
Indian Institute of Technology Mandi  
Kamand-175075, Mandi (H.P.) India  
Himachal Pradesh.



Witnesses:

1. [Signature] सहायक कुल सचिव  
(एसआरआईसी) भा.प्रौ.सं. मण्डी  
Assistant Registrar  
(SRIC), IIT Mandi
2. [Signature] Sandeep