

# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

BETWEEN

**Lingaraj Appa Engineering College,**  
Hereafter referred to as "LAEC" Survey No. 25, Gornalli,  
Bidar, Karnataka 585403  
Website: <https://www.lingaraj-appaec.in/>

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**Pragyan SmartAI Technology LLP,**  
Hereafter referred as "Pragyan AI", Reg Office at, B5033 Westend Heights,  
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This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter called as the 'MOU') is entered into on this the 10th day of- April - Two Thousand Twenty three (10/04/2023),

### BETWEEN

Lingaraj Appa Engineering College(LAEC), Survey No. 25, Gornalli,Bidar, Karnataka 585403 , the First Party represented herein by its Name of Competent Authority / Representative: DR. VINITA PATIL (Professor & Principal of LAEC) (here in after referred as 'First Party', the institution whose expression, unless excluded by or repugnant to the subject or context shall include its successors - in-office, administrators and assigns).

### AND

PragyanAI, B5033 , WestEnd Heights, Akshaynagar , Bannerghatta Road , Begaluru, Karnataka 560076. (hereafter referred to as 'Second Party'). Mr. Vijay Uppin, Marketing Head of PragyanAI will represent the Second party, unless excluded by or repugnant to the subject or context shall include its successors - in-office, administrators and assigns.

(First Party and Second Party are hereinafter jointly referred to as 'Parties' and individually as 'Party')





## WHEREAS:

- A) First Party is a Higher Educational Institution named:
  - (i) **Lingaraj Appa Engineering College(LAEC)**
- B) First Party & Second Party believe that collaboration and co-operation between themselves will promote more effective use of each of their resources, and provide each of them with enhanced opportunities.
- C) The Parties intend to cooperate and focus their efforts on cooperation within the area of Skill Based Training, Education and Research.
- D) Both Parties, being legal entities in themselves desire to sign this MOU for advancing their mutual interest.

**NOW THEREFORE, IN CONSIDERATION OF THE MUTUAL PROMISES SET FORTH IN THIS MOU, THE PARTIES HERETO AGREE AS FOLLOWS:**

### **CLAUSE 1 CO-OPERATION**

Both Parties are united by common interests and objectives, and they shall establish channels of communication and co-operation that will promote and advance their respective operations within the **Institution**. The Parties shall keep each other informed of potential opportunities and shall share all information that may be relevant to secure additional opportunities for one another.

First Party and Second Party co-operation will facilitate effective utilization of the intellectual capabilities of the faculty of First Party providing significant inputs to them in developing suitable teaching / training systems, keeping in mind the needs of the industry, and propose suitable add-on skill enhancement programs to improve the quality of education.

### **CLAUSE 2 SCOPE OF THE MoU**

The budding graduates from the institutions could play a key role in technological





up-gradation, innovation and competitiveness of an industry. Both parties believe that close co-operation between the two would be of major benefit to the student community to enhance their skills and knowledge.

**Industrial Training & Visits:** Industry and Institution interaction will give an insight into the latest developments / requirements of the industries; the Second Party to permit the Faculty and Students of the First Party to visit its group companies and also be involved in Industrial Training Programs for the First Party. The industrial training and exposure provided to students and faculty through this association will build confidence and prepare the students to have a smooth transition from academic to working career. The Second Party will provide its Labs / Workshops / Industrial Sites for the hands-on training of the learners enrolled with the First Party.

**Internships and Placement of Students:** Second Party will actively engage to help the delivery of the Internship and placement of students of the First Party into internships/jobs, as per AICTE internship Policy. The Second Party will also register itself on AICTE Internship Policy Portal for disseminating the Internship opportunities available with them.

**Research and Development:** Both Parties have agreed to carry out the joint research activities in the fields of *IT Services, Software Development, Website Development, Mobile Application Development, Data science, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, AI, IOT etc.*

**Skill Development Programs:** Second Party to train the students of First Party on the emerging technologies in order to bridge the skill gap and make them industry ready.

**Guest Lectures:** Second Party to extend the necessary support to deliver guest lectures to the students of the First Party on the technology trends and in house requirements.

**Faculty Development Programs:** Second Party to train the Faculties of First Party for imparting industrial exposure/ training as per the industrial requirement considering the National Occupational Standards in the concerned sector, if available.



**Project based learning/Sponsored Projects:** The second party will ensure that student teams work on a new application idea through sponsored projects and support them (all hardware costs are also borne) until it is completed.

Both Parties to obtain all internal approvals, consents, permissions, and licenses of whatsoever nature required for offering the Programs on the terms specified herein

There is no financial commitment on the part of the **Lingaraj Appa Engineering College(LAEC)**, the First Party to take up any program mentioned in the MoU. If there is any financial consideration, it will be dealt separately.

**Virtual Technology Clubs**, driven by students and faculties of first party and other institutes, under guidance of second party. The reason for inter college collaboration, deeper exploration of data science, and application to real world problem statements. Second parties also engage with other industries in specific business domains to interact with such virtual clubs and engage with students to improve learning of students.

**Hackathon and AI events:** To foster the entrepreneurial spirit amongst the student or student team from the first party can participate in Hackathon to help the government authorities & citizens by building an AI/ML model.

**Consulting Project and Joint Development:** The Second party will provide Industry consulting projects, as and when industry approaches such projects to the second party, the cost of project will be decided with consent from first party, second party and client company. The project consulting will be shared as per resources utilization and also decided based on project effort and while signing tri party agreement with client. The sharing will be decided based on project and will vary project to project.

**Training cum placement program ( Long term and Minor Degree):**

Second party will propose a customized program for students of the first party, long term programs for 1st year and 2nd year till students get placed. The program will be inline with industry need and aline with TOP notch universities across the world and will be delivered by blended learning mode by second party.

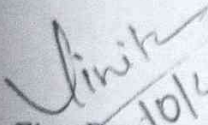
Second party will also plan a program for 3 year students and final year students for initial days, later only the 1st year and 2nd year students program will continue.



event of Termination, both parties have to discharge their obligations

## CLAUSE 5 RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE PARTIES

It is expressly agreed that **Lingaraj Appa Engineering College(LAEC)** and **PragyanAI** are acting under this MOU as independent contractors, and the relationship established under this MOU shall not be construed as a partnership. Neither Party is authorized to use the other Party's name in any way, to make any representations or create any obligation or liability, expressed or implied, on behalf of the other Party, without the prior written consent of the other Party. Neither Party shall have, nor represent itself as having, any authority under the terms of this MOU to make agreements of any kind in the name of or binding upon the other Party, to pledge the other Party's credit, or to extend credit on behalf of the other Party.

  
10/4/23  
First Party  
**PRINCIPAL**  
Lingaraj Appa Engineering College  
(LAEC) - Bidar

  
Second Party  
**PragyanAI**





AGREED:

For LAEC

For PragyanaI

*Vinita*  
*10/4/23*  
**DR. VINITA PATIL**

**PRINCIPAL**  
**(Professor & Principal)**  
**Gornalli Bidar**  
Authorized Signatory

*Vijay*  
**Mr. Vijay Uppin**  
**Marketing Head**  
Authorized Signatory

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| <b>Name of Institution :</b><br><b>Lingaraj Appa Engineering</b><br><b>College(LAEC)</b> | <b>Name of Industry :</b><br><b>PragyanaI</b>                                              |
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Professor.

Witness 2: Dr. Bhadesappa Huseelana - *Bhadesappa Huseelana*  
Professor.

