

**Academic Agreement  
between  
Indiana University of Pennsylvania  
and  
Delhi Institute of Advanced Studies  
Fall 2024**

**INTRODUCTION**

This agreement is written in the spirit of promoting international friendship by supporting intercultural activities and projects between the United States and India.

Indiana University of Pennsylvania (hereinafter IUP) and Delhi Institute of Advanced Studies (hereinafter DIAS) enter into this agreement beginning with Fall 2024. The purpose of this agreement is to formalize the cooperative activities that exist between IUP and DIAS in the areas of reciprocal welcome of students, faculty, and scholars.

This agreement supersedes all and any Agreements previously entered by both IUP and DIAS; including Memorandums of Understanding, Addendums to Memorandums of Understanding, 2+2 Undergraduate Program Agreements, and Exchange Agreements.

Either party to this agreement can terminate the agreement with a 90-day written notification. In such case, the programs in progress at the time of termination would continue until the end of the academic year.

The program will be financed on the basis of reciprocity, with each of the parties to the agreement responsible for the expenses incurred outlined below. Fluctuations in the rate of exchange will not change the reciprocal obligations of either party to this agreement.

**ARTICLES**

Article 1: DIAS students seeking academic degrees (undergraduate or graduate) from IUP are welcome to attend IUP for a degree at a reduced tuition rate (110% of in-state tuition).

All applicable fees will be paid by these DIAS students. These DIAS students will not be counted in the one-for-one exchange arrangement but will still be considered participants of this agreement.

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DIAS will work with IUP in the recruitment of qualified students. DIAS accepts responsibility for onsite promotional efforts. DIAS agrees that all promotional materials will be consistent with degree requirements spelled out in current IUP catalogs and websites with the provisions in this agreement related to coursework timing and delivery. DIAS agrees to send IUP's Office of International Education copies of all printed and electronic promotional materials associated with this agreement.

Based solely on this agreement, each DIAS student seeking a degree from IUP will be responsible for payment to IUP for the following:

- a) Reduced tuition rate (110% of in-state tuition);
- b) All required IUP fees;
- c) Any housing and meal fee options elected by the student;
- d) Any optional or penalty fees incurred by action of the student (e.g. damages, key fees, infirmary fees, late fees, etc.).

### **Faculty and Staff Exchanges**

Article 2: The exchange of faculty and professional staff will be based on the principle of reciprocity.

- a) Exchange professors at either institution shall be provided an appropriate office.
- b) Teaching courseloads and working hours and conditions shall be in accordance with established rules and practices of the host institution, although courseloads and working hours may be modified downward at the discretion of the host institution.
- c) Each exchange faculty is responsible for his/her own transportation, housing, living expenses, hospital and medical expenses (health insurance), as well as all personal expenses; unless otherwise supported by special funding. The host university may help the exchange faculty in finding housing, but the expenses thereof shall be totally borne by him/her.
- d) Nothing in the above listed articles shall be construed to imply a prior financial obligation by either party. Any financial commitment by either party to this agreement must result from, in each case, a specific written accord detailing such commitments.

Article 3: The host institution will approve, in writing, 90 days prior to the exchange the responsibilities of the exchange participant, the period of the exchange, and any other conditions governing the term of the exchange.

Article 4: Financial arrangements will be as follows:

- a) The home university or the participant will cover the cost of travel to and from the host university.
- b) The home university will pay the participant his/her usual salary during the period of the exchange.

Article 5: All participants will be required to meet language skills as prescribed by the host institution.

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**APPROVALS**

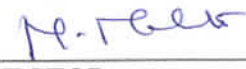
  
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