

specifically its Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics (CND), and **Someys Kitchen Pvt Ltd, Bangalore** (hereinafter referred to as "Someys Kitchen"). This MoU establishes the framework for collaboration in setting up and operating an LRigu Café within SDUAHER Hospital, under the supervision of the Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics (CND), to promote healthy, science-backed dietary options for patients, staff, and visitors.

PREAMBLE

SDUAHER is a Deemed-to-be University, founded in 1986, with a strong emphasis on medical education, healthcare services, and interdisciplinary research. It was established under the Sri Devaraj Urs Educational Trust for Backward Classes, led by Late Shri R L Jalappa, (Ex member of parliament) to provide quality medical education and social services. The university has received accreditation from NAAC and ISO 9001:2000 certification, demonstrating its commitment to excellence in education, research, and patient care.

SDUAHER was conferred Deemed-to-be University status by the Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, in 2007. Since then, it has expanded its curriculum, research, and infrastructural facilities, with special emphasis on genetic research, clinical nutrition, molecular diagnostics, disease prevention, and public health initiatives.

Research Infrastructure at SDUAHER

SDUAHER operates state-of-the-art Genomic and Central Research Facilities, housing sophisticated equipment for cytogenetic and molecular diagnostics, particularly in congenital anomalies, genetic disorders, infectious diseases, and nutrigenomics. It also houses specialized Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics Laboratories dedicated to metabolic studies, nutraceutical research, and therapeutic interventions. The university fosters research through its Junior Research Fellowship (JRF) and Seed Grant Schemes, supporting young researchers and faculty in conducting high-impact studies. Additionally, SDUAHER collaborates with national and international institutions, enhancing research output and interdisciplinary innovations.

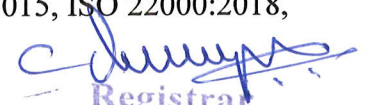
SDUAHER is also equipped with a dedicated Research Cell, which streamlines research proposals, funding applications, and ethics approvals. The university has successfully obtained funding from ICMR, DBT, DST, and UGC for various interdisciplinary research projects. It operates a Medical Simulation and Skill Development Center, which integrates clinical training with research to improve healthcare outcomes. Furthermore, SDUAHER's Centre for Translational Medicine bridges the gap between laboratory research and clinical applications, fostering innovation in diagnostics and therapeutics. The university has also introduced community-based research programs, particularly focusing on epidemiology, nutrition, and non-communicable diseases, ensuring that research translates into public health benefits.

About Someys Kitchen Pvt Ltd

Someys Kitchen Pvt Ltd, operating under the brand name BeamFoods, is a Bengaluru-based food and nutraceutical company focused on developing gluten-free, low glycemic index, and millet-based products that are entirely chemical-free, preservative-free, and artificial ingredient-free. The company has established a state-of-the-art manufacturing facility in Dodaballapura Industrial Area, certified under WHO-GMP, ISO 9001:2015, ISO 22000:2018,

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and FSSAI standards, ensuring high-quality production. Someys Kitchen has gained national recognition for its innovation in millet-based food products, winning awards such as the National Siridhanya Award 2023, Poshak Anaaj Awards 2023, and the Startup Innovation Challenge Award from ICAR-IIMR and Nutrihub. It has been featured among the “Top 10 Gluten-Free Startups 2024” for its efforts in developing long shelf-life millet-based flatbreads. Additionally, the company has expanded its operations by launching "LRigu-ABCDE" (Any Body Can Drink and Eat), a chain of millet-focused health cafés offering nutritious ready-to-eat and ready-to-cook meals, with the first café set up at GKVK-UAS Bangalore.

ARTICLE 1 - Purpose of the MoU

The purpose of this MoU is to establish a collaborative framework between SDUAHER’s Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics (CND) and Someys Kitchen Pvt Ltd to create and operate an LRigu Café within SDUAHER Hospital. This café aims to provide **scientifically balanced, health-conscious meal options** while promoting nutritional awareness and supporting clinical nutrition research.

ARTICLE 2 - Roles and Responsibilities

SDUAHER Department of Clinical Nutrition and Dietetics (CND):


1. Oversee the establishment, operation, and performance of LRigu Café to ensure it meets clinical nutrition standards.
2. Provide expert guidance on menu planning, ensuring meals align with dietary guidelines and therapeutic needs.
3. Monitor the nutritional content and safety of the food served.
4. Collaborate on public health initiatives, research projects, and awareness programs to promote healthy eating habits.
5. Facilitate workshops and seminars to educate patients, staff, and visitors on nutrition and wellness.

Someys Kitchen Pvt Ltd:

1. Set up and operate the LRigu Café within SDUAHER Hospital under the supervision of CND.
2. Develop a healthy, balanced menu free from artificial preservatives, refined sugars, and processed ingredients.
3. Ensure food preparation follows hygiene, safety, and quality standards.
4. Provide staff training to uphold nutritional guidelines and operational excellence.
5. Acknowledge SDUAHER as a collaborator in all promotional and marketing materials.

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ARTICLE 3 - Governance & Implementation

1. A joint oversight committee comprising representatives from both institutions shall oversee café operations and performance.
2. Regular review meetings will ensure continuous improvement, adherence to guidelines, and problem-solving.
3. Both parties agree to maintain transparency in financial, operational, and research-related matters.

ARTICLE 4 - Financial Considerations

1. Any financial arrangements, including revenue sharing and operational costs, shall be agreed upon through a separate, mutually approved agreement.
2. Funding for collaborative research projects, training, and awareness programs may be sought from external grants or jointly supported by both parties.

ARTICLE 5 - Duration & Termination

1. This MoU is valid for a period of **Three (3) years** from the date of signing.
2. It may be extended or modified by mutual written agreement.
3. Either party may terminate this MoU with **three months' prior written notice**, ensuring ongoing projects are smoothly transitioned or concluded.

ARTICLE 6 - Intellectual Property Rights (IPR)

1. Any research, innovations, or unique recipes developed as part of this collaboration will be jointly owned by both institutions.
2. Publications or promotional content arising from the partnership must receive joint approval before release.

ARTICLE 7 - Dispute Resolution

1. Any disputes arising from this MoU shall be resolved through mutual consultation.
2. If unresolved, disputes will be referred to arbitration under the **Indian Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996**, with proceedings conducted in **Bangalore**.

ARTICLE 8 - Governing Law

This MoU shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the **laws of India**. Jurisdiction for all legal matters shall be **Bangalore, Karnataka**.

ARTICLE 9 - Amendments

Any amendments to this MoU must be made in writing and signed by authorized representatives of both institutions.

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ARTICLE 10 - General Provisions

1. Both institutions may enter into similar agreements with other entities, provided they do not conflict with this MoU.
2. This MoU does not create any financial obligations unless explicitly agreed upon in subsequent agreements.
3. Both parties agree to maintain the confidentiality of any proprietary or sensitive information shared during this collaboration.

SIGNATORIES

In witness whereof, the authorized representatives of SDUAHER and Someys Kitchen Pvt Ltd have signed this MoU on this [DATE].

For Sri Devaraj Urs Academy of Higher Education and Research

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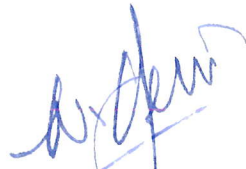
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Name: 
Director
ASHWATHY DAS

Designation: Co-founder

Witnesses:

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