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Peace Tree Innovations Society, hereinafter called "PEACE TREE", located at 6409 174A St, Surrey, BC V3S3K9, BC, CANADA.

"SDUAHER" and "Peace Tree" are individually referred to as "First Party" and "Second Party" respectively and collectively referred to as Parties.

**The purpose of the Agreement shall be:**

1. Recognizing the importance of mutual collaboration and the contributions to society made by the two institutions, both institutions share a desire to develop mutually strengthening and enriching educational, health care services and research experiences for both faculty and students including any outreach activities like educational conferences and workshops.
2. The primary purpose of this agreement is to provide a general basis within which specific cooperative activities of academic, health care services and research of multi and interdisciplinary nature will be implemented involving staff and / or students from SDUAHER and PEACE TREE.
3. Faculty and Researchers of both the institutions in appropriate disciplines will be encouraged to develop interactions in a focused way on topics and proposed collaborative projects. Such efforts will be made with integration of basic principles of scientific evidence based guidelines of modern medicine, with the wisdom, experience and observational hallmarks of the ancient system of medicine, viz., Yoga, Meditation, Ayurveda and other healing systems.

Research undertaken thus, would be guided by the fundamental principles on which the systems of medicine, in their educational, investigations and delivery are founded and established. Each project proposal will be considered on its merit and the two institutions will seek internal and external sources for financial support individually or jointly which are developed as a result of this agreement.

4. As specific projects in education, health care services and research are developed, each will require a written Memorandum of Understanding (or a Contract) which will set forth the terms and conditions of the project(s). These Memoranda or Contracts will be approved and signed by appropriate administrators at each institution.

**Areas of Collaboration:**

**a) Education and Training**

- i) Exchange of faculty and students on a reciprocal basis will be encouraged and implemented based on a well-designed format by mutual agreement to benefit the two institutions. This will include a range of interactions and events such as lectures, seminars, courses and participation in curricula and program development.
- ii) PEACE TREE and SDUAHER agree to explore collaborative Research / short term course including Certificate, Value Added, Elective and Diploma and other courses in Integrative Medicine on yoga and its applications related to Medical and Health Sciences, Physical Education,

Sports Sciences, Sports Medicine and other life style diseases. Financial arrangements for such collaborations shall be decided by parties on project to project basis through separate agreements.

- iii) As far as possible and contingent upon departmental approvals, the administrations of the two institutions agree to assist their respective faculty/staff members in developing scholarly exchanges that may include a range of interactions such as research collaboration, specialized lectures, seminars or conferences.
- iv) Both institutions shall agree upon the specific terms of any inter institution initiative relative to this agreement in written or electronic record correspondence at least three months prior to the initiation of a particular program of activity, consistent with the terms of this agreement, and subject to approval of the signatories of this agreement.
- v) Consistent with availability of funding and approvals, the SDUAHER and PEACE TREE will encourage the exchange of students/scholars in conformity with the policies of the two institutions.

**b) Research**

The two institutions/parties recognize each other's strengths and expertise in their respective fields and work towards a common goal of achieving / acquiring new knowledge through integration of modern medicine and yogic sciences / practices. The two institutions shall organize interactive sessions at their research facilities to enrich each other for a meaningful integration of these two disciplines. The outcome of such interactions shall aim to evolve, that the two institutions by the expertise and infrastructure available may jointly or severally conceive research proposals of integrated nature.

**c) Health Care Services**

The two institutions utilizing their fields of expertise shall work towards providing health care services in form of Yoga/Meditation and other healing modalities. Each institution shall independently involve in the development of infrastructure as required towards Health Care Services, however shall have the requisite manpower exchange for the functioning of such a service to achieve the goals and objectives envisaged.

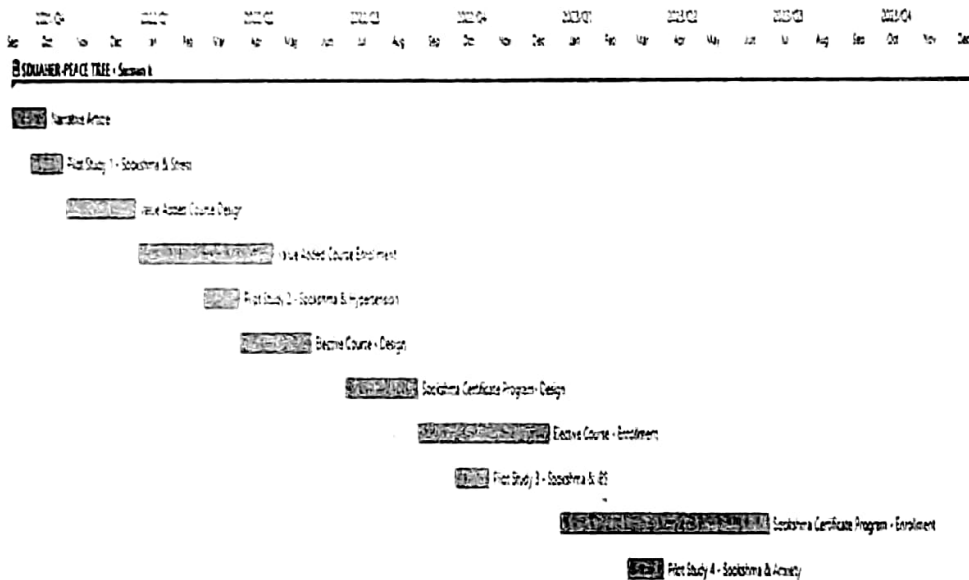
**General Provisions**

1. All research and other collaborative activities conducted pursuant to this agreement shall be conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations appropriate to each institution. Although this Memorandum of Understanding does not create any legal rights or obligations between the institutions, it expresses the institutions good-faith intentions and is intended to facilitate negotiations and preparation of the definite agreements embodying the final understanding of the institutions with respect to future collaborations.
2. This agreement shall take effect when executed by both institutions and shall terminate at the end of five years. The agreement shall be renewed for additional five year period unless either institution

provides the other with written notice that it wishes to terminate. Notice of termination by either institution must be given at least 90 days in advance. This agreement may be modified by the written agreement of both institutions at any time. Nothing within this agreement shall create any financial obligation or cause any hardship to either institution.

3. At SDUAHER, modification to this agreement shall be initiated through the Office of the Registrar, and at PEACE TREE, through the PEACE TREE Board of Directors.

Below is the High level Project Plan for various activities that are planned until the end of 2023. Both the Institutions will collaborate and adjust the timelines as per the feasibility & availability of the resources



IN WITNESS WHEREOF the institutions hereto have executed two copies of this instrument, each of which shall be considered original.

**First Party**

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Signature:

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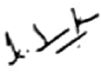
**Second Party**

*Sunitha V*  
Signature:

**Sunita Valaboju (Amma)**  
Director  
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Date: Dec 16 2021



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