



# Memorandum of Understanding

between

All India Council for Technical  
Education

and

## CSRBOX Group

(Represented by Renalysis Consultants Pvt Ltd & Shri Mahakal Education and Charitable Trust Rajkot)

Date: 12th September, 2025

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**FOR THE PROMOTION & COOPERATION ON ESTABLISHMENT OF CSR  
PROJECTS FACILITATION UNIT (CPFU) and CSR support for industry-  
academica connect By CSRBOX GROUP**

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) entered on this day of 12th September, 2025.

**BY AND BETWEEN**

All India Council for Technical Education, a Statutory Body of Ministry of Education, Government of India, established under the All India Council for Technical Education Act, 1987(52 of 1987) for the growth and promotion of Technical Education in India having its headquarter at Nelson Mandela Marg, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi-110070,” *(hereinafter referred as AICTE)*

And

CSRBOX Group (represented by Renalysis Consultants Pvt Ltd and Shri Mahakal Education and Charitable Trust Rajkot), having its corporate office at A-404-405, Swati Trinity, Applewood Township, Shela, Sarkhej-Okaf, Ahmedabad, Gujarat – 380058, s India's leading CSR and social impact advisory organization, specializing in CSR implementation, strategy consulting, skilling programs, and large-scale public-private partnerships across sectors. *(hereinafter referred as CSRBOX Group)*

CSRBOX Group and AICTE shall hereinafter are referred to individually as a “**Party**” and collectively as “**Parties**”. Both Parties have reached the following understanding to collaborate as per below described articles of this MoU:

**1. Purpose and Scope of collaboration**

CSRBOX Group and AICTE are interested in working together with mutual collaboration to give each other's strengths in faculty development programme, student development programme, institutional capacity building, research project developments, pilot projects considering the long-term benefits of sharing the knowledge and resources and establish a strong collaboration

The mutually agreed **activities** by and between the parties are as under:

1. Strengthening AICTE's National Internship Framework through CSR-supported industry engagement and mentorship programs.
2. Development of Centres of Excellence (CoEs) in emerging technologies, including setting up R&D labs and innovation hubs.

3. Creation of a centralized CSR Facilitation Unit at AICTE by CSRBOX Group to mobilize corporate partnerships and manage project engagements.
4. Hosting national-level hackathons and innovation showcases, including contributing towards the AICTE Smart India Hackathon.
5. Organizing capacity-building workshops, industry-led sessions, and stakeholder roundtables.
6. Acting as industry knowledge partner for AICTE on faculty and student development, institutional capacity building, research, and innovation.
7. Branding and visibility for CPFU-supported initiatives will be mutually agreed upon and promoted through AICTE and CSRBOX channels
8. CSRBOX Group to act as knowledge partner of AICTE related to faculty & student development, institutional capacity building, research and innovation development and provide its expertise to design and conduct programs accordingly.
9. Providing reciprocal access to each Party's knowledge base.
10. Organizing joint events, workshops, conferences, and training programs.

## **2. Role of AICTE**

1. Provide workspace and administrative support for two CSR Fellows deployed by CSRBOX Group at AICTE Headquarters.
2. Facilitate coordination with AICTE departments and affiliated institutions.
3. Endorse CPFU-curated initiatives for operational rollout.
4. Enable access to AICTE's National Internship Portal and related databases in compliance with data norms.
5. Support integration of project-based learning and skilling initiatives.
6. Promote CPFU initiatives across AICTE's platforms and channels.
7. Nominate AICTE representatives for key CPFU-led events and roundtables.
8. Assist in shortlisting institutions for CSR interventions.

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9. Provide strategic guidance on alignment with national skilling and education policies.
10. Assign Single Points of Contact (SPOCs) within AICTE departments to facilitate proposal review and approvals.
11. Support branding and outreach activities related to CPFU programs.

### **3. Role of CSRBOX Group**

1. Deploy two full-time CSR Fellows at AICTE at no financial cost to AICTE.
2. Mobilize CSR funding and corporate partnerships aligned with AICTE's strategic education goals.
3. Connect and curate internship, mentoring, and skilling opportunities for students.
4. Organize student outreach campaigns to achieve 2 lakh+ engagement targets annually.
5. Establish Centres of Excellence in AICTE approved institutions with CSR support.
6. Design and manage national hackathons and innovation showcases.
7. Facilitate industry-academia collaborations for real-world project integration.
8. Develop and maintain real-time dashboards for project monitoring.
9. Submit quarterly and annual reports to AICTE.
10. Ensure strict data privacy compliance under IT Act, 2000, and AICTE guidelines.
11. Create communication material, impact reports, and success stories to enhance CPFU visibility.
12. Submit documentation of hackathons, innovations, and research outcomes.
13. **Deliverables Management:** CSRBOX Group shall be responsible for the following key deliverables under the CPFU collaboration:
  - Real-time project dashboards
  - Bi-annual and annual impact reports
  - Event outcome reports, including hackathons, workshops, and showcases
  - Documentation of best practices and case studies
  - Knowledge Resource Repository (training modules, PBL material, workshop content)
  - Database of Mobilized Students and CSR Partners (quarterly updated)

- Innovation and Hackathon Compendium (problem statements, winners, impact)
- Centre of Excellence Setup Reports (location-specific updates)
- Digital Communication Assets (social media kits, newsletters, impact narratives)
- Annual Strategic Recommendations Report for future CSR-AICTE initiatives

#### **4. CO-ORDINATION AND NODAL OFFICER**

Both entities shall mutually decide and designate a nodal officer. The nodal officer will have responsibility for fulfilling the objectives of this understanding and also will carry out all activities mutually agreed by the parties.

#### **5. SCOPE**

All initiatives and activities under the MoU shall be carried out in the academic interest, with a non-profit approach, and should promote inclusivity.

The Parties acknowledge and agree that the Areas of Collaboration are not exhaustive in nature and the Parties shall in good faith, negotiate to elaborate upon the Areas of Collaboration, including additional areas of collaboration as may be mutually agreed and the rights, responsibilities and obligations of each Party in relation to each of the Areas of Collaboration.

#### **6. DURATION**

This MoU shall be valid from the date of signing the MoU till for **THREE** years and MoU may be further extended with mutual written consent.

#### **7. GENERAL TERMS**

The MoU between the two parties, viz. organization and AICTE has no legal binding and financial commitment whatsoever arising out of implementation of MoU on AICTE.

#### **8. Confidentiality Clause:**

AICTE being a Central Government body is mandated to be covered under AICTE Act. Any confidentiality clause shall be subject to provisions of the RTI Act. CSRBOX Group shall adhere to data protection norms under the IT Act, 2000, and comply with AICTE's internal data handling policies.

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## **9. TERMINATION**

This MoU shall also terminate without liability to either party if otherwise agreed to by the Parties in writing with a notice period of two months.

## **10. PROGRESS REPORT:**

The organization shall submit a progress report to AICTE every six months, detailing the status of the activities undertaken and compliance as per the provisions of the MoU.

## **11. DISPUTE SETTLEMENT**

If there is any difference of opinion between the parties in regard to any clause of this MoU and its implementation, then it shall be resolved amicably between the representatives nominated by good offices of both the parties through the process of negotiation. In case the dispute is not resolved, then it shall be referred to the Chairman, AICTE and the Head of the opposite party for amicable settlement and the decision of Chairman AICTE will be final and binding on both the parties.

In witness whereof the parties hereto have signed, sealed and delivered this MoU on this 12th September, 2025 above written in presence of:

**For and on behalf of All India  
Council of Technical  
Education**

*Shyama Rath*  
12/09/2025  
(Prof. Shyama Rath)  
Member Secretary, AICTE

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12/09/2025  
**WITNESS**

**For and on behalf of CSRBOX Group  
(Represented by Renalysis  
Consultants Pvt Ltd & Shri Mahakal  
Education and Charitable Trust)**

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(Mr. Bhomik Shah)  
**Founder & CEO, CSRBOX Group  
Council**

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