



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

between

REKHI FOUNDATION FOR HAPPINESS

and

**Janki Devi Memorial College
(University of Delhi)**

for

REKHI CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE FOR THE SCIENCE OF HAPPINESS

THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

(hereinafter referred to as "MOU")

is made on 10th day of January 2025

BY AND BETWEEN

Rekhi Foundation for Happiness represented by Dr. Satinder Singh Rekhi, having its office at 2051, last Chance Court, Gold River, CA, 95670, which expression shall, where the context so admits, be deemed to include its successors, executors and administrators including but not to be limited to "Rekhi Happiness Academy LLP", India, "Rekhi Foundation Private Limited", Singapore of the **FIRST PART** (Hereinafter referred as "**Rekhi Foundation**"/ "**First Party**").

AND

Janki Devi Memorial College, University of Delhi, having address at Sir Ganga Ram Hospital Marg, New Delhi-110060 which expression shall, where the context so admits, be deemed to include its successors, executors and administrators of the **SECOND PART** (Hereinafter referred as "**Janki Devi Memorial College**"/ "**Second Party**")

Rekhi Foundation and **Janki Devi Memorial College** are hereinafter referred to individually as "**Party**" and collectively as "**Parties**".

WHEREAS **Janki Devi Memorial College** proposes to establish "**Rekhi Centre of Excellence for the Science of Happiness**", with an aim to promote research, training and education and the practice of well-being for students and teachers through the application of happiness and well-being.

WHEREAS Rekhi Foundation had entered into Memorandum of Understanding dated 06.06.2024 with Delhi University for teaching the course of Science of Happiness in various colleges affiliated by it.

WHEREAS First Party wants to participate in this noble cause and wants to sponsor certain activities under the "**Rekhi Centre of Excellence for the Science of Happiness**".

WHEREAS the First Party shall be represented by **Dr. Satinder Singh Rekhi** or his assignee.

WHEREAS, Second Party has authorized Ms. Sakshi Bansal, Assistant Professor, Department of Economics as Co-ordinator and Single point of Contact (SPOC) for correspondence and communication with **Rekhi Foundation**.

The two signing organizations shall be referred to as the Parties.

The Parties agree to the following terms and conditions:

ARTICLE 1: MANAGEMENT

- 1.1. **Second Party** will be responsible for naming, establishing, and managing the course of Science of Happiness, project coordination, student management, space allocation, infrastructure, finances and the learning environment.
- 1.2. **Rekhi Foundation** will develop and share the curriculum of happiness to **Janki Devi Memorial College** for delivering to Students. This will be for purposes of a guideline, and **Janki Devi Memorial College** can modify the same.
- 1.3. **Janki Devi Memorial College** will actively promote "**Rekhi Centre of Excellence for the Science of Happiness**" at major platforms.
- 1.4. **Janki Devi Memorial College** will appoint **Dr. Satinder Singh Rekhi** and other faculty of **Rekhi foundation** as unpaid Adjunct Faculty Member in the College/institute after signing the MOU and make suitable notification of such appointment.
- 1.5. **Janki Devi Memorial College** will run science of happiness science courses for their students which could be credited elective subjects, minors/majors, or add-on courses or certificate courses. The faculty of the College will teach the same. **Rekhi Foundation** will help in Faculty Development. **Rekhi Foundation** may also bring International Professors for Happiness science sessions on-line and off-line.
- 1.6. **Janki Devi Memorial College** will allocate suitable space for the center/mind lab with basic furniture, computers, IT equipment, projector, faculty sitting area and a lab assistant.

ARTICLE 2: SPONSORSHIP

2.1. **Rekhi Foundation** will provide funding to **Janki Devi Memorial College** for teaching and promotion of science of happiness at (College) as per details below:

- Up to an amount of Rs 10 lacs (Rupees ten lacs) per annum. This funding can be used as a contribution to salaries paid for qualified teachers who will teach science of happiness courses, and research, internships, international conferences, purchase of books and any activity that promotes science of happiness. Qualified candidates will be those who have a background in Positive Psychology, Science of Happiness, Mindfulness, those who have completed training programs (including online training programs) in the Science of Happiness and are approved by Rekhi Foundation.
- an additional amount of up to Rs 7.5 lacs (Rupees seven and half lacs) per year if the (college) hires an additional full-time qualified faculty from outside.
- Equipment for mind lab worth up to Rs. 7.5 lacs (Rupees seven and half lacs) will be provided by Rekhi Foundation.
- Additional amount of Rs. 500,000 (Rupees Five Lacs only) will be paid every year, if the college introduces Science of Happiness as a micro-specialization course in their curriculum.
- Funds will be released upon receiving a budgetary proposal from the College on how they plan to utilize the funds. Funds will be released in a maximum amount of Rs 5 lacs (rupees five lacs) at a time.

2.2. **Rekhi Foundation** may supplement the teaching in the “**Rekhi Centre of Excellence for the Science of Happiness**” from time to time by providing expert staff from its team at the request of the **Janki Devi Memorial College**.

ARTICLE 3: PROMOTION

3.1. **Janki Devi Memorial College** shall create a web page for the “**Rekhi Centre of Excellence for the Science of Happiness**” detailing the course on their website. A press release announcing the Centre, and the course will be released on signing the MOU.

3.2. The Activities of the “**Rekhi Centre of Excellence for the Science of Happiness**” and its initiation will be promoted through social media. Commencement, details and impact of the “**Rekhi Centre of Excellence for the Science of Happiness**” will be displayed on the website of **Janki Devi Memorial College** with a press release to this effect.

ARTICLE 4: MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE & PERIOD OF CONSULTATIONS

4.1 The **Rekhi Foundation** and **Janki Devi Memorial College** will appoint representatives to manage and oversee the joint activities of the Centre. The **Rekhi Foundation** and **Janki Devi Memorial College** may meet as and when necessary but at least once in a quarter (Physically/ Virtually) to review progress in the implementation of the plans, define new areas for cooperation, and discuss matters related to the MOU.

ARTICLE 5: TERMINATION AND AMENDMENTS

- 5.1. This MOU shall be in effect from the date of signing and shall remain valid unless terminated by either party.
- 5.2. Either Party may request termination of this MOU, in writing, with ninety (90) days prior written notice. Any activity in progress at the time of termination shall be permitted to conclude as planned unless otherwise agreed in writing.

ARTICLE 6: MISCELLANEOUS

- 6.1. **Janki Devi Memorial College** shall submit quarterly reports to **Rekhi Foundation** on the progress and achievements of the “**Rekhi Centre of Excellence for the Science of Happiness**”.
- 6.2. Nothing in this MOU shall be construed as creating any legal relationship between the Parties. This MOU is a statement of intent to foster genuine and mutually beneficial cooperation. Any conflict shall be managed and resolved between the parties amicably through discussions.
- 6.3. The Parties recognize that appropriate representation is important to emphasize their common interests, purposes, and intentions in substantive terms. The Parties, therefore, intend to invite each other, where appropriate, to meetings, conferences, seminars, and workshops relevant to cooperation in the priority areas set out in this MOU.

In complete agreement with the above, we, the two Parties' representatives, the **Rekhi Foundation** and **Janki Devi Memorial College** sign this MOU.

Signed for and on behalf of

Rekhi Foundation for Happiness



By its duly authorised officer on

10th day of January 2025

Signed for and on behalf of

Janki Devi Memorial College



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प्राचार्य/Principal

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