

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE MINISTRY OF
EDUCATION OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF BRAZIL, THE MINISTRY OF
SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION OF THE FEDERATIVE REPUBLIC OF
BRAZIL AND THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT OF THE
REPUBLIC OF INDIA UNDER THE BRAZILIAN PROGRAMME "SCIENCE
WITHOUT BORDERS" ON THE RECEPTION OF BRAZILIAN SCHOLARSHIP
STUDENTS IN INDIA.**

Recalling the Cultural Cooperation Agreement between the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil and the Government of the Republic of India, signed on September 23, 1968;

Recalling the Educational Exchange Programme between the Government of the Federative Republic of Brazil and the Government of the Republic of India, signed on February 01, 2006;

Considering that the program "Science without Borders" from the Brazilian Government substantially broadens the scope of opportunities of placement of Brazilian students and young researchers abroad;

Considering that India, known for the excellence of its universities and its institutes of technology, should hold a prominent position as a country of destination for the scholarship students supported by the Program "Science without Borders",

The Ministry of Education,

The Ministry of Science, Technology and Innovation of Brazil

and

The Ministry of Human Resource Development of India,
(hereinafter respectively referred to as "Brazilian Side" and "Indian Side"),

Declare their intention of cooperating with each other and have reached the following understanding:

Article 1

1. The two Sides agree that India will receive Brazilian scholarship students supported by the programme "Science without Borders" at the levels of Graduation, Doctorate, Post-doctorate and Senior Research.
2. Other modalities of scholarships and support activities may be implemented in order to adequately meet the objectives of the programme "Science without Borders".

Article 2

1. The Brazilian Side will bear all the travel costs of Brazilian scholarship students to India, as established by the program "Science without Borders".
2. Scholarships will be granted by the Brazilian Side for Brazilian students and researchers within the priority areas established by the Brazilian Government under the program "Science without Borders", especially mathematics, basic sciences, pharmaceuticals, Informatics & Computing, Information and Communication Technologies and biotechnology.

Article 3

The Brazilian and the Indian Side will use their best efforts to develop, both in Brazil and in India, mechanisms for language preparation, i.e. for the English language, which is necessary for the selected students.

Article 4

1. The Brazilian Side designates the Coordination for the Improvement of Higher Education Personnel (CAPES) and the National Council for Scientific and Technological Development (CNPq), among others, to coordinate the sending of Brazilian scholarship students to partner Indian institutions.
2. The Indian Side designates Educational Consultants India Limited (Ed.CIL), among others, to coordinate the reception of Brazilian scholarship students by partner Indian institutions.
3. The specific conditions of sending and receiving Brazilian scholarship students to India will be formulated in a separate agreement between the Parties.

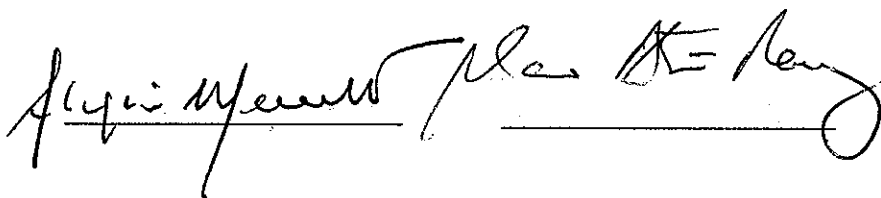
The present MoU shall come into force on the date of its signature and shall remain in force, unless either party terminates the present MoU by giving a written notice of its intention to terminate to the other party at least (3) three months in advance.

Done in New Delhi, on March 30th 2012, in two originals, in Portuguese, English and Hindi, all texts being equally authentic. In case of any divergence in interpretation, the English text shall prevail.

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