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## Memorandum of Understanding between Indian National Science Academy and Sudan Academy of Sciences

The Indian National Science Academy and the Sudan Academy of Sciences recognizing the desirability of enhancing mutual relations and fostering links between individual scholars and their academic / research institutions, wish to enter into an accord of cooperation, whereupon they agree:

1. to exchange publications and inform each other about the activities in research and science and technology meetings and seminars / conferences etc;
2. to promote collaboration in the areas of mutual scientific interest;
3. to promote the exchange of scholars to visit research institutions / laboratories, for establishing contacts, exchange of ideas, information and collaborative research. These will be known as fellowship visits. There will be two categories of such visits:
  - a) **Short term visits:** (up to two weeks) for senior researchers with a view to visit laboratories / institutions in the host country, maximum in 3 different cities during one research program to explore new areas of joint research projects, to review the ongoing program, to establish contacts and to attend seminars / symposia.
  - b) **Long term visits:** (up to 12 months) for early / mid career researchers with a view to carry out research in the scientific institutions on a mutually agreed subject. Major part of the stay would be in one institution. During the long visit, the short visit to one or two institutions can be arranged.

The sending Academy will bear the international travel costs of the visiting scientists and the receiving Academy will provide local hospitality including local travel and incidental expenses in connection with the programme; and

4. to hold joint workshops / seminars on specific subjects with participation of scientists from each country once in every two years. The duration of such workshops will not exceed more than a week. The Academies will identify topics of these workshops through mutual consultation.

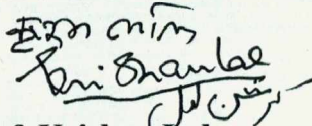
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Both the parties shall assist scholars nominated within the Memorandum of Understanding in arranging their research programme and local hospitality in the host institution as per their normal practice.

The present Memorandum of Understanding concluded between the Indian National Science Academy and the Sudan Academy of Sciences will come into force after the approval of the authorized bodies and will remain in effect until either side decides to terminate it after six month's notice in writing.

Signed in **New Delhi** on 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2013 in duplicate in English, both texts being equally authentic.

*On behalf of the*  
Indian National Science Academy



**Prof. Krishan Lal**  
*President*

*On behalf of the*  
Sudan Academy of Sciences



**Prof. Dr. Eltayeb Idris Eisa**  
*President*