

## **A Virtual Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signing ceremony to Build Bridges and Expand Knowledge**

On Monday, 14<sup>th</sup> February 2022 at 9:30 a.m. (Indian Standard Time) Curtin University, Malaysia and Kirloskar Institute of Advanced Management Studies, India in a spirit of mutual trust and collaboration, will host a virtual signing ceremony marking a unique partnership between both Institutions.

The collaboration will allow both institutions to develop and implement programming and activities to improve their research capacities to best serve their students and society. Curtin University and the Kirloskar Institute of Advanced Management Studies missions are similar. They are committed to research, accessing and utilizing emerging technologies, and providing a quality education that produces well-qualified and globally competitive graduates.

“I am delighted about the collaboration with the Dr. Bidyanand Jha, Ph.D. Director, Kirloskar Institute of Advanced Management Studies, India and his esteemed institution. Such collaborations help to strengthen both institutes outreach on an international level and creates more opportunities for students at both Institutions,” said Professor Simon Leunig, Pro Vice-Chancellor, President and Chief Executive of the Curtin University, Malaysia.

The Dr. Bidyanand Jha, Ph.D. Director, Kirloskar Institute of Advanced Management Studies, India said, “We will accomplish a lot through this memorandum of understanding to include: developing research, exchange and professional development programs for our students, faculty, and staff, and we look forward to this partnership between the Curtin University and the Kirloskar Institute of Advanced Management Studies.”

Additionally, the collaboration will include MDP, conferences, seminars and workshops, the establishment of knowledge exchange in areas of education and research, as well as sharing new technologies and methods of management through programming.

“Students will have the opportunity to participate in business and entrepreneurship classroom-based coursework, leadership development, experiential learning, community service and more, modeling what KIAMS-CU has successfully done over the years.”

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14th February, 2022  
Pune, India

**Dr. Bidyanand Jha**  
Director, KIAMS