<u>MAHATMA GANDHI CENTRAL UNIVERSITY</u> (Expression of Interest (EoI) for Publication of University Books and Journals)

On behalf of the Vice-Chancellor, Mahatma Gandhi Central University (MGCU), Expression of Interest (EoI) is invited from publishers of academic books and / or journals to publish the books and journals of the University. The publisher will be responsible for the printing, distribution, marketing and selling of these books and journals.

Publishers engaged in the publication of academic books and /or journals with an annual turnover of more than Rs. 1 Crore per annum in the last three years can apply, offering their terms and conditions. The publisher has to ensure high quality publication in terms of quality of paper, printing, binding, book jacket, design, proof reading and overall book layout as per MGCU norms. The interested publishers may contact **Prof. Asutosh Pradhan** for further details. **E-mail:** osdadmin@mgcub.ac.in.

The publication of such books shall be in the name of the University and the copyright shall be retained by '**Mahatma Gandhi Central University**'. The publisher shall be the collaborator 'Publishing House'. The publisher has to also ensure publication adhering to the deadlines specified by the University.

The EoI must be submitted in two sealed envelopes, containing a brief proposal clearly indicating the profile of the publisher, its organisational structure along with the availability of in-house facilities for undertaking the task, its experience in publishing academic books, details of the projects undertaken in past ten years, qualifications and experience of the team that will be undertaking the task, and other details elaborating on its capacity to undertake the work (**Annexure I**). The envelope No. 1 will be superscribed as '**Technical Bid**'. The other envelope No. 2 will be superscribed as '**Financial Bid**' and shall contain the financial terms and conditions for publishing these monographs / books / journals / publications as well as the percentage of royalty offered to the University (**Annexure I**).

Important dates:

1.	Date of commencement of EoI	: 17 th March, 2017
2.	Last date and time for receipt of EoI	: 24 th March, 2017 4.00 P.M

The following procedure need to be followed for submission of the EoI:

- a. The EoI in the prescribed format, complete in all respects, duly sealed and signed by authorized signatory, must be submitted on/before 4.00 PM on 24th March, 2017.
- b. The EoI shall be submitted in two sealed envelopes as specified earlier.
- c. All envelopes shall be addressed to 'The OSD (Administration) / The Registrar, Mahatma Gandhi Central University'.
- d. The last date to submit the EoI in all respects, duly sealed and signed by the authorized signatory to the office of the 'The OSD (Administration) / The Registrar, Mahatma Gandhi Central University, "TempCamp" Zila School Campus, Motihari 845 401, East Champaran' on/before 24th March 2017 at 4.00 P.M. through Regd. / Speed Post / Courier only.
- e. The University will not be responsible for postal or any other delays in receipt of EoIs.
- f. EoIs received after due date will not be considered.
- g. No overwriting, corrections or cutting is permitted in the EoI.
- h. Unsealed envelopes or unsigned EoIs will not be considered.
- i. The University reserves the right to reject any or all EoIs at any stage as well as the right to add/delete/modify any one or more of the terms and conditions with reasons to be recorded in writing.
- j. No TA/DA or out of pocket expenses will be admissible to attend any meeting, submission of offer or during completion of job.
- k. Interested publishers are advised to keep a watch on the University website for any related information in this regard.
- 1. The EoIs will be opened on 25th March, 2017 at 3.00 PM.
- m. If number of EoIs received is less than three, the EoI will be re-advertized.
- n. The interested publishers may contact **Prof. Asutosh Pradhan** for further details. **E-mail: osdadmin@mgcub.ac.in.**

Date: 17th March, 2017

OSD (Administration)

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

FOR

PUBLICTION OF UNIVERSITY BOOKS AND/ OR JOURNALS

AT

Mahatma Gandhi Central University "TempCamp" Zila School Campus District-East Champaran, Bihar 845 401

Expression of Interest submitted by:

Expression of Interest (EoI): Technical Bid

SL.	DETAILS	
1.	Name of the Publisher	
2.	Complete Address	
3.	Telephone Number	
4.	Fax Number	
5.	Email Address	
	Publisher	Name:
		Designation:
6.		E-mail:
0.		Telephone Number:
		Mobile Number:
		Fax Number:
7.	Income Tax PAN No. <i>(copy to be</i> enclosed)	
8.	Service Tax Registration No. <i>(copy to be enclosed)</i>	
9.	Audited financial statements for last three years (copies to be enclosed)	
10.	Details of the experience in publishing academic books in the last ten years (attach separate sheets)	
11.	Organisational structure	
12.	Details of in-house facilities available for undertaking the task	
13.	Details of staff to be dedicated for this task (attach details of qualifications and experience of each staff)	
14.	Membership of any registered trade agency/ organisation	
15.	Other details elaborating on the capacity to execute the work (attach separate sheets)	
16.	Affidavit to the effect that the publisher has not been blacklisted/debarred by any Govt. Institutions/Agency.	
17.	Any other information	

I agree to abide by the terms and conditions.

Date:..... Place:.....

Signature and Seal of the Authorized Signatory Full Name: Designation:

Expression of Interest (EoI): Financial Bid

SL.	DETAILS		
1.	Minimum number of books to be ordered or published		
2.	Percentage of royalty to be offered to MGCU		
3.	Number of complimentary copies to be offered to MGCU		
4.	Time of payment of royalty to MGCU		
5.	Percentage discount to be offered to MGCU on purchase of additional copies		
6.	Journal distribution costs (to be borne by the publisher)		
7.	Please specify price on the following parameters	Parameter Paper Material (e.g. woodfree/ rag,etc.) Paper Type (in GSM) Laminated Book Jacket (Hard bound/Paperback) Black and white printing (per page) Colour printing (per page) Photographs (per page) Glossy Paper (per page) Proof reading Binding	Price
		Packing and Transportation	

I agree to abide by the terms and conditions.

Date:..... Place:.....

Signature and Seal of the Authorized Signatory

Full Name: Designation: