AGREEMENT FOR ACADEMIC COOPERATION
BETWEEN
ACADEMIA SINICA
AND
TOHOKU MEDICAL AND PHARMACEUTICAL UNIVERSITY

In order to promote further cooperation between Academia Sinica, Taiwan and Tohoku Medical and Pharmaceutical University, Japan will conclude the following agreement on academic cooperation.

1. To the extent feasible, both institutions will encourage direct contact and cooperation.

   The following general forms of cooperation will be pursued:
   
   1.1. Collaboration of faculty and staff members for research, symposia and other academic pursuits.
   
   1.2. Exchange of young personnel (Ph.D. investigators) for research.
   
   1.3. Exchange of data, documentation and research materials in the field of glycobiology, taking cognizance of existing policies of both institutions.

2. This agreement is set for an initial period of four years, and it is renewed automatically.

3. This agreement shall come into effect from the date of signing by the representatives of both institutes.

4. This agreement is to be executed in two original documents, both written in English and being equally authentic.

5. This agreement is subjected to termination at any time with six months’ prior notice by either institution.
Hereupon, the signatures of representatives of Academia Sinica and Tohoku Medical and Pharmaceutical University, in the spirit of promoting mutual friendship and cooperation.

Date: September 19, 2019  Date: September 3, 2019

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