



**Memorandum of Understanding
for Scientific Cooperation**

between

Science Council of Japan (SCJ)

and

The Korean Academy of Science and Technology (KAST)

Science Council of Japan and The Korean Academy of Science and Technology (hereinafter, the Academies) recognizing the desirability of enhancing mutual relations and fostering links between individual scholars and their associates, wish to enter into an accord of cooperation, whereupon they agree:

1. to exchange publications and inform each other about the academic activities including science and technology meetings and seminars / conferences etc;
2. to promote collaboration in the areas of mutual scientific interest such as holding joint workshops / seminars on specific subjects with participation of scientists from each country. The Academies will identify topics of these workshops through mutual consultation.
3. to promote other contacts of scientists and scholars to deepen mutual scientific information and knowledge.

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

The present Memorandum of Understanding concluded between Science Council of Japan and The Korean Academy of Science and Technology *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 months' notice in writing.*

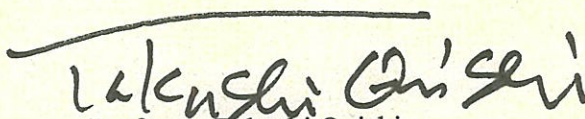
It may be supplemented by a mutually agreed upon Executive Protocol that will establish the modalities, financial support and other details deemed necessary for the smooth functioning of the MoU.


This MoU is based on goodwill of both parties and does not constitute legally binding obligation whatsoever.

Signed in *Seoul, Korea* on *November 13, 2014* in duplicate in English, both texts being equally authentic.

On behalf of the
Science Council of Japan

On behalf of the
Korean Academy of Science and Technology


Professor Takashi Onishi
President


Professor Sung Hyun Park
President