ACADEMIC COOPERATION AGREEMENT

between
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In order to foster scientific exchange and to promote cooperation in physics, the Asia Pacific Center for Theoretical Physics (APCTP) Academician J. Jeenbaev Institute of Physics of the National Academy of Science of the Kyrgyz Republic (NAS KR-IOP), hereinafter referred to as the "Parties", agree upon the following program, based on mutual equality and reciprocity of benefits:

Article I
The Parties will seek opportunities to cooperate in scientific research. The research projects will be defined by each separate written agreement of both Parties. The form of cooperation will vary and will be adjusted according to the goals and needs of the joint projects. The parties also agree to seek opportunities to organize seminars, special courses, and lectures for students and young researchers.

Article II
The Parties agree to promote the exchange of scientists, post doctorates and students. To this end, when either of the Parties invites members of the other party to participate in scientific exchange and joint research activities, the host Institution will normally cover the living expenses of the visiting scientists including accommodation, in a form to be defined in each instance, according to the rules and guidelines of the host institution.

Article III
The Agreement may be amended by mutual consent. This Agreement will enter into effect upon the date of last signature by the representatives of the Parties for an initial period of three years. It will automatically be extended for an additional period of three years at each expiration date unless either party gives six months advance notice in writing to terminate the Agreement.

Article IV
The Parties shall designate a person or office to serve as liaison for implementing this Cooperation Agreement.

Article V
This Agreement is to be executed in duplicate copies in English with each of the copies being equally authentic.

Date: 19.08.2019

Woong-Sung Jun
Executive Director
APCTP

Date: 26.06.2019

Nurbek Jeenbaev
Director
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