# Amendment No.7 2012-00 to International Cooperation Agreement

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This Amendment No.7 is made and entered into by and between the National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (hereinafter referred to as "AIST") and the Federal University of São Carlos (hereinafter referred to as "UFSCar"), in respect of the existing international cooperation agreement between the parties dated March 7, 2013 whose joint research is titled "Bioluminescence and its Biophotonic applications" (hereinafter referred to as "Original Agreement").

Whereas the Original Agreement was scheduled to expire on March 31, 2014, and the term of the Original Agreement was extended for additional twenty-four (24) months, expiring on March 31, 2016 by "Amendment No.1 for EXTENSION to International Cooperation Agreement" dated July 9, 2014 (hereinafter referred to as "Amendment No.1").

Whereas the Original Agreement amended by the Amendment No.1 was scheduled to expire on March 31, 2016 and the term was extended for additional twelve (12) months, expiring on March 31, 2017 by "Amendment No.2 for EXTENSION to International Cooperation Agreement" dated March 24, 2016 (hereinafter referred to as "Amendment No.2").

Whereas the parties desired to exchange research materials with each other, and the specific conditions to manage research materials were added to and incorporated in the Original Agreement amended by the Amendment No.1 and 2, by "Amendment No.3 to International Cooperation Agreement" dated July 20, 2016 (hereinafter referred to as "Amendment No.3").

Whereas the Original Agreement amended by the Amendment No.1, 2 and 3 was scheduled to expire on March 31, 2017 and the term was extended for additional twelve (12) months, expiring on March 31, 2018 by "Amendment No.4 to International Cooperation Agreement" dated May 3, 2017, but whose effects started on April 1, 2017 (hereinafter referred to as "Amendment No.4").

Whereas the Original Agreement amended by the Amendment No.1, 2, 3 and 4 was scheduled to expire on March 31, 2018 and the term was extended for additional twelve (12) months, expiring on March 31, 2019 by "Amendment No.5 to International Cooperation Agreement" dated May 7, 2018, but whose effects started on April 1, 2018 (hereinafter referred to as "Amendment No.5").

Whereas the Original Agreement amended by the Amendment No.1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 was scheduled to expire on March 31, 2019 and the term was extended for additional twelve (12) months, expiring on March 31, 2020 by "Amendment No.6 to International Cooperation Agreement"

dated March 15, 2019 (hereinafter referred to as "Amendment No.6").

Whereas the Original Agreement amended by the Amendment No.1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 (hereinaft referred to as "Current Agreement") expires on March 31, 2020 and the parties desire to exter and continue the term of the Current Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

- The term of the Current Agreement shall be extended for additional twenty-four (24) month expiring on March 31, 2022 in accordance with the First Clause, first Sub-Clause, fif Paragraph (I.1.5) of the Current Agreement.
- 2. The Research Participants appointed in the Attachment 2 of the Original Agreement, wh were replaced by the ones appointed in the Attachment 2-1 of the Amendment No.4, wh were replaced by the ones appointed in the Attachment 2-2 of the Amendment No.5, wh were replaced by the ones appointed in the Attachment 2 -3 of the Amendment No.6, sha be hereby replaced by the ones appointed in the Attachment 2-4 attached hereto.
- 3. Except for the preceding paragraphs, all other terms and provisions of the Current Agreemer shall remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have caused this Amendment No.7 to be signed and executed by their duly authorized representatives in duplicate in English and in Portuguese, each party retaining one (1) copy thereof, respectively. Notwithstanding the date of execution hereof, this Amendment No.7 shall come into effect as of April 1, 2020 with the both signatures.

Date: Feb. 12, 2020

[AIST] National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology

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Dr. TANIGUCHI Masaki, Director, Collaboration Promotion and International Affairs Division **Research and Innovation Promotion Headquarters** for and behalf of Dr. CHUBACHI Ryoji, President, taking over from Dr. NOMAKUCHI Tamotsu described in the Original Agreement

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Dr. OHMIYA Yoshihiro Prime Senior Researcher, Biomedical Research Institute

Date: MAR. 11, 2020 [UFSCar] Federal University of São Carlos

Prof. Wanda Aparecida Machado Hoffmann, Ph.D.

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Maria Estela Antonioli Pisani Canevarolo Head, International Relations Office

#### **Attachment 2-4: Research Participants**

## AIST

Participating Researchers Position: Prime Senior Researcher Name: OHMIYA Yoshihiro Affiliation: Biomedical Research Institute Whether to be located at UFSCar: No

## Research Assistant None

### UFSCar

<u>Participating Researchers</u> Position: Associate professor and leader Name: Vadim Viviani Affiliation: UFSCar Whether to be located at AIST: No

<u>Research Assistants</u> Position: Postdoctoral researcher Name: Ariele Cristina Moreira Affiliation: UFSCar Whether to be located at AIST: No

Position: PhD student Name: Vanessa Bevilaqua Affiliation: UFSCar Whether to be located at AIST: No

Position: PhD student Name: Daniel Rangel Affiliation: UFSCar Whether to be located at AIST: No

Position: Undergraduate research student Name: Gabriel Felder Affiliation: UFSCar Whether to be located at AIST: No

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