## AGREEMENT ON ACADEMIC EXCHANGE BETWEEN

# GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS /SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS OSAKA UNIVERSITY

#### AND

## FACULTY OF HUMANITIES UNIVERSITY OF FRIBOURG

The Dean of the Graduate School of Economics/School of Economics, Osaka University, Japan and the Dean of the Faculty of Humanities, University of Fribourg, Switzerland, with the objective of promoting cooperation in the fields of education and academic research, agree to conclude the following agreement on academic exchange.

#### **Article 1**

Both institutions agree to promote the following activities to enhance their education and academic research:

- (1) Activities such as collaborative research, lectures, symposiums, etc., and the exchange of researchers pertaining thereto;
- (2) the exchange of information and materials in those fields, which are of interest to both institutions;
- (3) and the exchange of undergraduate and graduate students.

#### Article 2

Specific matters pertaining to the implementation of the exchanges between both institutions shall be negotiated and agreed upon between the parties concerned in each specific case and may be stipulated in writing.

## Article 3

The applicable law of this agreement shall be the laws of Switzerland, when the cooperation is carried out at University of Fribourg, Switzerland, and by the laws of Japan when carried out at Osaka University.

### Article 4

Both institutions agree to adhere to and comply with applicable export control laws and regulations. Both institutions agree that this academic exchange does not aim for design or development of military equipment, including but not limited to Weapons of Mass Destruction. Weapons of Mass Destruction are defined as Nuclear, Chemical, Biological weapons and Missiles, and other Unmanned Aerial Vehicles for military use.

#### **Article 5**

This agreement shall become effective on the date of its signing by the representatives of both institutions and shall be in force for five years.

#### Article 6

This agreement is subject to revisions by mutual written consent.

### Article 7

Either institution may, by giving six months' written notice to the other institution, terminate this agreement. However, termination of this agreement shall not affect the implementation of the collaborative activities established under it prior to such termination.

In the absence of any such early termination, the renewal of this agreement shall be discussed by both institutions at least 6 months prior to the natural termination of the current agreement.

## Article 9

This agreement is to be executed in English and each institution shall retain an original copy.

Date: 26, 2, 2018

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