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Re: Invitation to 2nd Symposium of The Scientific Chairs and Centers Abroad (SCCA)

(25) October 2017, Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia

Dear Professor/Dr.....,

King Saud University's, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, positive experience of organizing the first previous symposium of Scientific Chairs and Centers Abroad (SCCA) in 2013 has encouraged us to organize a second one.

The second Symposium of the Scientific Chairs and Centers Abroad (SCCA) will be organized in 25, October, 2017. The Symposium will be an international platform that cultivates collaborative environment where scientific chairs and centers abroad and inside will have the chance to meet and exchange experience.

The objectives of the symposium are summarized as follow:

1. Cultivating collaborative environment to encourage scientific chairs abroad and inside to establish long term relationships.
2. Promoting cultural and scientific communication where these chairs and centers can facilitate academic cooperation and collaboration with Saudi professors and students.
3. Establishing bases for cross-cultural communication through encouraging and funding cross-cultural studies.
4. Defining researchable topics that are of international interest where these chairs and centers abroad and inside can assist researchers conduct.

Chair-holders of the Scientific Chairs and Centers from different countries around the world will share their knowledge and experiences in this symposium. The central theme for this symposium is "**Scientific Chairs and Centers abroad: A Gate of Cross-Cultural Communication and Academic Collaboration**". The following are suggested topics for the symposium:

1. SSCCA: A gate for international collaboration and academic staff development.

2. SSCCA: A basis for a globally recognized exchange program.
3. SSCCA: A gate for international scientific collaboration.
4. SSCCA: What has been achieved, what has not, what is still to be achieved.
5. SSCCA: Expectations and aspirations.

We will be honored by your presence, and therefore, we invite you to participate in this important event. KSU will cover your travel cost from your university, to include business class air tickets, full board hotel accommodation, and ground transport.

Your confirmation to join the symposium would be very much appreciated. For further information, please contact the office of Professor Abdullah Alsubaiy, the Director of King Salman's center for Historical and Civilization Studies of the Arabian Peninsula, at the following contact details:

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For further information, please visit the symposium website at:
<http://ksalmancenter.ksu.edu.sa/>

Thank you and I look forward to your confirmation of participating in this symposium.

Sincerely yours,

Rector King Saud University

Chairman of the higher committee of the symposium

Prof. Badran Alomar