#### **AGREEMENT**

#### between

# THE INSTITUTE OF PHYICS, SIGAPORE and THE PHYSICAL SOCIETY OF REPUBLIC OF CHINA(TAIWAN)

To enhance relations and improve communications, The Institute of Physics, Singapore (IPS) and the Physical Society of Republic of China (Taiwan) (PSROC Taiwan) agree as follows:

### 1. Scientific Contacts

The IPS and PSROC Taiwan will encourage scientific contacts between members in their respective countries by exchanging information about their activities, particularly about their educational programs, meetings, conferences and publication activities.

## 2. Membership Privileges

Members of IPS who are not members of PSROC Taiwan will be able to:

- 2.1 Submit papers to PSROC Taiwan annual meetings on the same terms as PSROC Taiwan members,
- 2.2 Attend PSROC Taiwan annual meetings at member rates,

Members of PSROC Taiwan who are not members of IPS will be able to:

- 2.3 Submit papers to IPS annual meetings on the same terms as IPS members,
- 2.4 Attend IPS annual meetings at member rates,

# 3. Joint IPS and PSROC Taiwan Endeavors

- 3.1 IPS and PSROC Taiwan will look for opportunities to organize short courses, joint topical meetings and joint international conferences.
- 3.2 IPS and PSROC Taiwan will inform each other of current officers and provide contact information.

#### 4. Promotion

IPS and PSROC Taiwan will make reasonable efforts to ensure that these arrangements and privileges are promoted to their members at least once a year, directly or through their respective member journal(s).

# 5. No Joint Venture of Partnership Created

The parties are independent contractors with respect to each other, and nothing herein shall create any association, partnership, joint venture or agency relationship between the parties. Neither party has any right or authority to assume or create any obligations or responsibility on behalf of the other party.

## 6. Duration

This agreement will be in effect on signatures by both the Presidents of the societies and shall remain in force until either gives the other not less than 12 months written notice of termination.

The undersigned accept this agreement.

President of The Institute of Physics, Singapore

Rajdeep Singh RAWAT

Date

January 17, 2017

President of the Physical Society of Republic of China

(Taiwan)

Minn-Tsong Lin

Date

January 17, 2017