# Agreement on the Double-Degree Doctor's Program between

the Division of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, the Graduate School of Natural Science and Technology,

Kanazawa University, Japan

and

the Department of Computer Science, the College of Informatics, National Chengchi University, Taiwan

#### 1 Objective

This is to declare an agreement on the following items concerning the management of the Double-Degree Doctor's Program between the Division of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, the Graduate School of Natural Science and Technology, Kanazawa University (hereinafter abbreviated as "Kanazawa University") and the Department of Computer Science, College of Informatics, National Chengchi University (hereinafter abbreviated as "NCCU"), in addition to provisions stated in the "Agreement for Cooperation and Exchange between Kanazawa University, Japan and NCCU, Taiwan" and the "Memorandum on the Exchange of Students in accordance with the Exchange Agreement between Kanazawa University in Japan and NCCU in Taiwan." The details of this program are described in the "Memorandum on the Implementation of the Double-Degree Doctor's Program between the Division of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, the Graduate School of Natural Science and Technology, Kanazawa University, Japan and the Department of Computer Science, College of Informatics, National Chengchi University, Taiwan."

#### 2 Number of students to be accepted

As a rule, at most 3 students will be accepted as regular students to each graduate school per year. These students must enroll in the regular graduate course of the graduate schools participating in the present agreement.

#### 3 Period of Admission

The precise dates will be specified in the application guidelines.

4 The standard schedule of this program and the period of study abroad

Students participating in this program shall enroll in each graduate school at the period stipulated by the university. The standard schedule of this program is set to be 5 years.

#### 5 Courses accepting the participating students of this program

- At Kanazawa University, admission is possible to the Doctor's Level Section in the Division of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science.
- At NCCU, admission is possible to the Doctor's Degree Program in the Department of Computer Science.

## 6 Credits needed for graduation

Participating students must obtain the full number of credits stipulated by each university.

#### 7 Requirements for receiving a degree

The requirements for completion of the course are defined by the regulations of the respective university. However, the Ph.D. thesis submitted to each university, while they are allowed to include complementary or interrelated portions, must have a different content. For this purpose, both graduate schools will verify the independence of the content within the Ph.D. theses before their acceptance.

### 8 Supplementary provisions

The term of validity of the present agreement is 3 years from the date when the persons in charge sign it. In the case where one of the graduate schools wishes to terminate the cooperation, it must notify the partner graduate school in writing at least 6 months in advance of the expiration date. After the expiration of 3 years, if there is no request in writing to suspend or alter the program from either of the graduate schools, then the present agreement will be automatically renewed with the same conditions for another period of 3 years.

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Dean of Graduate School of Natural Science and Technology, Kanazawa University

(Date) 2022/09/12

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