AGREEMENT ON ACADEMIC EXCHANGE BETWEEN

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY CENTER, THE UNIVERSITY OF TOKYO AND

DEPARTMENT OF INTERACTIVE MEDIA DESIGN, YILDIZ TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

Information Technology Center, the University of Tokyo (Japan) and Department of Interactive Media Design, Yıldız Technical University (Türkiye) (hereinafter referred to as the "parties"), in the firm conviction that academic exchange between the parties will promote academic research and other activities, hereby conclude the following Agreement.

Article 1. The parties agree to implement exchanges and other activities in areas of academic research of mutual interest through the following.

- (1) Exchange of faculty and administrative staff and researchers.
- (2) Conducting collaborative research.
- (3) Holding joint lectures and symposia.
- (4) Exchange of academic information and materials.

Article 2. Actual projects to be implemented for the realization of specific exchange activities as defined in the preceding article shall be decided through discussion between the parties. The activities specified under the preceding paragraph shall be carried out in compliance with laws and regulations to be followed by the parties concerned.

Article 3. In the case that research results impacting upon matters of intellectual property rights are expected to arise in the course of collaborative projects carried out under the terms of Article 1 above, the parties shall discuss in good faith and agree in a separate document the conditions regarding the treatment of intellectual property rights so arising, prior to the start of the collaborative project in question and in accordance with the policies of each party.

Article 4. This Agreement is valid for five years effective from the date of the final signature affixed below by the parties hereto (hereinafter referred to as the "term"). The term of the Agreement may be extended upon agreement by the parties. Either party may terminate the Agreement during its term by giving six months advance written notice to the other party.

Article 5. This Agreement is created in duplicate in English, each of the duplicates being deemed original.

The parties hereby establish this Agreement by duly signing it, as of the respective dates below.

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