

DECISION DOCUMENT

on co-funding of Slovenian - Japanese joint projects in FY 2011 (April 1, 2011 – March 31, 2013)

Based on the Memorandum of Understanding on Scientific Cooperation between the Ministry of Education, Science and Sport the Republic of Slovenia and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science signed in April 2001 and on the call for proposals for joint research projects and joint seminars, published by the Slovenian Research Agency and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science respectively in 2010, the two sides realize that:

The Ministry of Higher Education, Science and Technology of the Republic of Slovenia received 12 (twelve) proposals for joint research projects and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science received 13 (thirteen) proposals for joint research projects.


Based on the results of the evaluation of the project proposals received by both sides The Ministry of Higher Education, Science and Technology of the Republic of Slovenia and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science have come to an agreement that according to the peer review screening they will jointly fund the following joint research projects in the FY 2011 (April 1, 2011 – March 31, 2013):

No.	INSTITUTION IN SLOVENIA	PI IN SLOVENIA	INSTITUTION IN JAPAN	PI IN JAPAN	TITLE OF PROJECT	DURATION
1	Jozef Stefan Institute	CVELBAR Uros	Nagoya University	SEKINE Makoto	Plasma synthesis and application of nanowalls	April 1, 2011 to March 31, 2013
2	National Institute of Chemistry	JERALA Roman	Osaka University	AKIRA Shizuo	Molecular mechanism and potential therapeutic applications of Toll-like receptor signaling	April 1, 2011 to March 31, 2013 (JAPAN to March 1, 2013)
3	Jozef Stefan Institute University of Ljubljana	BONCA Janez	Kyoto University	TOHYAMA Takami	Theoretical Studies of Dynamical Properties in Correlated Electron Systems Coupled to External Degrees of Freedom	April 1, 2011 to March 31, 2013

In Slovenia project no. 1 may use up to 15.000 EUR, project no. 2 up to 18.000 EUR and project no. 3 up to 21.000 EUR in two years.

In Japan each of the selected projects may use up to JPY 2.500.000 per fiscal year. (Up to JPY 5.000.000 in two years).

Done in Ljubljana and Tokyo, respectively, in December 2010.


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