

DECISION DOCUMENT

on co-funding of Slovenian - Japanese joint projects in FY 2012 (April 1, 2012 – March 31, 2014)

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 project, published by the Slovenian Research Agency and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science respectively in 2011, the two sides realize that:

The Ministry of Higher Education, Science and Technology of the Republic of Slovenia received 11 (eleven) proposals for joint research projects and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science received 11 (eleven) 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 2012 (April 1, 2012 – March 31, 2014):

No.	INSTITUTION IN SLOVENIA	PI IN SLOVENIA	INSTITUTION IN JAPAN	PI IN JAPAN	TITLE OF PROJECT	DURATION
1	Institute "Jožef Stefan"	Denis Arčon	Tohoku University	Katsumi Tanigaki	Exotic electronic properties arising due to geometrical symmetry	April1,2012 to March31, 2014
2	National Institute of Biology	Alenka Malej	Hiroshima University	Shin-ichi Uye	Slovenia-Japan cooperative studies on problematic jellyfish blooms: mechanisms and mitigation	April1,2012 to March31, 2014 - Slovenia March1,2014 - Japan
3	University of Maribor, Faculty of Mechanical Engineering	Zoran Ren	Okinawa National College of Technology	Shigeru Ito	Characterisation of mechanical behaviour of advanced pore morphology foam materials under impact loading	April1,2012 to March31, 2014

In Slovenia each of the selected projects may use up to 15.000 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 January 2012.



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