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Dear President Qiu,

Re: Global Forum of University Presidents 2021 (GFUP 2021)

On the occasion of Tsinghua University's 110th Anniversary, I wish to extend a very warm congratulations on reaching this significant milestone. Tsinghua University has an impressive track record in research, innovation and teaching and stands as one of the most prestigious universities in China.

As Canada's leading community-engaged research university, Simon Fraser University strongly values the relationship we have developed with Tsinghua University. Tsinghua University and SFU first formalized its partnership in 2005. Since then, our relationship has flourished. We have developed strong research linkages in such areas as computer science and engineering, and our students have greatly benefited from rich study abroad experiences at each other's institutions.

We look forward to deepening our partnership and international engagement with Tsinghua University in the years to come. On behalf of Simon Fraser University, we wish Tsinghua University great success and prosperity.

Sincerely,

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c. Carol Zachs, Senior Director, Global Engagement

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