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Qiu Yong, PhD  
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Dear Dr. Qiu,

Congratulations on the 110<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Tsinghua University! As one of Stony Brook University's longest and most cherished partners in China, we are delighted to commemorate this momentous occasion with you.

With over 200 global partners across five continents (including more than 40 in China), Stony Brook is dedicated to building strong relationships and collaborating with universities around the world. We have committed ourselves to developing and expanding our global connections, and our 15-year partnership with Tsinghua is a shining example of international universities coming together to produce globally minded students and engaging faculty with colleagues around the world to create life-changing discoveries and solve problems facing the world today.

The ties between Tsinghua and Stony Brook are strong. Since 2006, our partnership has fostered countless student and faculty exchanges and research collaborations. We are also bonded through our shared connection to China's first Nobel Laureate, CN Yang, who epitomizes what global education can achieve when we work together. I look forward to continued engagement between Tsinghua and Stony Brook and building deeper ties through our collaborative exchanges.

Once again, congratulations on reaching this important milestone. On behalf of everyone at Stony Brook University, I wish you luck and success in the years to come.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Maurie McInnis".

Maurie McInnis  
President

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