



Tsinghua University  
Attn: President QIU Yong

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Subject  
110th Anniversary Tsinghua University

Dear President QIU Yong,

On behalf of the University of Groningen, I would like to congratulate Tsinghua University on its 110<sup>th</sup> anniversary!

Tsinghua University's continuous efforts to strive for academic excellence have led to great achievements. This has not only resulted in a position as one of China's most prestigious universities, but also in recognition as a global leader in education, research and innovation.

The partnership between Tsinghua University and the University of Groningen started in the 1990s. In the past decades, our ties have become stronger in both research and education. I am glad to witness the growing impact of our joint research center in China-EU relations and the productive research collaboration in various disciplines. More specifically, I would like to mention the potential of the recently established multi-faculty student exchange programme between our universities. We strongly believe that the personal contact and the academic and cultural knowledge gained will equip students from Tsinghua and Groningen with the skills needed to contribute to the global societal challenges we face.

I look forward to the further development of our collaborative partnership and would like to take this opportunity to send our best wishes for your future.

Yours sincerely,

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Rector