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Prof. QIU Yong
President
Tsinghua University
Beijing, China

Dear President QIU Yong,

On behalf of the Universidad de Chile's community, please receive our warmest congratulations on the occasion of Tsinghua University's 110th Anniversary which you are celebrating this month.

It is a great honor for me to have been able to write to you on this important milestone, especially when our institutions are facing a period of uncertainty and constant changes, not only in the external scenario, dealing with several and profound challenges, but internally looking for new ways of delivering high quality education and doing advanced research.

In this context, we need to find ways to innovate for the future in order to create solutions that allow tackling increasingly difficult problems. To successfully do so, complex solutions are needed, where transdisciplinary research and internationalization are key concepts that we must strongly embrace in the post-pandemic world, thus creating valuable opportunities to strengthen the collaborative work between our Universities.

Please convey our sincere congratulations to all the community of University of Tsinghua, expressing our deepest feelings of solidarity in these difficult times. I hope to have the opportunity of meeting you in person when the world sanitary conditions allow it.

Sincerely,

Prof. Dr. Ennio Vivaldi
Rector
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