

Professor Qiu Yong
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Via email

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Dear President Qiu Yong,

Many thanks for your letter dated 13 January and the kind invitation to contribute as a speaker to the Global Forum of University Presidents 2021 (GFUP), being convened as part of your esteemed university's 110th anniversary celebrations.

I would be delighted to take part in this auspicious event and to contribute specifically to a plenary session, to exchange ideas and experiences to support greater levels of collaboration. I am particularly interested in contributing to the topic of 'Global Carbon Neutrality: Universities Responsibility and Action' as it speaks to my own university's demonstrable commitment to this significant agenda and its importance to our shared future global prosperity.

I am, of course, very happy to provide a pre-recorded video message in advance, to be included in your commemorative publications and events.

I look forward to receiving details of the timing and final agenda for the Forum and arrangements for my online attendance, and wish you all the very best for a successful anniversary celebration.

Yours sincerely



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Vice-Chancellor and President