

## DECISION DOCUMENT

### on co-funding of Slovenian - Japanese joint projects in FY 2013 (April 1, 2013 – March 31, 2015)

Based on the Memorandum of Understanding on Scientific Cooperation between the Ministry of Education, Science and Sport of the Republic of Slovenia and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science signed in April 2001 and on the call for proposals for joint research projects, published by the Slovenian Research Agency and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science respectively in 2012, the two sides realize that:

The Ministry of Education, Science Culture and Sport of the Republic of Slovenia received 16 (sixteen) proposals for joint research projects and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science received 16 (sixteen) proposals for joint research projects. 14 (fourteen) applications of joint research projects were matching in both countries.

Based on the results of the evaluation of the project proposals received by both sides the Ministry of Education, Science Culture and Sport of the Republic of Slovenia and the Japan Society for the Promotion of Science have come to an agreement that according to the peer review screening they will jointly fund the following joint research projects in the FY 2013 (April 1, 2013 – March 31, 2015):

No.	INSTITUTION IN SLOVENIA	PI IN SLOVENIA	INSTITUTION IN JAPAN	PI IN JAPAN	TITLE OF PROJECT	DURATION
1	National Institute of Chemistry	Prof. Gregor ANDERLUH	RIKEN	Prof. Toshihide KOBAYASHI	Molecular dissection of the distribution and the dynamics of membrane sphingomyelin	April1,2013 to March31, 2015
2	Jožef Stefan Institute	Prof. Aleš UDE	Advanced Telecommunication s Research Institute International	Prof. Jun MORIMOTO	Accelerated development of autonomous behaviors for humanoid robots	April1,2013 to March31, 2015
3	University of Ljubljana, Biotechnical Faculty	Prof. Gregor BELUŠIČ	The Graduate University for Advanced Studies	Prof. Kentaro ARIKAWA	Evolution of colour vision in regionalized insect eyes: physiological and molecular analysis of opsins in the owlflies (Neuroptera:Ascalaphidae) and the sun moths (Lepidoptera: Castniidae)	April1,2013 to March31, 2015

In Slovenia each of the selected projects may use up to 12.000 EUR in two years.

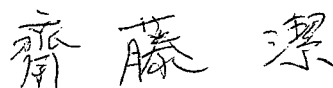
In Japan each of the selected projects may use up to JPY 2.500.000 per fiscal year. (Up to JPY 5.000.000 in two years).

Done in Ljubljana and Tokyo, respectively, in December 2012.

  
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