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Prof. Noda Atsunori

President

Aichi University of Education

Dear President Noda and Members of Aichi University of Education,

On behalf of everyone at National Taiwan Normal University, congratulations on this momentous occasion! I am pleased to witness your esteemed university's 150th anniversary.

Due to National Taiwan Normal University's historical roots as a teacher training institution, we have a special regard for your institution's mission. Alexander the Great once said, "I am indebted to my father for living, but to my teacher for living well." Aichi University of Education has certainly enabled countless students to live well for a century and a half.

Since our universities began our student exchange relationship, 22 of our students have been taught by AUE faculty and formed friendships on your campus. NTNU also has had the privilege of hosting performances by AUE's Puppet Theatre Troupe, which delighted so many local elementary students as well as expanded their knowledge. AUE students consistently make huge strides in their Chinese language proficiency during their studies at NTNU's Mandarin Training Center, and we always value your insights about our programs.

In the past, our joint projects had helped to spark creativity and research engagement in middle school students. We look forward to possibly elevating such joint local projects to an international level along with other cooperation efforts with AUE in the future.

Yours sincerely,

Professor Cheng-Chih Wu

President

National Taiwan Normal University