## 2017 美中创新创业与合作发展高峰论坛 暨美国"中国旅美科技协会"成立 25 周年年庆 2017 年 10 月 6-8 日,美国纽约曼哈顿 邀请函

尊敬的 先生/女士:

创新驱动和合作发展是当今世界的主流。许多高科技领域诸如物联网、机器认知和大数据、电子信息技术及其安全、生物科技及制药新技术与疾病防治、绿色环保和新能源技术等正经历飞速发展。同时,教育、人文等领域也在发生深刻的变革。所有这些发展和进步对科技创新和投资引智也提出了更高的要求。成立于1992年的美国"中国旅美科技协会"(旅美科协 CAST-USA)作为在美国最有影响力的旅美华人综合性民间科技组织之一,活跃于美国本土的同时在中国也拥有相当的知名度。旅美科协一直秉承和各个科技领域紧密结合的传统,在美中两国民间科技交流中长期发挥着独特的桥梁和平台作用。为在新时期进一步推动美中两国的交流合作,我们定于2017年10月6日(星期五)到8日(星期天)在美国纽约曼哈顿举办"美中创新创业与合作发展高峰论坛--暨美国中国旅美科技协会25周年年会",诚挚期待您的出席!

本次峰会由旅美科协全美总会主办、大纽约分会承办、各其它分会和驻中国办事处、联络处协办,并得到美中两国诸多相关机构的支持。我们将延续和发展以往各届论坛的传统,拟邀请包括诺贝尔奖获得者、美国科学院和工程院院士等知名学者、美国知名企业家/创业家,美国金融风投机构,美国联邦和地方政府官员和议会议员等政府、企业、高校嘉宾;同时,我们拟邀请中国驻美国特命全权大使、中国常驻联合国大使、中国驻纽约总领事、国侨办、侨联、欧美同学会和其他相关中央和地方政府官员和组织的负责人,中国科学院和工程院院士及高校知名学者,中国国家级高新区、侨梦苑等知名企业家/创业家,著名风投机构等,以及寻求转型升级发展和进行海外投资的中国国营私营企业家等相关人士参会。

目前已经确认的主题演讲嘉宾有:诺贝尔经济学奖得主哥伦比亚大学教授约瑟夫•斯蒂格利茨 (Joseph E. Stiglitz)博士、诺贝尔奖生理学或医学奖得主哈佛医学院教授杰克•绍斯塔克(Jack W. Szostak)博士、美国国家科学院和医学院双院院士、美国文理科学院院士哈佛大学教授谢晓亮博士、著名的数学家张益唐教授等。

此次大会有三大主题。第一天以中美合作发展为主轴。第二天以包含各种科技前沿的高端论坛和创新创业大赛。第三天以人才交流和项目对接,大会将邀请中国各省市创业园、孵化器、高校、企业等单位与在美科技专业人士举行创新创业和智力、项目、资金对接和人才招聘大会。另外,这次大会还将评选和颁发旅美科协年度"科技创新卓越领袖奖"、"卓越科学家奖"、"科技企业卓越管理奖",以及举办国际大学生、中学生学术研究海报大赛及颁发相应优秀人才奖等。

我们诚挚地邀请您参加此次盛会,如有任何问题,请和我们联系。我们热切地期待着与您在纽约相见!

此致

敬礼!

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## Invitation

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Dear Sir/Madam

Innovation and collaboration has become the mainstream of today's world. Many high-tech fields are undergoing rapid development, such as internet security, machine learning, big data, information technology, biotechnology, new pharmaceutical technology, disease prevention and care, green environment and energy. Meanwhile, the fields of education and humanity are undergoing revolution. All of those require deeper technology innovation, more investment and involvement of high quality talent. The Chinese Association for Science and Technology, USA (CAST-USA), a non-profit and non-political organization founded in 1992, is one of the most influential American Chinese organizations, and has been active and well-known in both the US and China. CAST-USA has the tradition to activate close cooperation among professionals from all scientific fields, and has been always acting as a bridge and platform for communication and cooperation between USA and China in Science and Technology. To further promote this goal, CAST-USA will be holding the "A Summit for US-China Innovation, Entrepreneurship, Collaboration and Development – 25th Anniversary of CAST-USA" in New York, October 6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

This summit will be hosted by the Greater New York Chapter (CAST-GNY). It will also be supported by many other organizations in both US and China. We are planning to continue our tradition to invite famous scholars, such as *Nobel Laureates*, members of US National Academy of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, AAAS and IEEE fellows, as well as well-known US entrepreneurs, US financial venture capital institutions, officers from both US federal government and local government. Meanwhile, we are also planning to invite the Chinese Ambassador to the US, Chinese Ambassador of China to the United Nations, Consul General of China in New York, officers from *Overseas Chinese Affairs Office*, *All-China Federation of Returned Overseas Chinese*, *Western Returned Scholars Association* and other central and local governments and organizations in China, renowned scholars from the Chinese National Academy of Sciences and Academy of Engineering and universities, famous Chinese entrepreneurs from China's state-level high-tech zones, famous Chinese financial venture capital institutions, as well as the entrepreneurs of private sectors in China who are seeking opportunities to transform, upgrade and develop their overseas investment.

Confirmed keynote speakers include Nobel Laureate in Economic Sciences Dr. Joseph E. Stiglitz, Nobel Prize Laureate in Physiology or Medicine Dr. Jack Szostok, Member of the National Academy of Sciences and NA of Medicine Dr. Xiaoliang (Sunny) Xie and Rolf Schock Prize Laureate in Mathematics Dr. Yitang (Tom) Zhang.

The three days summit will offer a variety of activities. Each day will focus on one particular theme. The first day will focus on cooperative development between US and China. The second day will focus on high-tech and cutting-edge forums as well as the Contest of Innovation and Entrepreneurship. On the third day, we will focus on talent exchange and project docking. In addition, we will award the CAST-USA annual Distinguished Leaders Award for Science and Technology Innovation, Outstanding Scientist Award, Excellence Management Award for Science and Technology Enterprise. Additionally we will host an International Poster Contest for College and High School Students, and honor the Outstanding Talent Awards.

We sincerely invite you to attend this event. Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you at this convention.

Sincerely,

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