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**Swiss-Iranian Research Collaboration**

Dear Dr. Meraji,

The Zurich University of Applied Sciences is the Leading House for research collaboration with partner institutions in South Asia and Iran. Mandated by the State Secretariat for Education, Research and Innovation (SERI) in 2017, we promote and foster scientific cooperation with key institutions in this region during the funding period 2017-2020.

We are delighted to know that your esteemed university is the Leading House for Iran-Switzerland Academic Affairs in the area of medical sciences. This will allow both your organization as well as ours to facilitate collaborations between Swiss and Iranian institutes of higher education in medical sciences. To this end, we look forward to co-ordinating with you calls for research grants in order to enable research projects between scientists in both countries.

Wherever possible, we shall pursue further activities of mutual interest.

Yours Sincerely,

Zurich University of Applied Sciences

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