This letter is available as a template for use by organizations or institutions wishing to endorse the national ARUCC Groningen and Student Mobility Project.

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Re: Letter of Endorsement for the ARUCC Groningen and Student Mobility Project

Greetings,

**<name of individual, institution or association>** is pleased to provide endorsement for the ARUCC Groningen and Student Mobility Project and its vision for Canada which is aspiring to advance national and international student mobility through trusted electronic data exchange. The Project’s goals of enhancing Canada-wide capacity and creating a national, trusted network for student data exchange are timely and needed.

We are particularly pleased to hear the ARUCC registrarial leadership unanimously endorsed this initiative at its recent bi-ennial general meeting and to see the following principles articulated in your plans:

* A learner focus with aspirations to enhance student mobility across Canada and internationally
* Respect for institutional diversity and autonomy
* Acknowledgement and support for provincial and territorial authority
* An emphasis on maximizing efficiencies and quality through trusted data exchange

The concept of a model that respects and builds upon existing data exchange and application centres in select regions of Canada resonates with our <**institution, organization, association**>. We further support the plans to create a model that both facilitates connectivity options for institutions lacking electronic data exchange capacity and provides access for institutions and allied organizations to trusted data providers in other countries as an enhancement to international student mobility into Canada.

With this letter, we also provide permission for you to use our organization’s logo in project communications material to demonstrate our endorsement.

Thank you for the opportunity to express our support for this initiative.

Sincerely,