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**DataCite Canada Consortium**  
**January 1, 2020 – December 31 2020**  
**PARTICIPATION AND FINANCIAL COMMITMENT AGREEMENT**

I have reviewed the financial commitment and terms and conditions required to participate in the *DataCite Canada* consortium for the period of January 1, 2020 – December 31, 2020.

I understand the pricing is composed of two elements: the annual repository fee, and the annual DOI fee. These fees are based on the number of repositories at my institution and the number of DOIs minted during the previous calendar year. **These fees are waived for current DataCite Canada members who minted 100 DOIs or fewer in 2019.** I understand that the fees are established by DataCite in Euros.

I recognize that CRKN cannot predict or guarantee the market foreign exchange rates in effect at the date of invoice or settlement, but works to obtain competitive rates at any given point in time.

I hereby **CONFIRM** the following:

- I am a duly authorized representative of my organization;
- That my organization commits to participate in the *DataCite Canada* agreement for the period of January 1, 2020 – December 31, 2020, and will provide payment to CRKN as indicated below and according to the terms of the CRKN invoice; and,
- That my organization will be billed in Canadian funds

**PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Authorized Representative Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Organization Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Additional information required for DataCite members who are not CRKN members (Invoices for existing CRKN members will be sent to address and contact on file):**

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Billing address

\_\_\_\_\_  
Billing contact person

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Billing contact email address

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Billing contact phone number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Main contact person

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Main contact email address

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Main contact phone number

**CRKN uses an automated system to process Financial Commitment forms. As such, we ask that members please follow these guidelines:**

- Return your form to [form@crkn.ca](mailto:form@crkn.ca) as a PDF attachment
- Return only *one* form per e-mail message to [form@crkn.ca](mailto:form@crkn.ca)

**Upon successful processing, you will receive an automated e-mail confirmation. Thank you very much.**

**Please respond by the deadline of January 6, 2020.**