

PUBLIC BENEFIT FOUNDATION

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Agreement

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An agreement is established between

The **King Baudouin Foundation**, VAT: BE 0415.580.365, a public benefit Foundation whose headquarters are located at rue Brederode 21 in B-1000 Brussels and represented by Luc Tayart de Borms, Managing Director, acting within the framework of:

Fund Pure Ocean

and the Beneficiary

Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México University Avenida Universidad 3000 in 04510 Ciudad de Mexico MEXICO account holder 000000101693118 Chasus33 J.P. MORGAN CHASE BANK, N.A. represented by William Henry Lee Alardin

the Foundation grants financial support to the Beneficiary, in accordance with the specific terms and conditions, on which the Beneficiary agrees.

AMOUNT and payment of the financial support

The Foundation will support the Beneficiary's project for a total and fixed amount, all fees and VAT included, of:

- * 20 000,00 EUR
- * (twenty thousand EUR, zero cent)

This amount will be allocated for carrying out:

- * IMTA: Development of sustainable land-based integrated multi-trophic aquaculture
- * Investigate and develop Integrated Multi-Trophic Aquaculture (IMTA) techniques for seafood production on land.
 - Explore the potential of a strategic natural resource, USW, in land-based IMTA.
 - Promote the technological development of constructed wetlands planted with edible halophytes (salt-tolerant plants) to treat and recycle nutrient-rich aquaculture effluents.

The project should ultimately provide technological solutions which can be applied to the aquaculture industry to meet the fast-growing demand of seafood while at the same time protecting delicate coastal ecosystems (e.g. corals reefs, seagrass beds and mangroves) from the threat of unsustainable fish production practices. The project will be carried out in the Mexican Caribbean. Nonetheless, the knowledge that we expect to generate could be applied world-wide to produce marine species on land sustainably and reduce the ecological impact of seafood industry on the oceans.

This amount will be paid by the Foundation to the above account in 2 installments, as follows:

- 1 12 000,00
- 2 8 000,00