

Agreement of collaboration in research project

between

the National Research Centre for the Working Environment (NRCWE)

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and

The University of Sydney,

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and

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This is an agreement of research collaboration between University of Sydney, Loughborough University (the "collaboration partners") and NRCWE on a project about validation of physical activity and body postures from accelerometers of different manufacturers.

The protocol of the study, consisting of background, methods, project time frame and estimated project cost is described in the appendix "Protocol for validation study of accelerometers". The study will be conducted in Copenhagen, Denmark.

The project is planned to start April 1st 2018 and last until March 31st 2020.

The collaborator partners will share the working tasks and costs involved in the project. Since the data collection and analyses will be performed in Copenhagen by NRCWE, Loughborough University will transfer GBP 10,000 to NRCWE, and University of Sydney will transfer AUD 20,000 to NRCWE before the start of the project. Publications from the project in scientific peer-reviewed international journals will follow the guideline of the Helsinki declaration for authorships.

In the event of any disagreements or conflicts of interest, the collaboration partners shall strive to reach a consensus-based solution. The collaborator partner can terminate this agreement without stating reasons by giving one month's notice to the end of a month. In case of termination, NRCWE will refund any funds not yet spent on salary, equipment etc.

Signatures,

Date and name, NRCWE,



Director of Research Cathrine Tjellesen

21/03/2018

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Professor Emmanuel Stamatakis,

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