

Observation Run 3 (O3) Commitment Form

Agreement on the joint activities with LIGO/Virgo

To: KAGRA collaboration

Purpose of this document

The purpose of this Agreement is to establish and recognize the fundamental rules and policies between (your first & last name) _____ (hereinafter I), and the KAGRA collaboration for participating joint observation run 3 (O3) with LIGO/Virgo collaborations, starting from April 2019.

Agreement

- a) As a member of the KAGRA collaboration, I will participate in the governance of the KAGRA collaboration and observe the rules and regulations (a) Guideline for joining the KAGRA collaboration [JGW-M1707082], (b) KAGRA Authorship Policy [JGW-M1503490], and (c) KAGRA Publication Policy [JGW-M1503321], which are listed at <http://gwwiki.icrr.u-tokyo.ac.jp/JGWwiki/KAGRA/KSC#regulations>, and also data-distribution and code-treatment policy, which will be prepared between KAGRA and LIGO/Virgo.
- b) Joint observation and its associated scientific projects, which I will conduct, will be performed under the agreement of the joint committees or working groups which are organized by the KAGRA Scientific Congress (KSC).
- c) This Agreement shall become effective upon being accepted by KSC-board. This means I will have right for receiving confidential information of O3 and for accessing observation data of O3/LIGO-Virgo, and will have responsibility for keeping them inside the collaboration.
- d) This Agreement shall remain valid until the O3-related projects finish (i.e. until projects' scientific publications are completed), unless KSC terminates it.

(Signature) _____ (Date) _____
(D/M/Year)

(Affiliation) _____

(Email address) _____