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Chin-chang LIN (林晉章/Honorary President of Taiwan Councilors Forum):

Ladies and gentlemen, our forum has come to an end. We are happy to see PCL Maybelline and Mr. Matzuda in Japan, who co-founded the ACF 6 years ago with us. We truly hope that this forum will continue to develop. Chairman Wang will make the closing remarks. Chairman Wang of TCF, please.

Sunny-wei WANG (王威元/President of Taiwan Councilors Forum):

Thank you Honorary Chairman Lin. Thank you to our professors and all the councilors and participants, for participating in 2021 conference. Thank you very much. It is a rare opportunity for us to convene the meeting under the pandemic. We found the way to interact through hosting this online meeting. I think this is also a testament of the time. After the pandemic, I think it is a very crucial moment for human civilization. We're able to advance further after major disasters or pandemics. Our civilization will further develop, and I hope that after the pandemic, we'll be able to coexist with the planet in a more sustainable way.

And lastly, I would like to thank the PCL for agreeing to take the responsibility of hosting the ACF event next year. If we're lucky enough to travel abroad, we will be able to travel to the Philippines to attend the annual conference next year. And I think this is what we expect to see because it'll be exciting for us. I truly look forward to the opportunity to go to the Philippines. Because many of us had unforgettable memories when we attended the previous meeting in the Philippines. And after all these years, we finally have the opportunity to go back to the Philippines again.

I would like to thank the PCL for taking on the responsibility once again,. However, if we're not able to move freely next year, maybe we'll have another online meeting. Through our interaction and our communication, we will be able to learn from each other. We will be able to learn the best practices from different countries, and to make the world a better place. Thank you again for everyone who contributed to this event. All the professors, councilors, as well as all the staff members working behind the scenes providing the best quality of the simultaneous interpretations for this event. As

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you can see, we have 13 laptops that is serving for us online. We also have 4 interpreters of two different languages. They are the heroes with no names. That's how we're able to have a successful online meeting like this.

On behalf of the organizer, Taiwan Councilors Forum, I would like to extend my gratitude to everyone. Thank you very much. With that, we will close today's session. Thank you very much and see you next year!