## **Commitment Letter**

As a graduate student of the Institute of Metal Research, Chinese Academy of Sciences (hereinafter referred to as "IMR"), I hereby commit to the following:

## I. Intellectual Property

- Strictly comply with Chinese laws and regulations, as well as the rules and policies of Chinese Academy of Sciences (CAS), University of Science and Technology of China (USTC), and IMR. I shall abide by the provisions of *the CAS Intellectual Property Management Measures for Affiliated Institutions* and *the IMR Intellectual Property Management Measures*, and uphold the legitimate rights and interests of IMR's intellectual property.
- Upon leaving IMR due to graduation, or other reasons, I shall voluntarily submit all technical achievements (including but not limited to new products, substances, technologies, processes, materials, formulations, designs, software, etc.) and technical materials (including but not limited to experimental records, reports, data manuscripts, drawings, audio-visual materials, copies, and software programs) developed or accessed during my studies to my supervisor or relevant departments of IMR. This applies regardless of whether such trade secrets (technical secrets) were created by me or others.
- I acknowledge and understand that unauthorized removal, possession, control, or disclosure of IMR's trade secrets (technical secrets) to third parties constitutes infringement and will result in legal liability.

## II. Academic Integrity

I shall strictly adhere to research ethics and uphold academic integrity. I commit to:

- No plagiarism, copying, or misappropriation of others' research achievements;
- No fabrication or falsification of research data, charts, conclusions, test reports, or user reports;
- No purchasing, selling, or organizing the trade of academic theses;
- No commissioning or writing theses on behalf of others, nor organizing such activities;
- No falsification of peer review experts or opinions;
- No duplicate submission or redundant publication of the same work;
- Properly attributing authorship and ranking based on creative contributions to research outcomes.

## III. Personal Safety

- Strictly comply with national laws and regulations, as well as the safety management systems of CAS, USTC, and IMR, including the Code of Conduct for College Students, the IMR Graduate Student Apartment Management Regulations, and the IMR Hazardous Chemicals Safety Management Guidelines.
- Strictly adhere to the experimental safety and confidentiality regulations of my research division and project team.
- Refrain from engaging in behaviors violating *the Law of the People's Republic of China on Administrative Penalties for Public Security*, including excessive drinking, fighting, gambling, drug use, etc.
- Strictly obey traffic rules and avoid dangerous acts such as driving without a valid license or under the influence of alcohol.

Signature: Date: