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Dear Professor LIU Xuejun – China Agricultural University

It is my pleasure to invite you to the Soils and Fertilizers Research Institute (SFRI) in Hanoi, Vietnam in order to participate in project meetings between 27 February and 3 March 2023. The meetings and activities are part of the UK Global Challenges Research Fund project Do agricultural microplastics undermine food security and sustainable development in developing countries? and the purpose of the meeting is to bring together staff who have been investigating the effect of plastics on crop and soil health to discuss findings to date, and plan future collaborative work.

While the meeting will be hosted by SFRI, the project's collaborating partner in Vietnam, the cost of attending the meeting, including travel, accommodation and subsistence in Vietnam will be covered in full by project funding held at your institution.

The agenda is outlined below:

<i>Saturday 25th and Sunday 26th February</i>	Flight arrivals to Hanoi and transfer to hotel
<i>Monday 27th February</i>	Day 1 WP2/3 workshop: Discussion of agronomy common experiment results
<i>Tuesday 28th February</i>	Day 2 WP2/3 workshop: Showcase of other partner institutions related work
<i>Wednesday 1st March</i>	Day 3 WP2/3 workshop: Discussion and planning of future common experiments
<i>Thursday 2nd March</i>	Day 4 Field visit to research farm and local farmers
<i>Friday 3rd March</i>	Day 5 Join with WP4 group for plenary workshop
<i>Saturday 4th and Sunday 5th March</i>	Transfer to airport and return flights

We look forward to welcoming you to SFRI and working with you at the workshops.

Yours sincerely,



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