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The Chairman
The Tin Ka Ping Foundation
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Dear Chairman,

Everyone at the Needham Research Institute (NRI) was deeply saddened to learn of the passing of Dr. Tin Ka Ping, a great philanthropist whose generosity has benefited thousands of people in the world and will continue to do so in the years to come. We should like to express our deepest condolences to you and Dr. Tin's family.

As you may recall, Dr. Tin and his Foundation made a very generous donation to the NRI in 1989 to build up the beautiful K.P. Tin Hall. With its view into the pleasant garden of the Institute, it has always been a much admired and valuable facility for our larger academic workshops and conferences. Our visiting scholars and staff who had used K.P. Tin are always most grateful to Dr. Tin for his great generosity. His life-long efforts in raising the educational level of Chinese young people and the standing of Chinese culture in the world will be remembered forever.

Please accept our deepest and most heartfelt condolences!

Yours sincerely,

Mei Jianjun
Director