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Nomination of Mr. Xutao Zhou as candidate for Chairman of 3GPP RAN WG4

Dear Susanna and Kyoungseok,

Samsung is pleased to nominate Mr. Xutao Zhou as a candidate for the upcoming 3GPP RAN WG4 Chairman election in November 2017. Xutao will represent Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd, a member of TTA.

Xutao Zhou received Master Degree in Telecommunications from University of Warwick, UK, in 2004. He joined Samsung Research China Beijing (SRC-B) in 2007 and has been working in standard team in Beijing, China, focusing on standardization of mobile communications. Since January 2010, he has been participating in TSG RAN WG4 meetings and has been actively contributing to the standardization of a wide range of features including CA, FeICIC and CoMP. He has also been actively participating in TSG RAN plenary meeting as Samsung RAN4 Head Delegate since February 2012. He was the rappateur of Rel-11 CoMP WI and chaired the CoMP session in Rel-11 timeframe. He was elected as RAN4 WG chair since Nov 2015.

If elected, he will receive all the necessary training to comply with all the applicable antitrust/competition laws and regulations while acting in his capacity as 3GPP RAN WG4 Chairman.

Samsung will provide all the necessary support, resources to ensure that Xutao fulfils his responsibility as 3GPP RAN WG4 Chairman.

Yours Sincerely

Dr. Sungho Choi Vice president Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd



## **Curriculum Vitae of Xutao Zhou**

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