## 平成 29 年度 研究計画書

## Research Plan FY2017

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主たる研究テーマ	H.C. Andersen and the 'Law of Jante'
Principal Research Subject	11.C. Andersen and the Law of Sante

研究計画(400 字~500 字で記入すること。) Research Plan (Approximately 100 Words)

My research deals with the so called 'Law of Jante', stereotypically Danish, here defined in Wikipedia: "the idea that there is a pattern of group behaviour towards individuals within Scandinavian communities that negatively portrays and criticises individual success and achievement as unworthy and inappropriate. The Jante Law as a concept was created by the Dano-Norwegian author Aksel Sandemose. In his novel A Fugitive Crosses His Tracks (En flyktning krysser sitt spor, 1933, English translation published in the USA in 1936) he identified the Law of Jante as ten rules."

I intend to show various applications of Law of Jante mentality in Andersen's fairy tales and his diaries telling about his struggle to overcome it and the lack of symmetrical relations in his own life.

Secondly, using empirical observations of typical language problems of my advanced students of Danish, I want to help learners to look through difficulties with idioms, verb-object collocations, prepositions etc.

共同研究可能な分野					
Research Fields feasible					
for joint research *1					
キーワード Keywords*2	Culture	Social norms	Andersen	Literature	Group vs. individual