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To Whom It May Concern

I wish to inform you that the International Bureau of Education of UNESCO is interested in the International Professors Project, which details both a way of providing for the sustainable development of universities in developing countries, and simultaneously seeks to establish a new form of academic life, a new career option, in which one may choose to develop a career abroad upon receiving one's doctorate. Those wishing to make a mid-career shift into an internationally located academia, will also be welcomed into the IPP arena of academic citizen of the world, a professor unattached to locale.

Dr. Kratoch will release the particulars of the activities International Professors will engage in, and the details of the computer modelling and data bases his organization seeks to develop to profile ideal professors and receiving universities, as well as information about ideas for conferences and workshops devoted to teaching abroad as a vocation, or a substantial long-term commitment, of more than three years.

Herein, we wish to state that we are prepared to run several Project activities, and to critique the Project, if progress is made in raising funding for the IPP. We are also be prepared to collaborate with educational ministries, foundations, corporations, and organizations of the calibre of a Rotary International, should they become involved in the IPP as funders or Project participants.

At this time we believe that the IPP is a unique, very interesting and useful Project. We hope that it rapidly gains support, so that it can develop organizationally and become financially sound. Dr. Kratoch has volunteered much time, imagination, and money out-of-pocket to keep this noble idea alive. We wish him well in his efforts to build such a useful organization.

Yours sincerely

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