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Office of the Dean

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Volker Kirchberg Gellersstr. 43 Luneburg D 21337 Lower Saxony Germany

Dear Volker Kirchberg:

Upon the recommendation of Chair Robin Wagner-Pacifici, I am pleased to offer you an appointment as a Visiting Scholar in the Sociology Department at The New School for Social Research from August 1, 2014 through October 11, 2014.

The appointment provides you with access to school-wide seminars and scholarly programs at The New School for Social Research. Although it is not designed to provide access to classes, you may attend a class if you are approved by the professor. Please understand that this appointment offers no stipend, office space, or housing. Since housing is difficult to find in New York City, we encourage you to find housing before you arrive. Also, visiting scholars are responsible for securing their own adequate health insurance coverage during their visit to the United States.

The Office of the Dean will arrange for your identification card, which will allow you access to our New School University libraries. With your ID card, you will also receive an email account and access to computer services at the Academic Computing Center. To begin this process, please complete the attached Personal Data Sheet and return it to the Office of the Dean at your earliest convenience. Upon arrival at the University, we suggest you visit your sponsoring department for introductions.

My colleagues and I hope that you will be able to accept this appointment, and we look forward to meeting you.

Sincerely,

William Milberg

Dean and Professor of Economics

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