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Subject: invitation

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Dear Krzysztof,

The Facility for Antiproton and Ion Research FAIR is currently under construction in Darmstadt, Germany. FAIR will use the accelerators of the GSI Helmholtzzentrum fuer Schwerionenforschung as injectors and will offer unprecedented research opportunities in atomic, hadron, nuclear and plasma physics as well as in applied sciences.

It is planned to merge the FAIR and GSI companies in the near future.

As a step towards this goal, the FAIR and GSI governing bodies have decided to install a Joint Scientific Council for both FAIR and GSI. This Scientific Council will start its term on January 1, 2016 and is expected to meet for the first time around spring 2016. The Scientific Council will consist of 12 internationally renowned scientists covering expertise in the various experimental areas of FAIR and accelerator physics. The Scientific Council will give advice to the FAIR and GSI managements and will report to the FAIR and GSI supervisory bodies. It will meet at least once a year in Darmstadt.

It is my great pleasure to invite you to serve on the Joint Scientific Council. Your expertise in scientific and technical matters would be highly valuable during the construction phase of FAIR and to define and guide the intermediate research program at GSI in the coming years. I would be honored and pleased if you can accept our invitation.

If you have any questions concerning this appointment, I would be more than happy to discuss it with you on the phone.

I would appreciate to receive a timely answer.

With my best regards and wishes for a peaceful holiday season and a successful New Year,

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