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Dear Stanford,

I write to encourage an initiation of the relations of you, your institution, and your disciplines in the activities of the Société Imaginaire.

As we have discussed, I invite that three of your students come together to participate in our activities at the Batuz-Foundation Sachsen in Altzella, Germany. The three students should represent different activities within your school: for example, one student each from the areas of architecture, visual arts, and history and theory of art and architecture. They will have the opportunity to interact with other students and creative figures in culture, art and politics as they may be present at Altzella at the time of their stay.

I offer the students room and board at Altzella for two to three weeks, access to our studios and paper workshop, contact with the universities in Dresden and the Bauhaus in Dessau, assistance with other contacts, and, in general, the use of our infrastructure.

I would need from the students a vita, and a short statement on the interpretation each of them would put on the purposes of the Société Imaginaire as they will find stated in the publications I have given to you.

June of 1997 would be a welcome time for such a visit, but this can be adjusted as you have the opportunity to identify the students and the constraints on their travel plans.

It is my hope that this will be the beginning of fruitful relations between the Société Imaginaire and you, MIT, and your associates in the areas mentioned.

Yours,

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