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Dear Professor Kutschera,

Our previous visits to my laboratory have led to several publications, leading most recently to a completed manuscript on photomorphogenesis and its impact on root development in sunflower. I am currently going over this manuscript and it is essentially ready to be submitted for publication. In addition, we will need to carry on further discussions on sunflower as well as discussions involving *Rhizobium* and seed yield in fava bean and pea. This letter stands as an invitation for you to visit my lab and research group from March 22 to March 27 to continue our collaboration and discuss research strategies. Your visits are invariably highly productive ones and I look forward to another such meeting.

Sincerely

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