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RE: Prestigious Graduate Fellowship – Now Accepting Applications

Dear Colleague:

I am writing today to inform you of an exciting opportunity for doctoral students to earn up to four years of financial support while pursuing degrees in fields of study that utilize high performance computing to solve complex problems in science and engineering. In addition, this unique experience allows students to collaborate with the Department of Energy (DOE) laboratories and one another – all the while establishing them as part of the larger scientific community that will play an important role in their professional careers.

As part of an effort to address the shortage of computational scientists in the United States, the DOE developed the Computational Science Graduate Fellowship (DOE CSGF) program in 1991. For over fifteen years, this program has been successfully training the next generation of leaders in computational science and engineering. Jointly funded by the Office of Science and the National Nuclear Security Administration, the DOE CSGF has supported more than 250 students at over 50 universities.

Applications for the next class of fellows are due on January, 14, 2010, and your help in promoting the opportunity at your institution would be much appreciated. Please display the enclosed poster announcing the 2010-2011 DOE CSGF program in a high traffic area that will get the most attention from students and advisors. Also, I urge you to identify your best and brightest students and personally encourage them to apply.

For more information regarding the fellowship – and to access the online application – visit <http://www.krellinst.org/csgf>. As always, I welcome you to contact me with any questions, and I thank you for your support of this important program.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary Ann Leung".

Mary Ann Leung, Ph.D.
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Enclosure