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Dear Dr. Krueger:

Thank you for your enquiry of 28 May. Naturally, I am very pleased at such indications that the potential significance of genetic approaches to all sort of bacteriological problems is becoming widely recognized.

I am afraid that I cannot suggest anyone right now who would be available for the position. My only graduate this year (Dr. Zinder) is already committed, and it will be another year before anyone else here will be available. I do know of a couple of possible candidates elsewhere, however, and if a discreet question evokes some interest I will suggest they address any further enquiries directly to you.

I am not sure that I've had an opportunity to thank you for the many courtesies extended during my visit two summers ago. My wife and I enjoyed it very much.

The enclosures, if you have not already seen them, may interest you.

Sincerely,

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Associate Professor of Genetics