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Dear Professor Helbing,

Thank you very much for your correspondence dated 15 June 2010, concerning prospective research collaboration within the 8th Framework Programme of the European Union. I hereby confirm our interest and intention to participate in the project *FET Flagship FuturIcT*, that will be submitted in the next call for proposals of the FET-ICT Flagship Programme of EU.

The Warsaw University of Technology strongly supports this initiative. We find that the research plan included in the FuturIcT proposal is highly relevant for development of new engineering systems that will combine information tools with the complex system methodology. One can expect that Project results will have a large impact on society by developing a basis for robust techno-social systems.

A cluster of research groups from the Faculty of Physics and the Faculty of Electronics and Information Technology of Warsaw University of Technology will be jointly involved in the Flagship Initiative. Members of our team possess research experience in the areas related to the project aims. Our University coordinates Integrated Project Cyberemotions within 7th Framework Programme, closely related to FuturIcT.

The Warsaw University of Technology will be represented in the project by Professor Janusz Hołyst Ph.D., D.Sc. from the Faculty of Physics (jholyst@if.pw.edu.pl).

Sincerely yours,

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