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Dear Colleague:

We have submitted a proposal to the National Science Foundation for a travel grant for the participation of the U.S. delegation in the International Conference on Engineering Education (ICEE 2001). It may take some more time before a final decision is made about funding of this proposal. If we are successful in obtaining the funding, the travel grant may provide a partial support up to \$1,500 to 25-30 participants for attending the ICEE conference.

The ICEE conferences are very well organized and have become very popular amongst educators from different parts of the world. These conferences provide a wonderful opportunity for networking and developing collaborations amongst faculty from other countries. The theme of this year's conference is "Interfacing the World." A call for papers from the Program Committee is enclosed. The information on the conference can be found at the ICEE-2001 website (<http://www-pors.hit.no/tf/icee01>). The last date for the submission of the abstracts has been extended to March 31, 2001. If you are interested to participate in this conference, we request you to submit an abstract as soon as possible. An application form for the travel grant is enclosed and can also be found on our web site, <http://www.isc.umr.edu> or <http://www.ineer.org>.

If you have any further questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at the above address.

Sincerely,

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