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Dear Colleague:

We plan to hold another of our informal meetings on statistical mechanics on Thursday, December 3, 1964, and would be pleased if you could participate.

The purpose of these meetings is to permit an exchange of ideas among workers in this field. We do not, therefore, have too rigid an agenda but hope that participants will give an informal discussion of their current work. Please let us know (on the enclosed card) whether you plan to attend and if you would like us to reserve some time for you to talk.

In order to maintain and hopefully improve the usefulness of these meetings, we suggest that if you have abstracts, preprints or reprints of your work available, you send us, or bring with you, about 70 copies, so that we may distribute them at the meeting (whether or not you plan to talk). We hope that this innovation will be to everyone's benefit, especially to speakers who will thus be able to concentrate on basic ideas instead of details of equations. In any event, whether or not a speaker avails himself of this distribution service, we feel that fairness to other speakers demands that he be brief and fairness to the audience demands that he be clear. These requirements can usually be met best if the talk is prepared in a way which requires putting a minimum number of equations on the blackboard.

The meeting will begin at 10:00 A.M. at our school which is located on the northwest corner of West 183rd Street and St. Nicholas Avenue (#601 West 183rd Street). There will be coffee and cake available at 9:15 A.M.

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