



November 3, 2017

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Department of Computer Science at Central Connecticut State University fully support Dr. Sixia Chen and Dr. Therese Smith's application for the seed funds from NCWIT. We will use departmental funds from our CCSU Foundation account to support this recruitment event described in the proposal for at least two years after the first event.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Stan Kurkovsky".

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