UNIVERSITY OF HAWAI'I AT MĀNOA

School of Ocean and Earth Science and Technology **Department of Geology and Geophysics**

Dr. Leonardo Uieda Universidade do Estado do Rio de Janeiro R. São Francisco Xavier, 524/2019A 20550-900 Rio de Janeiro, Brazil Honolulu, August 22, 2016

Dear Leonardo -

It is a pleasure for me to offer you a post-doctoral appointment at the University of Hawaii at Manoa which includes designing and building the GMT Python module in collaboration with me and the GMT team and to participate in other GMT-related projects. There will also be time to pursue independent research provided the GMT-related tasks are making adequate progress.

The appointment is supported by a grant from the US National Science Foundation to the University of Hawaii. The funding will cover up to two years of support, assuming satisfactory progress on our projects during the first year. Compensation will be made to you via a stipend at a level of USD 5000/month. As a stipend postdoc you are required to procure health insurance for yourself and any family members, and you will be responsible for paying State of Hawaii and Federal income taxes.

We will also provide one-way airfare between Brazil and Hawaii. The start date for the appointment is <u>February 1, 2017</u> subject to the acquisition of the proper visa status and appointment paperwork as required. We hope you will accept our offer and hope to hear from you soon. Please respond to this offer in writing by Sept. 7, 2016.

Sincerely,

Paul Wessel

Professor of Geophysics

GMT Team Leader