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Letter of Intent

Dear SIAM Board of Trustees,

I am writing you to inform you the interest of several graduate students and faculty members in establishing a SIAM student chapter at Delft University of Technology in the Netherlands. The main purposes of the chapter are going to be the promotion of computational mathematics and scientific computing, as well as, the incentive of interdisiplinary activities among our PhD students and master students.

We plan to have monthly chapter meetings or events. Typical chapter activities would include:

- 1. Launch a TU Delft SIAM student chapter Web site.
- 2. Organize Scientific talks about Applied Mathematics and Computer Science given by students and faculty members.
- 3. Organize lectures about scientific software and computer tools like: Matlab, Python, LaTeX, among others.
- 4. Promote the SIAM events and activities in internet using social networks.
- 5. Organize social activities for members of the Chapter.
- 6. Participate in student day and poster session at SIAM Annual Meeting.
- 7. Sponsor lectures by guest speakers.

Sponsor and faculty advisors are listed as the following.

Sponsor : Technical University of Delft
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Mathematics, and Computer Science

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We hope that you look favorably on this application and we look forward to starting a student chapter here at Delft. Thank you for your attention.

Sincerely,

Prof.dr.ir. C. Vuik

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