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To: Keith Miller
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 We had already heard about you from Deborah Johnson and then
learned that you chair the SEEPP working group we wish to attach
ourselves to as researchers rather than as participants of the usual
kind. We plan to submit a proposal to NSF's Ethics and Values Studies
Program for support of a research project to study this task force
effort to help the occupational group of software developers become a
profession.

 Our broad interests are professionalism and accountability, and
our focus is on testing of software to assure safety and reliability.
Donald Gotterbarn knows about and approves our proposal. We hope
that you would welcome the research effort we propose.