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Dear Colleague,

Thank you very much for sharing with me the your proposal entitled "Design and Experimentation on Digital Classroom Learning Scenarios".

This proposal is unique in its combination of large scale experience with very focused research questions which are not only based on newest technologies but also of highest educational relevance. Even regarding the whole international spectrum it would be difficult to match this combination, especially with respect to the factor of scale.

As you know, we are also interested in defining and setting up new technology enriched class-room environments supporting collaborative learning. We are currently involved in a number of European projects, particularly in the area of enriching science classrooms. It would be a great opportunity to connect these activities with your project. The international G1:1 initiative would provide for an excellent basis for meetings and joint workshops.

So far, we have only sent students to your lab through a general exchange programme. However it would be a big improvement to be able to plan for exchange and cooperation within and between projects following a coordinated agenda. This would allow for co-supervising theses in areas of joint interest. I am sure that this would lead to joint achievements in the form of publications and demonstrators and could have an impact in the international scientific community.

I wish your proposal the maximum of success (which I am conviced it deserves), and I would be happy to be able to establish a new level of cooperation with you in this framework.

Sincerely yours,

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