SIGNALs:

1, Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison

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Message to Employer:

The Department of Agricultural and Applied Economics at UW-Madison would be an ideal place to pursue my research. I believe that my research will substantially contribute to and benefit from the department's strong group working on development economics, environmental economics, and agricultural economics. My research agenda will continue to be at the intersection of these fields. UW-Madison is also attractive as it has several related departments, including Economics, Geography, and the Nelson Institute for Environmental Studies. I am passionate about actively participating in a vibrant research community there. Moreover, I have several close friends who live or have lived in Madison. All of them have given me very positive impressions of the research and living environment in Madison.

Therefore, I will be very thrilled to move to the great city of Madison for personal reasons as well. Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to hearing from you.

2. Department of Economics, University of Zurich

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The Department of Economics at the University of Zurich would be an ideal place to pursue my research. I believe that my research will substantially contribute to and benefit from the department's strong group working on development economics, trade, and political economy. Moreover, I will be very thrilled to move to the great city of Zurich. I have several close friends who have lived in Zurich. All of them have given me very positive impressions of the research and living environment in Zurich. I have also visited several European countries for academic conferences and private trips. I had a great time discussing with many researchers from European countries. I am passionate about actively participating in a vibrant research community in Switzerland and Europe. In addition, the university’s geographical location is also attractive, with reasonable access to all of Latin America, Africa, and India where I conduct fieldwork. Thank you for your consideration. I look forward to hearing from you.