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UC MEXUS – CONACYT Visiting Scholar Fellowship Program



August 5, 2009

Dr. Wen Yu
Departamento de Control Automatico
CINVESTAV-IPN

Dear Dr. Yu:

We are pleased to confirm that support for your visiting scholar stay in the Department of Computer Engineering at UCSC has been approved. Support during this stay, as you undertake activities from your project entitled "*Intelligent Modelling for Medical Skill and Intelligent Compensation of Medical Robots*" is provided under the guidelines of the 2009-2010 UC MEXUS-CONACYT Call for Proposals for Visiting Scholar Fellowships.

Support provided by UC MEXUS will be in the amount of \$30,720.00 for the period of 10/1/2009 through 9/30/2010, and will be administered to you by the Department of Computer Engineering at UCSC on a monthly basis. This portion of your monthly support will be subject to tax withholdings.

For the same time period, you will also receive \$17,280.00 in support to be paid directly to you by CONACYT on a monthly basis. CONACYT will also provide a total of \$800.00 towards payment of your health insurance.

Enclosed you will find the guidelines for reporting requirements. **Please note:** The visiting scholar fellowship is a full-time commitment at the host institution and the Host indicated below is considered the Visiting Scholars' supervisor in terms of approving any time reporting documents as may be required by the host campus or university policy. At the end of the year we will require completion of a final report. We request that you keep us informed of notable accomplishments that we might include in our future publications, even if these occur after you have submitted the required final report.

If you develop proposals for extramural support for expansion or continuation of this project, UC MEXUS will be pleased to provide you with documentation indicating our sponsorship of the project and its recognition by the Institute as an important and worthy scholarly activity. UC MEXUS will lend its support to the success of your project and, in this spirit, please contact us if at any time you desire our assistance.

Sincerely,

Jose Antonio de la Peña Mena
Director Adjunto de Desarrollo
Científico y Académico
CONACYT

Exequiel Ezcurra
Director, UC MEXUS
Professor of Plant Ecology, UCR

cc: Dr. Jacob Rosen, Computer Engineering, UCSC
Dr. Maria Dolores Correa Beltran, Directora de Investigación Científica Básica, CONACYT

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Dear Dr. Yu:

Acting on the recommendations of Chair Garcia-Luna and Professor Rosen, I am pleased to offer you an appointment as Visiting Research Computer Engineer, for the period beginning November 1, 2009 through October 31, 2010. In addition to the \$17,280 you will receive directly from CONACYT, by agreement, you will be paid \$30,720, payable in monthly installments of \$2,560, less required deductions. Your first paycheck is scheduled to be released on December 1, 2009. This scheduled date assumes timely completion and processing of all required employment forms. You will report to Professor Rosen and your duties are to conduct research with Dr. Rosen in the field of surgical robotics, developing algorithms to objectively assess surgical skills.

For this appointment to officially begin, you must contact Jolinda Singleton at (831) 459-2622 or e-mail jolinda@soe.ucsc.edu as soon as possible upon your arrival to complete all the necessary payroll/personnel forms and receive your UCSC I.D. card.

Under Federal law, the University of California may employ only individuals who are legally able to work in the United States as established by providing documents specified in the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. Appropriate documents must be presented to Jolinda Singleton no later than November 1, 2009.

This is a term appointment with a specified end date. Should the hiring unit propose reappointment, a review to assess performance will be conducted. In addition, reappointment is contingent upon availability of funding. Non-reappointment after eight or more consecutive years of service of at least 50% time in the same title series at UC Santa Cruz is subject to the provisions of Academic Personnel Policy 137-32.

We look forward to having you as a colleague at Santa Cruz.

Sincerely,

Arthur P. Ramirez
Dean of Engineering

cc: Chair Garcia-Luna via Department Manager
Professor Rosen
Research Accounting (w/attachment)
Jolinda Singleton (w/attachment)



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Dear Dr. Yu:

I write to revise your appointment as Visiting Research Computer Engineer. While the appointment was to be effective November 1, 2009, due to visa delays, you are unable to begin your appointment before December 1, 2009. Therefore, to allow you the opportunity to work with Dr. Rosen for a full year, the appointment is being extended through November 30, 2010. All other terms and conditions of my original offer of appointment remain the same.

Sincerely,

Arthur P. Ramirez
Dean of Engineering

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