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My dear Dr Rider,

It would be the greatest pleasure to me if you found it possible to spend a year in the Galton Laboratory.

As I am concerned that it should be in the fullest sense, a Research Laboratory and not a teaching department, it remains open throughout the year. I am myself away for perhaps four or five weeks in the summer.

I will have literature intended to meet the need mentioned in your penultimate paragraph enclosed with this letter. The total fees chargeable come, I think, inside £24 for the year. To charge anything is of course absurd, from my point of view, since your presence in the Laboratory will be of the greatest assistance to me. But I find it necessary to conform to the practice of the College.

You will, I suppose, be bringing Mrs Rider with you, and I can assure you that you will be both extremely welcome.

Yours sincerely,

Dr Paul R. Rider,
Washington University,
Saint Louis.