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Dear Professor Bass:

Thank you for your letter of November 10 and for the invitation to give a seminar at the University of Rhode Island. I would be most happy to give such a seminar. I have been made an ACM National Lecturer for this year and have found that two topics seem to be suitable for such a seminar. One topic tends to have a slightly larger audience. The topics are operating systems and research in programming linguistics at M.I.T.

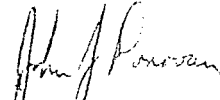
Because of my ACM commitments and because it is imperative that I finish my book in the next two months, I will be unable to visit you during the next two months, but I do propose that I give such a seminar in the month of February or March.

I like your suggestion for giving it on the way back from the Sound Labs. It is unfortunate, but I believe the train I take (3:15 out of New London) does not stop at Kingston. However, if necessary, I will bring my automobile.

Please call me in the month of January on (617) 864-6900 x5870 to confirm which topic you would prefer and confirm a date.

Thank you again for your invitation. I would enjoy very much talking with you further about your activities and the activities of your department.

Sincerely,



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