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Dear Professor Elena Aprile,

On behalf of the Faculty of Science at Stockholm University, I am very happy to inform you that the Faculty has resolved to confer upon you the Doctorate of Philosophy *honoris causa*. The conferment will take place in a ceremony at Stockholm City Hall on September 29, 2017.

I sincerely hope that you will accept this mark of esteem and I can assure you that your acceptance would be a great honour to this Faculty and the University.

Further information about the ceremony will be forwarded to you in due time.

Professor Jan Conrad, whom I believe you know, will be your host in Stockholm and we will cover costs for travelling and lodging for your visit in Stockholm. Jan Conrad will also give you more information about the arrangements.

In the hope of an affirmative answer, either by regular mail or preferably by email.

Yours sincerely,



Anders Karlhede