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Dear Colleague:

With the goal of bringing together a congenial group of people with common interests in the history of communication technologies, you are invited to attend an exploratory session on the formation of a special interest group within the Society for the History of Technology.

This session will be held at this year's SHOT meeting on Saturday, October 25, from 12:30 to 1:30.

We would very much appreciate your ideas about the directions in which this interest group might proceed. We hope that such a group will benefit both SHOT as a whole as well as those members who, like you, are especially interested in the history and impact of communication technologies.

If you are unable to attend this meeting, we would still appreciate your input. You may use the enclosed form to put your name on a mailing list as well as to give us your ideas. We are also enclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

We will be back in touch with you about the results of this initial effort. It is our hope that this will be the beginning of an exciting and useful forum for us to share our work and thinking about the history and importance of communication technologies. We look forward to meeting or hearing from you.

Sincerely,

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