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Fwd: Support letter concerning Professor Cyril Tintarev academic visits

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To,
Professor Warwick Tucker,
Head of the Department of Mathematics
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Dear Professor Tucker

We had extended an invitation to Professor Cyril Tintarev to visit Tata Institute of fundamental research, centre for applicable mathematics, Bangalore, India. Recently he informed us that he would not be able to visit us as he does not have the permission to travel from Upsala university.

Prof. Tintarev visited us many times for the past ten years and each of his visit has lead to some nice collaborative research work. During these visits apart from the collaborative research he also gave many lectures on topics which are active areas of research at present. Many graduate students benifited from these lectures. Also in 2012 we organized a school and conference here in Bangalore on Cocompact embeddings and profile decomposition in which many leading experts and researchers from across the world participated. Prof. Tintarev was the main architect of this conference and he played a major role in planning and running this conference successfully.

As all of us know, visiting other mathematicians and interacting plays a major role in mathematical research and hence denying permission to travel will effect ones research activity very badly. We feel Prof. Tintarev still has a lot to offer as a researcher and hence any action taken on him for whatever reason should not effect his research.

From our experience Tintarev is a good researcher and cooperates well with people for a smooth conduct of any academic activity. So we are sure he will be able to contribute positively towards the academic activities of the Upsala university. We request you to reconsider the University's decision to ban his deputations.

Sincerely Yours

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To heads of the Uppsala University Mathematics Department,

We have recently been informed that Professor Cyril Tintarev has been suspended from international travel. We were quite surprised as Professor Tintarev is an excellent researcher to which his publications in quality journals attest. He has been a frequent visitor to Toulouse and his talks here have been appreciated for their clear, subtle, and creative content.

Professor Tintarev was awarded a visiting professorship for one month this academic year at our university out of several qualified candidates. If he is unable to come, it is too late to replace him. Furthermore our collaboration with him will be compromised, we will miss his stimulating conversation, and we do not know when (or if) we will be able to invite him again.

For these reasons, we hope that it is possible to allow him to visit Toulouse for one month this academic year.

Sincerely,

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A protest letter concerning Professor Cyril Tintarev

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Professor Warwick Tucker,
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Dear Professor Tucker.

In the context of discussions with Professor Cyril Tintarev concerning an invitation we would like to offer him for a distinguished visiting position at the Technion, we have learned that an administrative measure related to his (unspecified) conduct at work forbids him from traveling as an employee of Uppsala University.

We were quite surprised to hear this, as we know Professor Tintarev as a first-class researcher and a person of good character. His frequent visits to the Technion include two long-term distinguished visiting positions and a position as a Lady Davis Fellow. He has published a number of collaborative papers with members of our faculty and has delivered numerous inspiring lectures.

His future visits to the Technion will be of high value for our research environment. This present obstacle to international scholarly exchange with him, both for us in particular, and for the international mathematical community in general, is upsetting and incomprehensible.

The imposition of a travel ban on a scholar is an administrative measure unheard of in the democratic world. If indeed, there is any reasonable explanation for such a step, it should be clarified and made public to the mathematical community.

We respectfully request that Uppsala University lift the ban on travel imposed on Professor Tintarev.

Sincerely yours,

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