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CO-CHIEF

Dear xxx,

I am pleased to invite you to participate as Co-Chief Scientist on ODP Leg xxx, Leg Name. This leg is presently scheduled to begin in xxx on xxx and to end in xxx on xxx.

A document which lists in some detail the responsibilities of a Co-Chief Scientist is enclosed for your signature. It is included at the behest of the JOIDES Advisory Structure as a means of ensuring that no misunderstandings will impede the smooth flow of events from cruise planning to final publication of results. Please feel free to give me a call if you would like to discuss these responsibilities. I can be reached at 979-845-9297 or via e-mail at baldauf@odpemail.tamu.edu.

I hope that you will be able to accept this invitation, and look forward to working with you toward a successful cruise.

Yours sincerely,

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Enclosure

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