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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to support Mr. Adam Freeburg's request to study collections from Northwest Alaska that are stored at the National Museum of Denmark. I am Mr. Freeburg's academic advisor and have worked closely with him on a number of projects in the past three years. Mr. Freeburg is an excellent student who has just completed his third year of graduate study at the University of Washington in good standing. Mr. Freeburg received his Master's degree in December 2007 and is in the process of developing a proposal for dissertation research. He is currently the co-field director of the archaeological project "Human-Environmental Dynamics at Cape Krusenstern," of which I am the principal investigator. Adam's status as an NSF-IGERT fellowship recipient provides him up to one academic year of funded international study. I believe that comparative analysis between archaeological materials from Cape Krusenstern and archaeological and ethnographic materials from this region held at the National Museum of Denmark will add significantly to Adam's scholarship and the development of his dissertation topic. I ask that you provide Mr. Freeburg a desk or comparable space to work, access to the collections and associated documentation during his visit to your institution. I think you will find that he is courteous and eager to make his visit of value, not only for his own work, but also for your museum.

Yours truly,

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