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RE: Joint Meeting on April 18-19, 1980

Our goal is to get many nonacademic participants involved in this program. Enclosed is a letter which has been sent to 37 nonacademic mathematicians and statisticians from the membership lists who live in Iowa or adjacent areas. Please contact all individuals that you know personally to make sure that they got the letter and to encourage them to speak.

We now have arranged for some speakers. The major speaker will be Dr. Norman L. Schryer from Bell Laboratories in Murray Hill, NJ. His talk will be "What Kind of Applied Mathematics Goes on in a Large Telecommunications Laboratory". He will also give a colloquium talk here at the University of Iowa on Friday, April 18 on solving partial differential equations using finite elements. Since Bell Labs insists on paying all expenses of their employees who speak, our organizations will not be paying this speaker.

From John Deere in Moline, Illinois, one applied mathematician will give a talk and a mathematics section leader will be on the employment opportunities panel. We welcome suggestions for speakers and for members of the employment opportunities panel.