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Dear Shuzhong,

It is a great pleasure to invite you to visit the National Museum of Natural History during Feb. 1st to 28th, 2023. It has been a long time since we have been able to get together to discuss future projects about climates and biological responses during the Paleozoic-Mesozoic transition in our long-standing collaboration, and I am very much looking forward to our discussions. Please notify your expense here need to be covered by your own grants.

Best Wishes,

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