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VIA AIR MAIL



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Dear Danny,

best wishes for a Most Fruitful
and Gratifying and Peaceful
2000!

Domenic Ferraro

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F. MUCCINELLI, *Corteo di maschere a Piazza Colonna durante il carnevale, XVIII - XIX sec.,*
Museo del Folklore, Roma

Ricomprò consolidamente il
suo negozio per il Natale
e per il nuovo anno.

Tommaso / Alc...

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بسمه تعالی

جناب آقای دکتر دانگ کئون شین
دانشمند محترم کامپیوتر

سلام علیکم

کارت تبریک جنابعالی بمناسبت سال نو میلادی به عنوان رهبر معظم انقلاب اسلامی
حضرت آیت الله العظمی خامنه‌ای دام‌الله‌العالی تقدیم معظم له شد و موجب امتنان گردید.
سلامتی و توفیق جنابعالی و سعادت و بهروزی ملت کره را از خداوند متان مسئلت دارم.

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*Le Président
de la République*



LETTRE

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Docteur Dong Keun SHIN
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REPUBLIQUE DE COREE

Jacques Chirac

Président de la République

J'ai été très sensible à votre chaleureux
Témoignage & je vous en remercie très
Sincèrement. Je forme des vœux pour que cette
année 2000, riche de tant d'espérances, soit pour
vous même, les vôtres et tous ceux qui vous sont
chers, porteuse de paix, de bonheur et de confiance
dans l'avenir.

Chirac

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FACSIMILE

To: President J. M. Evans
American Biographical Institute, Inc.
5126 Bur Oak Circle, PO Box 31226
Raleigh, NC 27622

From: Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

Date: Nov. 3, 2000

Subject: *1000 Leaders of World Influence*
(Special Commemorative Editon)

Number of Pages: 6

Memo:

Your Fax: 919-781-8712

Dear President Evans:

It is my pleasure to fax you the proof for my entry in *1000 Leaders of World Influence*. I am thankful for your support regarding my request for your second revision on my entry. Although I was given only one day for the proof, I am happy about the overall improvement.

I send my best wishes for your publication of the edition!

Sincerely,

 11/3/2000

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

cc: People who may be interested in my achievements

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FACSIMILE AND E-MAIL

**To: Senior Editor Jocelyn Timothy
International Biographical Centre
Cambridge CB2 3QP England**

Fax: 44-1353-646601

From: Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

Date: 6/10/2000

**Subject: The First Five Hundred at
The New Millennium**

Pages: 6

**Your Ref: FNM/TYP/03 and
CR/NSL/IN/FFHM/MISC**

Dear Senior Editor Jocelyn Timothy:

Thank you for Mrs. Inga Nunn's letter dated 2nd June 2000 (REF: CR/NSL/IN?FFHM/MISC) that includes the Director General's permission to make a copy of my own personal entry from the IBC's book, **The First Five Hundred at The New Millennium**. Because of the IBC staff's great work on my entry, I will not only let my biographical essay in the book appear on my web site but also distribute the copy of it as many as possible. The brief history of editorial works for my entry in the book is shown below.

1. The first draft for my entry in the book was faxed to the IBC at about 7 PM Korean Time on November 24, 1999. Three photos (one for my portrait and two for Grand Canyon, USA) were express-mailed to you on 11/25/1999.
2. I was sent the first proof by the IBC, so the first revised biographical essay and marked corrections on the proof were faxed to you at about 11:30 PM Korean Time on 2/2/2000.
3. The second proof was sent to me by IBC, so the second revised biographical essay with marked corrections on the proof were faxed to you just before midnight on 5/24/2000.
4. Third revised essay and marked corrections on the third proof are being faxed to you now.

Thank you for all your and Ms. Helen Turnbull's early proof work for my entry in **The First Five Hundred at The New Millennium**. Good luck on the publication of **The First Five Hundred at The New Millennium**!

Sincerely,



6/10/2000

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

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To: Senior Editor Jocelyn Timothy
International Biographical Centre
Cambridge CB2 3QP England **Fax: 44-1353-646601**

From: Dr. Dong-Keun Shin **Date: 5/24/2000**

Subject: The First Five Hundred at **Pages: 6**
the New Millennium

Your Ref: FNM/TYP/02

Memo:

Dear Senior Editor Jocelyn Timothy:

I read the second and final proof for my entry in **The First Five Hundred at the New Millennium**, and marked corrections. Faxing and e-mailing you both the marked proof and two-page revised one, I guess that my biographical essay is ready to be published. Please make sure that three previously submitted photos are with you for my entry. If not, please contact me immediately. I have two requests as stated below:

1. I want to have your written permission so that I can make copy of my entry for distributions. I will also let it appear in my web site and other electronic locations.
2. I want to know the price of the book so that I may order more copies.

Please accept my sincere appreciation for all your and Ms. Helen Turnbull's proof work for my entry in **The First Five Hundred at the New Millennium**.

Good luck on the publication of **The First Five Hundred at the New Millennium!**

Sincerely,



5/24/2000

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

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**Building Management/CS Lab
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April 29, 2000

Sr. Research Scientist Yuriy A. Reznik
RealNetworks, Inc.
2601 Elliott Ave
Seattle, WA 98121
U.S.A.

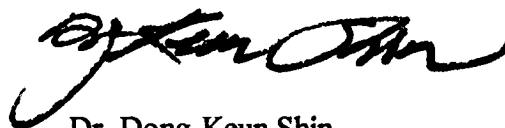
Dear Mr. Reznik:

I read Wlodzimierz Dobosiewicz's paper, Gideon Ehrlich's paper, and others as you suggested. In their papers, both Dobosiewicz and Ehrlich proposed some sorting method. Their methods are different from my sorting and searching method, i.e., Shin sort. After receiving people's responses and investigating sorting methods, I am now confident that none had thought about Shin sort before I had.

I think that there may be discrepancies between what you said about their time complexities and what are actually stated in their papers. May I guess that you have been confused with the terms: 'time complexity' and 'expected time complexity'? Ehrlich needed to clarify terms in his paper as much as possible not to make people misunderstand the performance of his proposed algorithm. W. Dobosiewicz's method can be considered as a variation of quicksort as he stated in his paper. I am wondering if the discoverer of the quicksort, Professor C. A. R. Hoare, acknowledges Dobosiewicz's method to be valuable. Dobosiewicz somehow included a median finding process in his algorithm without providing a method for the process. The median finding process itself may require another sorting method.

You may disregard time complexity in uniform distribution case. Their ideas are, from the beginning, vulnerable in this regard. It's necessary for me to read papers and books that include sorting and searching methods, although I sometimes waste my time in reading futile attempts and invalid statements. I hope that you will soon have a chance to read papers about my sorting and searching method. Thank you and best wishes!

Sincerely,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

cc: People whom it may concern.

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February 3, 2000

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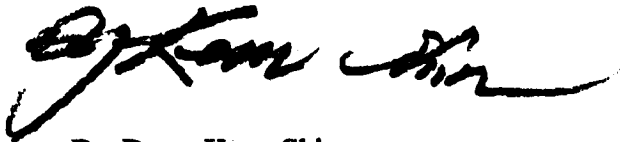
Your Fax: 1-919-781-8712

Dear President Evans:

I received your letter dated December 30, 1999 regarding your nominating me for *1000 World Leaders of Influence*. Thank you for the nomination. I am happy to be included in the book. I am enclosing a filled application, my photo, and a biographical essay about my life and achievements for the book. I am also faxing this letter with the application and the essay today for your convenience.

Good luck on your publication of *1000 World Leaders of Influence*!

Sincerely,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

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FACSIMILE

**To: Senior Editor Jocelyn Timothy
International Biographical Centre
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Fax: 44-1353-646601

From: Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

Date: 2/2/2000

**Subject: The First Five Hundred at
the New Millennium**

Pages: 7

Your Ref: FNM/TYP/01

Memo:

Dear Senior Editor Jocelyn Timothy:

Let me express my appreciation for all your and Ms. Helen Turnbull's proof work for my entry in **The First Five Hundred at the New Millennium**. I am faxing you both the marked proof and two-page revised one after this cover letter for your convenience.

Good luck on the publication of **The First Five Hundred at the New Millennium!**

Sincerely,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

STATE OF BAHRAIN
PRIME MINISTER'S COURT



دولة البحرين
ديوان رئيس مجلس الوزراء

*Dr Dong-Keun Shin
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22 January 2000

Dear Dr Shin,

It gives me great pleasure to write to you, on behalf of His Highness Sheikh Khalifa Bin Salman Al Khalifa, The Prime Minister of the State of Bahrain, and convey to you his thanks and appreciation for your kind New Year greeting card.

His Highness would like to wish you a Happy, Healthy and Prosperous 2000.

Once again, thank you very much.

Yours sincerely


*Ebrahim Al Dossary
Office Manager*



DET KONGELIGE SLOTT

The Private Secretary to HM The King has been instructed to send His Majesty's sincere thanks for your kind Greetings of the Season.

Royal Palace, Oslo

January 2000

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin
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Rowland Martyn (War Displaced)
90 Weekend Spark sub-office
T Lamina Sankoh Street
Freetown, Sierra Leone, W. Africa
20th January, 2000 AD

Attn: Dr Dong-Keun Shin
Computer Scientist

Dear Dr. Dong-Keun,

Let me, first of all, on behalf of the displaced Management and staff of the WEEKEND SPARK Newspaper/Sierra Leone Wish you and your Company the best of successes this new year and Millennium. May all your great dreams be realised. Sorry to say the WEEKEND SPARK publication in Sierra Leone is in a pathetic situation. The newspaper which was the best selling Tabloid in Sierra Leone for many years and which started Modern Newspaper trend in the country in 1983 and has trained more than half of today's local print media practitioners has become a tragic victim of Sierra Leone's bloodiest 8 1/2 years civil war. Its main two-storey office building at 49 Main Road, Wellington, in Freetown was destroyed by Rebel fire with all its litho and offset exposing machines, Computers and Laser 5 printer, generator as well as other valuable printing assets and the country's only unique well stocked newspaper library (now no more in existence). In addition, my own bona fide house in the city (38 Liverpool Street) was also burnt down by the Rebels during the January 6 1999 city invasion. As Managing Director I am today left with nothing to live a decent life and to continue the publication of the Weekend Spark. Eight (8) of my senior Members of staff also had their dwelling houses burnt down during the same barbaric Rebel invasion of Freetown the Capitol. So far nothing is being said or done by the government to assist tragic ^(newspaper) business victims like us besides appealing to us to forgive and forget! The Sierra Leone Association of Journalists (SLAJ) is more or less more concerned principally with its own individual financial interests than to fight for compensation for Newspapers, which suffered in the war. WE ARE LEFT TO FEND FOR OURSELVES OR WE DIE OUT FOR EVER!!

By air mail
Par avion

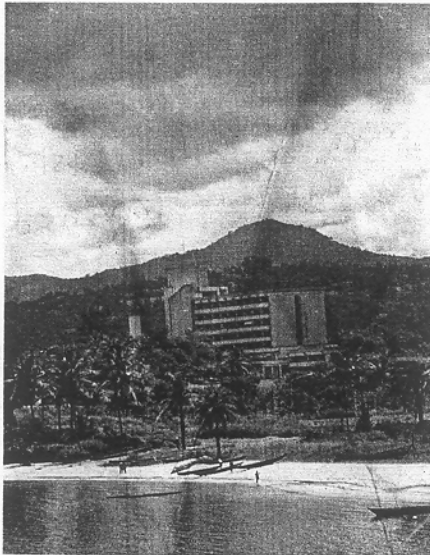


FREETOWN COTTON TREE



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin,
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A SEASIDE HOTEL

SENDER'S NAME & ADDRESS

Rowland Martyn,
Managing-Director,
'WEEKEND SPARK' Publication
T Lamina Sankoh Street,
Freetown, Sierra Leone, West Africa

AN AIR LETTER SHOULD NOT CONTAIN ANY ENCLOSURE;
IF IT DOES IT MAY BE SURCHARGED OR SENT BY ORDINARY MAIL.



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G.P.O. BUILDING (SALPOST HQ)

WE THANK YOU FOR THE DELIVERY OF YOUR COPY OF 'WEEKEND SPARK'.

As an internationally renowned Computer Scientist we are appealing to you and the company for some assistance to enable us to re-start our newspaper. A computer for Newspaper setting and printer will help us greatly as we are today non-functional as a result of the rebel attack on our press. Your help will go a great way in boosting your company's image in this part of Africa/World. We count on your prompt action to get us back on our feet - No matter how small the help to you. \$1000 will mean a lot to us. Highest consideration.

Rowland Martyn

ps:



*Norodom Sihanouk
King of Cambodia*

*to Dr. Dong-Keun Shin
Computer Scientist
Building Management/CS Lab
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SEOUL 135-080
Republic of KOREA*

Dear Dr. Dong-Keun Shin,

*Thank you very much indeed for sending to me a beautiful
greetings card with your best wishes, on the occasion of the New
Year 2000 and the New Millennium.*

*Please accept my best wishes for a Happy New Year
and New Millennium.*

Sihanouk

Phnom Penh, January 15, 2000

Office of the President
of the Philippines
Malacañang

January 13, 2000

Dr. Dong-keun Shin
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Dear Dr. Shin,

In behalf of His Excellency, President Joseph Ejercito Estrada, we wish to acknowledge with sincere thanks the Christmas Greetings which you kindly sent.

The President conveys his appreciation for your thoughtfulness and continued support and extends his best wishes.

Very truly yours,



SECRETARY RUBY C. TUASON
Social Secretary

HARRY REID
NEVADA



UNITED STATES SENATE
WASHINGTON, D. C.

January 12, 2000

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin
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Dear Dr. Shin:

It was a special pleasure to hear from you this holiday season. Your friendship means so much to Landra and our family.

Though Nevada and our nation experienced great changes in 1999, the new millennium promises to bring with it even greater opportunities and gifts. We have been especially blessed with the gifts of new grandchildren from members of the Reid family.

We have much to be thankful for and with your continued friendship, Landra, myself and our entire family can look forward to a future full of promise and hope. From my family to yours, we wish you peace, happiness and joy in the coming year.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Harry Reid".

HARRY REID
United States Senator

**KUNAICHO
IMPERIAL PALACE
TOKYO**

The Office of the Imperial Household
acknowledges with thanks the receipt of
your cordial greetings of the Season to
His Majesty the Emperor.

Office of the Imperial Household

January 12, 2000.



Cabinet du Roi

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin
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Republic of Korea

C/AV/AE

07th January 2000

Dear Dr. Dong-Keun Shin,

I have the honour of being entrusted by His Majesty the King with the mission of thanking You for the very kind wishes you have sent to Him.

His Majesty was pleased by your attention, for which he expresses his sincere gratitude, and has instructed me to convey to You His warmest wishes for a very happy and prosperous year.

Sincerely yours,

J. van Ypersele,
Principal Private Secretary to
H.M. the King of the Belgians.



VICE PRESIDENT FOR STUDENT AND ACADEMIC SUPPORT SERVICES

January 4, 2000

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin
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Dear Dong-Keun:

Just a short note to acknowledge and thank you for your holiday greeting card. I hope all is going well for you, as it is for me here at The George Washington University.

Thank you again for thinking of me and please accept best wishes for peace, prosperity, and happiness in the new millenium.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bob".

Robert A. Chernak



Benjamin Netanyahu

January 1, 2000

Dear Dr. Shin,

Thank you for your kind note and wishes for the new year.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish you and yours all the best for the coming year, century and new millenium.

With all best wishes,

Benjamin Netanyahu



THOMAS R. CARPER
GOVERNOR OF DELAWARE

December 30, 1999

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin
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705-22 Yuksam-dong, Kangnam-gu
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Dear Dr. Shin:

Thank you for remembering my family in your holiday greetings. On behalf of Martha and the boys I wish you and your family a happy and healthy New Year!

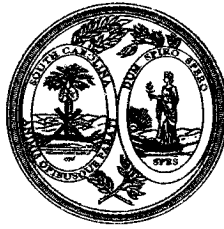
I hope that our paths continue to cross in the new millennium. All the best!

With best regards, I am

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tom Carper". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Thomas R. Carper
Governor



State of South Carolina

Office of the Governor

JIM HODGES
GOVERNOR

Post Office Box 11829
COLUMBIA 29211

December 29, 1999

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin
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Dear Dr. Shin:

Thanks so much for your lovely holiday greetings. I appreciate your thinking of us at this special time of year.

Rachel and I hope that you and your loved ones have had an enjoyable and meaningful holiday season. As we begin the new millennium, I hope you will join our family in giving special thanks for the blessings of the past year and the promise of the future.

Once again, thanks for your kind card. Please let me know if I can ever be of help to you in any way.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim Hodges".

Jim Hodges

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November 24, 1999

Director General Nicholas S. Law
International Biographical Centre
Cambridge CB2 3QP, England
United Kingdom

Dear Director General Law:

I am enclosing a rough draft of my essay and photos that may be shown in my two pages entry in **The First Five Hundred at the New Millennium**. I am faxing the rough draft of my essay before mailing out this letter, so one of your editorial staff may start proofreading my essay. I appreciate Mrs. Inga Nunn's November 12th, 1999's email message that shows the IBC's approval for my proposal. She also informed me that the money for my dedication entry in **2000 Outstanding Intellectuals of the 20th Century** will be partially transferred to **The First Five Hundred at the New Millennium**.

I plan to send my letters to almost every country's ministry of education and announce that I become a member of International Order of Merit as a representative of the world for services to computer science. I will also let you know when my letter is completed.

Good luck on your publication of **The First Five Hundred at the New Millennium!**

I look forward to receiving your proofreader's initial work for my essay.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dong-Keun Shin', written in a cursive style.

Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

Subject: references

Date: Fri, 27 Aug 1999 13:22:58 -0700

From: "Yuriy A. Reznik" <yreznik@real.com>

To: email@dkshin.com

Dear Dong,

It was nice talking to you over the phone just few moments ago. While I would have to postpone looking for your fax until tomorrow (I gave you several numbers, and I am not sure where all these fax machines are located:-), I would like give you few references so that you can continue your investigation.

Two classic works on distributive partitioning leading to the $O(1)$ search complexity that I mentioned were:

1. W. Dobosiewicz "Sorting by Distributive Partitioning", Information Processing Letters, Volume 7, number 1, January 1978, pp. 1-6
2. G. Ehrlich "Searching and Sorting Real Numbers", Journal of Algorithms, number 2, 1981, pp. 1-12.

The first analysis of this type of sorting for a non-uniform distribution of input s and was given in:

3. M. Tamminen, "Analysis of N-trees", Information Processing Letters, Volume 16, number 3, April 1983, pp. 131-137

Another major result (namely, that the constant $O(1)$ can be as low as two) was derived

4. M. Tamminen, "Two Levels Are as Good as Any", Journal of Algorithms, number 6, 1985, pp. 138-144.

In passing, I should mention that there have been a number other of works on the subject (universal enumeration, hashing, Galois partitions, etc.) published in exUSSR that would definitely be of interest for you. Unfortunately, most of them have never been translated. However, recently Kluwer has printed a book that, at least, briefly surveys some of these results:

5. Rafail Krichevsky "Universal Compression and Retrieval", KAP, 1994
ISBN 0-7923-2672-5

Please feel free to e-mail or call me if you would have more questions.

Yuriy.

Subject:
references
Date:
Fri, 27 Aug 1999 13:22:58 -0700
From:
"Yuriy A. Reznik" <yreznik@real.com>
To:
email@dkshin.com

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FACSIMILE

To: Ms. Helen Turnbull Fax No.: 44-1353-646601
International Biographical Centre, Cambridge, England

From: *Dr. Dong-Keun Shin*

Date: Aug. 12, 1999

Subject: Dedication Section in
Outstanding People of the 20th
Century

Number of Pages: 7

Your Ref: OUT01/DED/JT

Memo:

Dear Ms. Helen Turnbull:

I am faxing you the proof with my marked corrections. The revised biography will follow after the proof for you. Based on my yesterday's phone conversation with Ms. Jocelyn Timothy, the IBC has received my photograph. I think everything on my part is ready to be published in the edition.

My word processor gives a total of 999 words for the contents in my Dedication Essay, so its size is about right. I started using my new name "Dong-Keun Shin" in early 1997 from my old and official name "Dong Keun Shin". Thus, you may understand why I use two different names for myself. I want S³DBMS appears correctly as shown in the revised biography. I also ask you not to write PhD after my name because my doctoral degree initial is different. "Dr Dong-Keun Shin" is good enough. The proof shows me that there are immediate line changes for startings of new paragraphs. Clear paragraph changes make the essay more readable. I also suggest you to put two spaces after each period for a sentence if possible.

Thank you very much for editing my Dedication Essay and best wishes from Seoul!

Warmest regards,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

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August 7, 1999

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United States of America

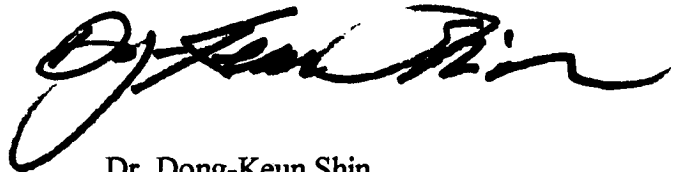
Dear Dean Gray:

Greetings from Korea! My zeal for Berkeley have not been hindered by the loss of job opportunity and will never be so. You may want to hear about my business and engineering. I have not received any contract offer yet. The current situation allows me to work slow and steady. Because I will take a heavy responsibility in engineering a Shin Sort/Search DBMS, I have a tendency to spend more time in reviewing on OS these days. However, I will be soon implementing a prototype software for my sorting/searching algorithm.

I am applying for Professorship at the University of Cambridge as shown in an advertisement in the July 1999 issue of the Communications of the ACM. In my application, I needed to provide the names of two referees; I included your name in the list of my referees. Please help me to get the Professorship at Cambridge.

I have not received any reply letter for the EECS Chair Randy Katz after I sent my letter to him last July asking for a challenge. I hope anyone in the EECS department or CAL alumni to compete with me to be the greatest achiever in computer science. It is wishful thinking to expect the department's radical change and theory-based reforms under the leadership of the greatest achiever in computer science. Thank you for your time and best wishes from Seoul!

Sincerely,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

cc: People whom it may concern

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from the Lab of: Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

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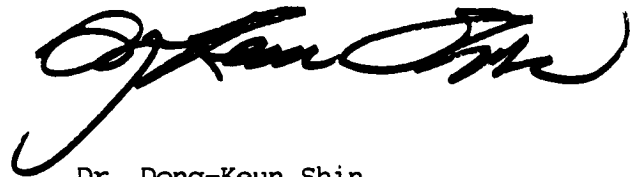
Dear University Professor John R. Whinnery at UC Berkeley:

Greetings from Seoul, Korea!

I am enclosing copy of my recent letters to let you know about what I am doing these days.

Thank you for your concern.

Sincerely,

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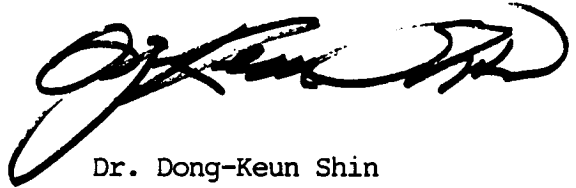
Dear President S. J. Trachtenberg at the GWU:

Greetings from Seoul, Korea!

It was good to hear about GW's new CS Department. I hope that the new department will make the George Washington University more prosper than ever.

I am enclosing my letters that will explain what I am currently pursuing. Thank you for your concern.

Sincerely,

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Dear Professor David A. Hodges at UC Berkeley:

Greetings from Seoul, Korea!

You may figure out what I am doing these days by reading copy of my recent letters. I always appreciate your concern.

Sincerely,

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from the Lab of: Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

date: Aug. 7, 1999

Dear Professor Arnold C. Meltzer at the GWU:

Greetings from Seoul, Korea!

I am sending out some letters that you may be interested in,
so I am enclosing them. Thank you.

Best Wishes from Seoul!

Sincerely,

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August 6, 1999

Professor and Chair Bhagirath Narahari
Department of Computer Science
The George Washington University
Washington, DC 20052
United States of America

Dear Chair Bhagirath Narahari:

I have recently heard about GW's new departments: Department of Computer Science and Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering. As a GW graduate who majored in computer science, I am happy about the news. I am enclosing a check of \$300 to donate for the Department of Computer Science at the George Washington University. Although the donation is small, I hope it to be used well for the new CS Department.

In any community, to be better, there should be a leader. In 1997, I sent my letters to more than 4300 schools in the world, announcing that I have made the greatest contribution to computer science. In the letters, I asked for a challenge, but I have not received any serious challenge yet. I needed the mailing action in my process of gaining firm leadership in computer science. Moreover, I have discovered a new sorting algorithm, which is the best one. I want to let every faculty, staff, alumni, and students know about my '97 proclamation of having made the greatest achievement in computer science. Please support anyone in the department to send me a letter with a serious challenge to my proclamation by the end of the year 1999. If none, I will assume that your department is under my leadership thereafter. I believe the reputation of GW's CS will be improved because of my name, Shin.

Thank you for your time and best wishes from Seoul!

Sincerely,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

cc: President Stephen J. Trachtenberg, Dean Thomas A. Mazzuchi,
and people whom it may concern

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August 6, 1999

Dean Thomas A. Mazzuchi
School of Engineering and Applied Science
The George Washington University
Washington, DC 20052
United States of America

Dear Dean Mazzuchi:

I have recently heard about GWU's new departments: Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering and Department of Computer Science. As an alumnus who majored in computer science at GW, I am happy about the news.

I am applying for Professorship at the University of Cambridge as advertised in the July 1999 issue of the Communications of the ACM. In my application, I needed to provide the names of two referees. I included your name in the list of my referees. You may ask Professor Arnold C. Meltzer, my dissertation advisor, Professor Simon Y. Berkovich, Professor Ward Douglas Maurer, and Professor Michael Feldman about me and my work to be the referee. The Professors were in my dissertation committee.

I am enclosing my letter to the chair of the department of computer science, so you may read it and show it to faculty and staff at the GWU. It is my wishful thinking to expect radical change under the leadership of the greatest achiever in computer science. Thank you for your time and best wishes from Seoul!

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July 21, 1999

Director General Nicholas S. Law
Office of the Director General
International Biographical Centre
Cambridge CB2 3QP, England
United Kingdom

Dear Director General Law:

Thank you for the several letters that I have recently received from IBC. Please excuse me if I have not responded promptly. I am enclosing my biography and my photo which may appear in the Dedication Section of the Outstanding People of the 20th Century as well as filled acceptance form. I will also fax the form and the biography to you before my mailing to make sure that I reply within three weeks of receipt.

I have received your letter regarding your nominating me for Deputy Director General and Fellow for the IBC. I am very thankful for such highest honor from the IBC. Please allow me to consider the position several years later.

I am enclosing my recent letters to Afghanistan's major newspapers for my press release in April 1999 as a sample of about 1200 letters of mine to the world's press. I hope that my biography in the special Dedication Section will also inspire the rest of computer scientists to greater efforts. Good luck on your publication of the Outstanding People of the 20th Century and best wishes from Seoul!

Sincerely,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

cc: Editor in Chief Jon Gifford

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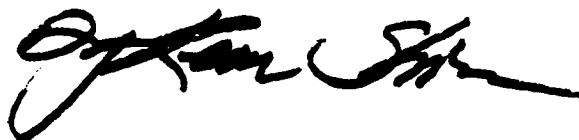
Editor in Chief Jon Gifford
Office of the Editor in Chief
2000 Outstanding Intellectuals of the 20th Century
International Biographical Centre
Cambridge CB2 3QP, England
United Kingdom

Dear Editor in Chief Gifford:

Thank you for including me in the 2000 Outstanding Intellectuals of the 20th Century. I have happily filled my personal biographical questionnaire and returned the questionnaire to you before the date shown on it.

Good luck on your publication of the 2000 Outstanding Intellectuals of the 20th Century and best wishes from Seoul!

Sincerely,

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Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

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July 1, 1999

President J. M. Evans
American Biographical Institute, Inc.
Leading Intellectuals of the World
5126 Bur Oak Circle
PO Box 31226
Raleigh, NC 27622
United States of America

Dear President Evans:

As I promised, I am enclosing my recently developed photo for my inclusion in your edition of the *Leading Intellectuals of the World*. I am also sending my recently revised biography for the edition.

I have received your letter and Vice Chairman L. M. Kellander's letter regarding your nominating me for Deputy Governor for the ABI. I am very thankful for such highest honor from the ABI. Please allow me to consider the position a few years later. Good luck on your publication of the *Leading Intellectuals of the World* and best wishes from Seoul!

Sincerely,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

cc: Vice Chairman L. M. Kellander

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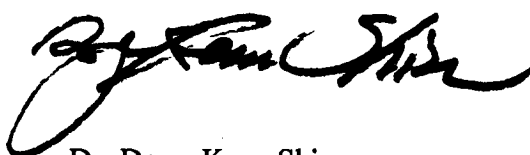
June 22, 1999

Senior Editor Cindy White
American Biographical Institute, Inc.
Five Hundred Leaders of Influence-Eighth Edition
5126 Bur Oak Circle
PO Box 31226
Raleigh, NC 27622
United States of America

Dear Senior Editor White:

Thank you for your editorial work for my entry in the *Five Hundred Leaders of Influence-Eighth Edition*. I am returning my printed proof via fax to make sure that the ABI receives it before the indicated date. You may realize that there are still a few corrections to be made for my entry. I am sure that you will do a fine editorial job on my biography. I will also mail the faxed ones to you soon. Good luck on your publication of the *Five Hundred Leaders of Influence-Eighth Edition* and best wishes from Seoul!

Sincerely,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

p.s. I am faxing them to you one more time.

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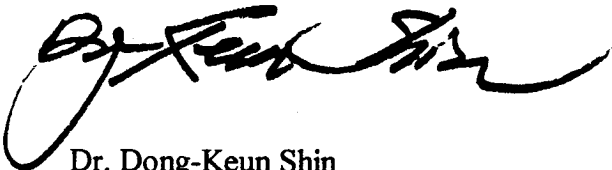
June 22, 1999

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American Biographical Institute, Inc.
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Dear President Evans:

It is my pleasure to inform you my nomination acceptance for *Leading Intellectuals of the World*. Since I live outside the U.S.A., I decide to return my nomination acceptance form via fax to make sure that the ABI receives the form before the due date. When my photograph and biography are ready, I will mail the faxed ones again with my photo and biography to you soon. For now I am sending my recently revised biography for the *Five Hundred Leaders of Influence-Eighth Edition* via fax for you to take a look at it. Good luck on your publication of the *Leading Intellectuals of the World* and best wishes from Seoul!

Sincerely,

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Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

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June 3, 1999

President
Office of the President
Computer Based Systems, Inc
2750 Prosperity Avenue
Fairfax, Virginia 22031-4312
United States of America

Dear President:

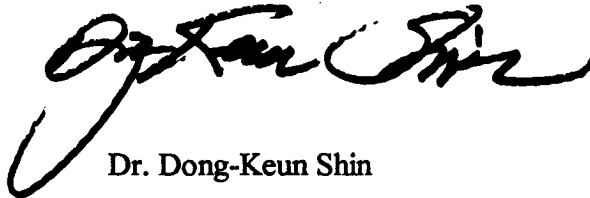
It is my pleasure to announce that I discovered a new sorting algorithm on July 3, 1998 and that mine is the best sorting algorithm. I am informing Computer Based Systems, Inc of an upcoming prototype of my sorting and searching software during this advertising campaign.

As the Dean of College of Engineering at UC Berkeley, Paul R. Gray, said to me that literal sorting, i.e., Shin sort and radix sort, will prevail, Shin sort, named after my last name, will be used in most large scale computer-based systems. While Shin sort has $O(N)$ and $O(1)$ time complexities for sorting and searching respectively, radix sort is slow in searching and poor in parallel processing. Replacing sorting algorithms, hashing schemes and hash tables, and B-trees and most trees, the efficient sorting and searching scheme that traverses in Shin's tree will play a central role in managing data. My software will enhance your computer-based system.

My profile may be included in several publications such as *Outstanding People of the 20th Century* by International Biographical Centre in Cambridge, England, *Five Hundred Leaders of Influence, 8th Edition* by American Biographical Institute in Raleigh, NC, USA, and *International WHO'S WHO* by Gibraltar Publishing in Jacksonville, NC, USA. I am enclosing my profile that appears in *1998 International WHO'S WHO of Professionals* for your cross-examination. The profile will also help you to check my eligibility for such project. If my sorting algorithm does not have a theoretical advantage that provides a practical certainty, I will refund your money. If you fill in the enclosed contact request form and return it, I will contact an appointee.

I look forward to hearing from you. Thank you for your time and best wishes for your commercial success at Computer Based Systems, Inc!

Sincerely,



Dr. Dong-Keun Shin

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Seoul 135-080, Republic of Korea**

June 2, 1999

Chairman
Office of the Chairman
Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.
Samsung Main Building
250-2 ga, Taepyung-ro, Chung-gu
Seoul 100-742
Republic of Korea

Dear Chairman:

It is my pleasure to announce that I discovered a new sorting algorithm on July 3, 1998 and that mine is the best sorting algorithm. I am informing Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. of an upcoming prototype of my sorting and searching software during this advertising campaign.

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I look forward to hearing from you. Thank you for your time and best wishes for your commercial success at Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.!

Sincerely,



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June 2, 1999

President
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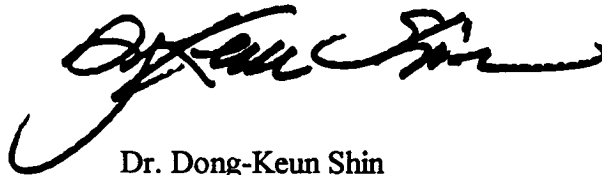
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June 2, 1999

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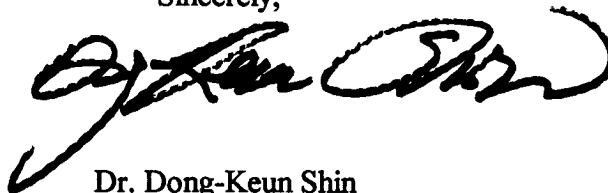
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