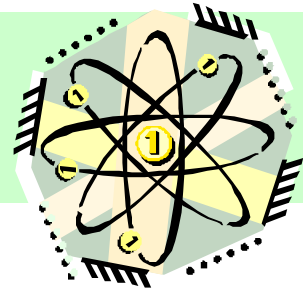


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Dear Dr. Proton,

In researching ways in which people have made their marks in the field of physics, I cannot tell you how many times I have encountered your name in journals, newspaper articles, and textbooks. Your contribution has been truly eye-catching.

Now that I'm beginning to seek my own fate in the field, I wanted to ask if you could offer fifteen minutes of your time to offer advice about how a new graduate might start a career in physics. I am a senior at Michigan State University specializing in the Acceleration Norms of Random Ratio Quantum Particles. I will follow this letter with a call to the Institute the second week of October to see if I can schedule an appointment.

It would be an honor to speak to you.

Sincerely,

Angstrom Drumstick