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Date: June 10, 1992

To: John Chowning and Julius Smith, Department of Music
From: Patricia L. Devaney, Associate Dean of Research
Subject: OTL Research Incentive Fund Award

Dear Professors Chowning and Smith:

I am pleased to confirm that your proposal to research the synthesis of musical sounds by physical modeling has been selected for a 1992 OTL Research Incentive Fund award in the amount of \$25,000. I realize that this amount is less than you had requested, but was the maximum level the proposal review committee could recommend and still be able to fund the 34 proposals selected from among the 84 submitted this year.

By copy of this memo, I am asking Margaret Fox of the Accounting Office to establish a new OTL Research Incentive Fund account in the Music Department to be under the direction of the two of you.

Please spend your award approximately as budgeted and approximately within the proposed project period. There will be no indirect costs charged to the project, but to the extent any salaries are charged to it, the full staff benefit rate will be applied. (Note that the staff benefit rate for FY93 will be negotiated over the summer. Any resulting increases in the rate will need to be covered by the award).

Although there are no formal reporting requirements, we would appreciate learning from you informally the outcome of your project and whether it leads to any follow-on support from external sponsors.

Your proposal was innovative, well-written, and important from the perspective of interdisciplinary research. Best wishes for success to the students involved.

Cordially,



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cc: Karol Berger, Ewart Thomas, and Margaret Fox (Accounting Office)