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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I have known Bruce BRADLEY for two years, first as one of my students in Tucson(Arizona) when I was visisting professor there, then as a field assistant on my excavations at Pech de l'Azé(Dordogne, SW France) during the summer of 1970. He is a very gifted and dedicated young archaeologist, who already has a wide experience in excavating. His general archaeological knowledge is very good too.

Besides, he is specially interested in lithic technology, and has done by himself a lot of reserach on that topic. He beneficiated, in Tucson and in France of the teaching of Don Crabtree, J. Tixier and myself. It is my considerate opinion that he already is one of the foremost modern flint knapper.

He has also good pedagogical abilities, and can expose very clearly the results of his experiments.

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