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Mr. Donald Crabtree Idaho State Museum Boise, Idaho U.S.A.

Dear Mr. Crabtree:

I hold a Ph.D. in Anthropology from Yale University and am currently directing a five year research program in archaeology for the Central Bank of Nicaragua.

I have found that I urgently need to learn about lithic technology in order to analyze some of my collections. It is field which is practically unknown to me. As a result, I would be very much interested to know if you will be giving your course next summer and if it would be possible to make application for it.

Should you not be offering the course next year, I would appreciate it very much if you could suggest alternative possibilities for learning about stone tool technology.

I thank you in advance for your trouble and hope to hear from you.

Yours very truly,

Richard W. Magnus

P.S. My dissertation advisor at Yale was Dr. Irving Rouse who suggested that I should write you.