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To whom it may concern:

I have conducted extensive research in the fields of atom probe field ion microscopy and atom probe tomography for almost 30 years. During these years, I have published 3 text books and over 300 papers on this topic. Recently, I went through an extensive bid process for a new atom probe for our SHaRE user program and decided to purchase a LEAP Microscope from Imago Scientific Instruments.

My selection criteria for this instrument included, among other factors, the superior technological capabilities and performance of Imago's atom probe, the quality and robustness of the product design, the ease of use, and the caliber of people within Imago. In my continued interactions with them, I have been impressed by their responsiveness and expertise.

This instrument is a major milestone in analytical instrumentation. Its productivity has allowed me and other users to conduct more experiments in one year than we did in the last 20 years. Further, it has been extremely robust.

Please call me if you have any further questions.

Yours sincerely



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