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Dear AnneMarie Maes,

For your artistic research into Smart Sculptures and for the continued development and ongoing collaborations with Valldaura Labs and the Fab Lab BCN, you are formally invited for a residency in Barcelona during the months August, September and October of 2016. Your research will be part of a series of informal workshops of innovative and digitally fabricated designs at the Green Fab Lab in Valldaura, one of the campus locations of the IAAC school of Architecture.

Since January 2013, your long term collaborative work with the Fab Lab Barcelona and the Green Fab Lab has already produced a number of sensor enhanced beehives. Your continued involvement in the design development and Bee-monitoring of the hives on the Valldaura campus will lead towards an exhibition of your work at the end of the residency. More specifically, the exhibition will present your 2016-research into Smart Skins Sculptures, as well as all previous collaborative projects, as there are: Sensor enhanced Warre hives / African top bar observational hive / Mycelium skep hive / Data analysis and live monitoring displays as well as a number of informational and photographic display boards.

Yours Sincerely

Signed

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