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Prof. Gustavo Branco  
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Dear Professor Branco,

I would like to apply for a post-doctoral position at the Centro de Física Teórica de Partículas beginning in the fall of 2013. I am currently a postdoctoral fellow working with Jason Kumar and Xerxes Tata at the University of Hawaii, and I received my PhD. from the University of Michigan in 2007, under the supervision of James Wells. My current research areas include dark matter, particle cosmology, collider physics, and both the theoretical and phenomenological aspects of supersymmetry.

Please find enclosed a description of my research interests and a copy of my curriculum vitae. Letters of recommendation are being sent to you separately by the individuals listed on the attached references page.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Brooks Thomas', with a stylized, flowing script.

Brooks Thomas