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Dear NSF Program Officer,

I have read the *Computer Science Access and Opportunity Initiative (CSAOI)* proposal from Kelvin Sung for the NSF S-STEM program regarding recruiting and engaging Game-Themed Computer Science (GTCS) scholars in Computer Science discipline.

I am a faculty member with the Edmonds Community College teaching all of the CS offered at Edmonds CC. Many of our students apply and transfer to the Computing and Software Systems (CSS) division at University of Washington Bothell. Some of our students, especially those who do not have access to technologies when they were young, lack confidence and do not understand their potentials in pursuing Computer Science as a major.

I am excited by the CSAOI proposal and should the proposal be successful, I am committed to working with Professor Sung in identifying potential GTCS scholars and connecting these students with the project such that the students can begin exploring Computer Science as a major earlier in their academic career.

Sincerely,



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