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 Moody, Dustin (Fed)

**Subject:** Re: Someone from 772 interested in PQC **Date:** Wednesday, October 26, 2016 3:20:16 PM

## Hi, Dustin:

I know who he is. He sometimes came to reading club. Meltem knows him as well. His supervisor talked with me a couple of years ago. I told his supervisor that he can attend our meetings and contribute to our project. But he has never directly talked with me.

Let me talk with him when I am back.

## Lily

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From: "Moody, Dustin (Fed)" <dustin.moody@nist.gov>

Date: Wed, October 26, 2016 11:00 PM +0400 To: "Chen, Lily (Fed)" < lily.chen@nist.gov> Subject: Someone from 772 interested in PQC

## Lily,

Today I had someone from division 772 (Internet and Scalable Systems Metrology Group) come and talk to me. His name is Anastase Nakassis. He said his supervisor had suggested that he get involved in our PQC project. He said he'd worked on QKD with some people here at NIST. I told him we are not working on QKD, but PQC, and he understands that completely. He said he was totally indifferent to if we wanted him to come work on this with us, and said to check with my supervisor. He says he has a math background (PhD in Algebra). I tried to invite him to our PQC seminar on Friday, but he basically said to talk it over with my supervisor and let him know. I wasn't sure what to make of him.

Dustin