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Dear Prof. Zhang,

It is my great pleasure to invite you and your colleagues Dr. Xiao-Qing Xian and Dr. Yi-Bo Zhang from Institute of Plant Protection (IPP), Chinese Academy of Agriculture Sciences (CAAS), to visit us at IRTA in Cabrils (Barcelona, Spain) in from the 16<sup>th</sup> to 21<sup>st</sup> of Novermber). I am sure that during your visit we will be able to discuss the possibility to establish some collaborative research projects regarding the recently invasive pest in China, *Tuta absoluta*. We also can discuss future faculty and student exchange programs of interest for both Institutions.

If you have any questions or need further assistance do not hesitate to contact me. Sincerely,

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