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January 18, 1982

Alfred A. Barrios, Ph.D. Self-Programmed Control Center P O Box 49939 Los Angeles CA 90049

Dear Dr. Barrios:

Thank you for sending me a copy recently of your work in self-programmed control. The material sounds quite appropriate for the <u>SALT Journal</u> so if you have a technical report on the use and evaluation of your paper, why don't you send it back to me to be considered for publication in the <u>SALT Journal</u>? Please send along three copies and the material goes out for review by two of the people on the editorial review board. They make a decision and refer back to me for the final decision to accept or not your paper.

Possibly you might be interested in attending the SALT Conference to be held from April 30 through May 2, 1982 at Fort Collins, Colorado at Colorado State University.

Sincerely,

Donald H. Schuster, Ph.D.

Editor, SALT Journal

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April 26, 1982

Alfred A. Barrios, Director Self-Programmed Control Center P. O. Box 49939 Los Angeles, CA

Dear Mr. Barrios:

In a recent issue of the publication for Society for S.A.L.T., I read a brief article on "Self-Programmed Control: A New Approach To Learning." I work with disadvantaged students at the college level, and would appreciate receiving additional information about SPC. Do you have any research evidence on the use of SPC with college-level students? I understand that you authored a book, Towards Greater Freedom and Happiness. Does this deal with SPC specifically? Does it give any information about the potential use of SPC with college-level students? What is the cost of this book and where is it available?

Thank you for your attention to this request.

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Charles W. Semke, Ph.D. Professor in Psychology

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May 20, 1982

Dr. Alfred Barrios Self COntrol Center P.O. Box 49939 Los Angeles, CA 90049

Dear Dr. Barrios:

This letter is an invitation to spend two days with a select group of colleagues in education and science. We will be examining recent developments in research on human consciousness and unconscious mental processes which may likely have profound implications for education.

The scientific contention has been growing over the past two decades that human beings employ only a fraction of their potential mental capacity, and that a significant advance in the use of these untapped abilities may now be within reach. Recent advances in the fields of cognitive science, brain research and the emerging field of consciousness research all point to the need for a major re-assessment of the role and operations of the unconscious mind. Direct implications of this re-assessment include the possibilities of removing barriers to performance and of directly enhancing latent capabilities blocked by heretofore ignored unconscious processes.

We hope you will join with us June 24-26 at the University of California, Berkeley, to explore the possibilities seriously. A small group of distinguished scientists will present overviews of various facets of the field (see enclosed tentative agenda), followed by general discussion of the possible implications for education. The latter will be led by selected leaders in educational thought and open to all participants. Co-sponsors include the following:

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All direct conference costs will be covered by the co-sponsors. We are seeking additional funds to help defray travel expenses for those requiring them in order to participate. We plan to limit the group to one hundred in order to promote the exchange of ideas, so it is important to have your RSVP as soon as possible (see enclosed response sheet).

The conference will begin Thursday evening, June 24, and end Saturday afternoon, June 26. It will be held on the main Berkeley campus and in the Lawrence Hall of Science. Additional information on hotels, transportation, etc., as well as additional details about the program, will be sent to those indicating that they plan to attend.

Hope to see you there...

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AARON W. HILMAN, Ph.D., BIBLIOTHERAPY / CONFLUENT EDUCATION / BOOK SALES AND SERVICES

May 12, 1982

Dear Al:

The Board of Editors and I have read and reviewed your two articles and we would like to re-publish "Self-Programmed Control: A Holistic Approach to Education." This article would be included in the Fall Edition of The Confluent Education Journal. We would also publish a half-page ad for your Center and furnish you with two free copies of the journal. If you agree to this a written reply would be appreciated.

I note nowhere on the copy where this article was published heretofore. You might send us the address of the publisher, if it was published, and we write to them. Of course, we will give appropriate credit.

In the July issue of The Santa Barbara Book Review and Newsletter we plan on a short article on your book and the bio-feedback card.

So it goes.

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