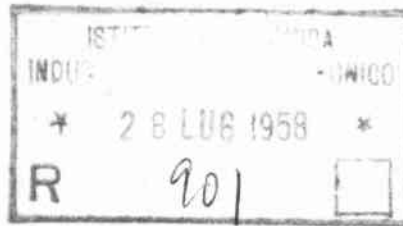


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FACULTÉ DE PHARMACIE

35, rue Deligradska, 35  
Téléphone 23-046

Le Doyen,  
Prof. Dr A.F. Damanski

Belgrade, le 25 Juillet 1958.



Monsieur le Professeur,

L'Ambassade Italienne de Belgrade a informé notre Université, que vous êtes disposé d'accepter notre invitation de nous visiter au courant de la prochaine année scolaire.

Nous avons l'honneur de vous prier de bien vouloir nous indiquer la date de votre arrivée à Belgrade, où vous pourrez tenir quelques conférences d'après votre choix, à l'Université même ainsi que à la Société de Chimie Serbe de Belgrade.

Je vous prie, Monsieur le Professeur, de bien vouloir agréer l'assurance de ma parfaite considération.



Doyen,

*A. F. Damanski*

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vanni thomasi

19 Ottobre 1956

Mr. V. MARINKOVIC  
Fizikalni Institut S. A. Z. U.  
Institute of Physics  
L J U B L J A N A - Yugoslavia

Dear Mr. Marinkovic,

I received your card of September 14, concerning your request of reprint of a work of mine. As I have only a little number of these reprints, I inform you that I have sent the requested reprint together with some others, directly to Dr. Peterlin, head of your Institute.

I should appreciate receiving a reprints of works carried out in your Institute.

Sincerely yours,

Giulio Natta

DENTAL-DEBÖT  
ICHAL DAWID  
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JUGOSLAVIJA

SUŠAK, 24. I. 1956.  
Ul. Proleterskih brigada 3/IV.

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Al  
Decanato della Scuola Tecnica Superiore,

M i l a n o.  
=====

Il sottoscritto prega gentilmente di voler la lettera allegata consegnare a titolo di favore alle

specialista per la chimica organica che tratta  
in particolare la materia delle cere in genere  
*nel settore chimico organico cere naturali*  
specialista che si occupa dell'industria e tecnolo-  
gia delle cere, ove si applica questa scienza nell'industri-  
industria italiana, forse nella fabbricazione di cerosine e p-  
prodotti sintetiche di paraffina Fischer-Tropsch  
*non è completa - Italia*  
estratto di cera terrens / Erdwachs /  
anche dei derivati petroliferi.

Fidando in una Vostra benevola risposta anche questa, per la gen-  
tilezza ringrazio in anticipo

degnademi

con tutta stima

*Mil Dawid*

*gentile  
comunicato*

April 27, 1955

Dr. A. Peterlin  
Fizikalni Institut "J. Stefan"  
Ljubljana - Post Box 199  
(Yugoslavia)

Dear Dr. Peterlin,

I received your letter of April 23, and I confirm you that we shall be glad to let Mr. G. Mohorčič visit our Institute.

As I am not sure to be in Milan on the 1st of June, my assistants Ing. Lutz, of the Plastics Tests Laboratory, and Ing. Danusso, of the High Polymers Tests Section, are instructed for accompanying your collaborator.

Hoping to see you during the Macromolecular Symposium in Zurich, I send you my best personal regards.

G. Natta

February 10, 1953

Prof. Dr. A. Peterlin  
Fizikalni Institut "J. Stefan"  
Ljubljana - Yugoslavia

Dear Professor Peterlin,

I thank you very much for your invitation to the festive inauguration of the new Institute of Physics "J. Stefan" and to the interesting exhibition of nuclear physics.

I am quite sorry to not be able to participate, as I am very busy, but I am sending you the best wishes for the new Institute.

With kindest regards

(Prof. G. Natta)

FIZIKALNI INSTITUT „J. STEFAN“

(Institute of Physics)

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Dir.: Dr. A. Peterlin

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LJUBLJANA, 21. II. 1953.

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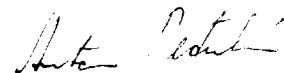
Prof. Dr. G. N a t t a ,  
Istituto di chimica industriale,  
Politecnico Milano,  
Piazza Leonardo da Vinci,  
M i l a n o .

Dear Professor Natta,

I thank you very much for your kind congratulation on the opening of the new Institute of Physics "J. Stefan".

With very kind regards

sincerely yours



Nr.: 8/162-55

Prof. Dr. G. Natta,  
Istituto di chimica industriale,  
Politecnico Milano,  
Piazza Leonardo da Vinci  
Milano.

Dear Prof. Natta;

In connection with the Achema-Exposition my collaborator Mr. G. Mohorčič arrives on the 12 of May at Frankfurt. On his return he would like to visit some chemical and macromolecular-chemical Institutes. He passes Milano on the 1<sup>st</sup> of June.

I would very much appreciate your written permission if Mr. G. Mohorčič could visit you on this occasion. He will later send you a short notice of his arrival.

In case you kindly grant your permission, I beg you to allow him to see your Institute accompanied of one of your assistants.

With very kind regards,

sincerely yours,

*A. Peterlin*

*Caro Dr. Peterlin*

*Recavo a la Sua lettera del 23.4.55.*

*Ho un certo d. Vencur a Milano il 1. giugno.*

*collaboratore Mohorčič*

*quand verrà a Milano, potrà visitarla*

*il Mohorčič è in corso di visita anche per il laboratorio di chimica organica. Sarebbe un piacere per il laboratorio di chimica organica.*

*Dr. G. Mohorčič  
arriverà a Milano il 12.5.55  
e partirà per Francoforte il 13.5.55  
per tornare a Lubiana il 15.5.55  
Il Dr. Mohorčič è un collaboratore  
del Prof. G. Natta all'Istituto di  
Chimica Industriale del Politecnico  
di Milano.*

FIZIKALNI INSTITUT „J. STEFAN“

(Institute of Physics)

LJUBLJANA - YUGOSLAVIA

Dir.: Dr. A. Peterlin

LJUBLJANA, .....

Post Box 199

**Institute of Physics "J. Stefan" is inviting you to the festive inauguration of the new institute building in Ljubljana, Jamova 55 that will take place on February 8th at 11.a.m.**

**At that occasion there will be a public exhibition of nuclear physics with the following programme:**

**Principles of Nuclear Physics  
Measuring Instruments  
Nuclear Electronics  
Accelerators  
Applications of Nuclear Physics  
Nuclear Physics in the World  
Nuclear Physics in Yugoslavia  
Historical Review**

**The exhibition will be open until 20th February 1953.**

Prot.: 33-8/32-52

Signor

prof.dr. G. N a t t a,  
Istituto di chimica industriale  
Università di Milano,  
M i l a n o / I t a l i a .

Caro signor collega!

Permettete, rispettabile signor collega, di ringraziarVi per tutta la Vostra cordialità che mi usate durante il mio soggiorno a Milano.

Avevo speciale interesse per il Vostro istituto di fisica e chimica, il quale si trova proprio ora in fornimento di apparati moderni.

Mi fermavo a Roma due giorni dove ho visitato bellissimo istituto di signor professore E. Amaldi. Sono molto contento perchè sono andato a Roma. Mi pare che ho scelto il giusto tempo perchè credo che nell'estate e forse un po' troppo caldo.

Il mio viaggio a casa è passato senza difficoltà. I binari di ferro erano già puliti. Mai si può immaginare tante quantità di neve cadute così poco tempo. Mucchi di neve ammontano a 3 metri e tutti i cittadini sono inclusi nel rassettare la neve. C'è più di cinquanta morti nelle parti di montagna e non esistono nessuno mezzi di comunicazione; i viveri si possono spedire per mezzo di aerei.

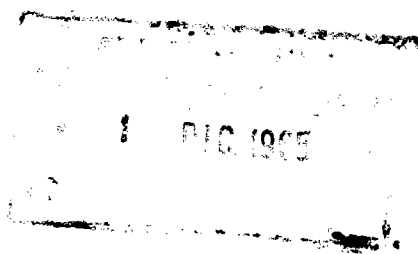
I miei cordiali rispetti alla signora Natta.  
Vi prego di ricevere i miei più distinti salu-

ti.





*Suporba e  
Vane est*



Illustrissimo Signor Professore!

Ho ricevuto la Sua stimatissima lettera del 10.XI. e La ringrazio per avermi incoraggiato con il definire la mia impostazione interessante. In base agli esperimenti che seguono credo che potrò, anche se in parte, dimostrare la veridicità della mia ipotesi e gettar le basi per ulteriore lavoro in questo campo.

Di particolare impulso nel mio lavoro è stata la Sua relazione a Stoccolma nel 1963. Nel passo conclusivo intravedeva la possibilità di risolvere con l'aiuto della chimica stereospecifica i problemi di carattere biologico come quelli dell'origine della vita.

Mi sarebbe di particolare onore e grandissima soddisfazione poter, come ricercatore nel campo della chimica catalitica, contribuire alla soluzione dei problemi che travagliano l'umanità e che a ragione sono chiamati i "malanni della civiltà odierna".

Permetta di porgerLe egregio Professore l'espressione più sincera della mia stima e di ricevere i miei più sinceri saluti

Zagabria, 27.XI.1965.

Dott. Vranjican (Dalimil)

*V. Vranjican Dalimil*

Milano, 10.11.1965

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Egr. Dott. Branjican Dalimil  
Z A G R E B  
Stanićeva ul. 7/1  
Jugoslavija

Egregio Dottore,

ricevo la Sua lettera del 29.10 e le relazioni ad essa  
allegate.

Trovo interessante la Sua impostazione del problema dell'origine del lo  
stato canceroso nell'organismo umano, ma sono spiacente di essere  
troppo poco competente in questioni biologiche per poter esprimere un  
parere.

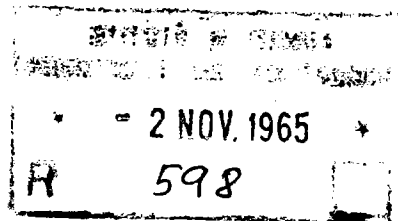
E' possibile che lo stato canceroso sia dovuto ad un processo anomalo  
di natura chimica, ma non mi sembra vi siano dati sufficienti per attri-  
buirlo ad un particolare processo chimico.

Molti auguri per i Suoi lavori che riguardano un campo  
di enorme importanza.

I migliori saluti.

Giulio Natta

*Legguto al P. 2*



Illustre Signor Professore !

Permetta che mi presenti : sono oriundo di Verona, attualmente docente alla Facoltà Tecnica di Zagabria e collaboratore all'Istituto di Chimica Organica Industriale. Nella mia famiglia conto molti medici e dottori farmacisti laureati alla Facoltà di Padova.

Mi prendo la libertà di spedirLe una copia di un mio elaborato concernente problemi sulla **cancerogenesi**, cioè un estratto dello stesso che verrà pubblicato interamente.

Io mi occupo dei problemi della idrogenazione catalitica, e nel corso delle mie ricerche ho avuto più volte aiuto ed interesse nel consultare i trattati da Lei pubblicati, come pure quelli del prof. Scipioni di Padova. Ultimamente ho apprezzato molto i di Lei lavori nel campo della "Chimica stereospecifica".

Come potrà constatare dall' allegato inviatoLe, la causa dello stato canceroso nell' organismo umano sia dovuta ad una erronea idrogenazione biocatalitica nelle cellule dell'organismo stesso, dovuto ad una inadeguata alimentazione, seguita dall' umanità fin da suoi primordi / dall' alimentazione vegetariana a quella carnivora /.

Considerando il problema da un punto di vista prettamente biochimico, a differenza di molti medici - scienziati, che cercano l' origine di molte malattie / es. riguardanti la colonna vertebrale / in causa le modificazioni nel portamento dell' uomo dovuto al passaggio alla stazione eretta, considerando dunque il problema da un punto di vista esclusivamente ~~ovvero~~ fisica meccanica.

Sarei molto lieto di poter avere il Suo pregiatissimo giudizio sull' ipotesi da me posta, come pure sulle possibilità di un ulteriore sviluppo della biochimica in questo campo.

Rispettosamente Le porgo i miei ossequi

Zagabria, 29 ottobre 1965.

Dott. VRANJICAN DALIMIL  
ZAGREB.

Stančićeva ul.7/I  
Jugoslavija.

*Vranjican Dalimil*

Jugoslavia

22.4.1965

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Prof. Dott. Mladen Dzelic  
Prirodno-Matematski Fakultet  
Odsjek za hemiju  
Sarajevo (Jugoslavia)

Egregio Professore,

ricevo la Sua lettera del 13.4, con la quale mi annuncia la visita degli studenti del IV anno di chimica a questo Istituto. Da parte mia sono ben lieto di far visitare il mio Istituto.

Poichè al Politecnico di Milano, per il corso di laurea in ingegneria chimica, esistono due altri Istituti chimici, quello di Chimica Generale diretto dal Prof. Quilico e quello di Chimica Fisica ed Elettrochimica diretto dal Prof. Piontelli, gradirei sapere se desiderate visitare anche tali Istituti.

Nel caso che desideraste visitare anche gli Istituti chimici dell'Università di Milano, per la laurea in chimica industriale, Ma informo che l'Istituto di Chimica Generale è diretto dal Prof. Malatesta, quello di Chimica Fisica dal Prof. Simonetta e quello di Chimica Organica Industriale dal Prof. Fusco.

Per quanto riguarda la data della visita, Le faccio presente che il giorno 2 giugno in Italia è un giorno festivo nel quale tutti gli Istituti saranno chiusi, come pure nei giorni di sabato e domenica.

La prego di comunicarmi con un certo anticipo la data esatta della visita degli studenti.

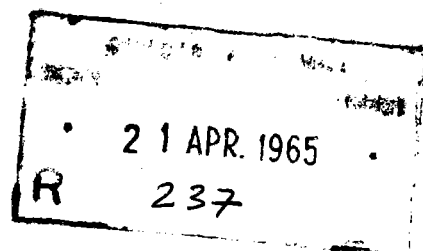
Distinti saluti.

Il Direttore dell'Istituto  
(Prof. Giulio Natta)

PRIRODNO-MATEMATSKI FAKULTET

Odsjek za hemiju

SARAJEVO, JUGOSLAVIJA



Sarajevo, 13.4.1965.

ISTITUTO DI CHIMICA INDUSTRIALE DEL POLITECNICA

M i l a n o .

Sezione di chimica di Facoltà di scienze naturali di Sarajevo sta organizzando un'escursione nell'Italia settentrionale per gli studenti di quarto anno di chimica. Nel piano dell'escursione abbiamo previsto anche la visita del Vostro Istituto. Questa visita sarà realizzata fra l. e 10. giugno di quest'anno. Noi Vi preghiamo di ripondersi se potete ricevere nostro gruppo e a quale termine.

Con gli saluti cordiali

Capo di Sezione

Prof. Dr. Mladen Deželić



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29 Juillet 1958

Réf.n.901/el

*Vainc Stru...*  
*Jogorovic*

Mr. le Professeur Dr. A. F.  
DAMANSKI  
Faculté de Pharmacie  
Université de  
BELGRADE  
35, rue Deligradska

Monsieur le Professeur,

je viens vous remercier pour votre aimable lettre du 25 même mois, par laquelle vous m'invitez à vous visiter au courant de la prochaine année scolaire.

J'avais déjà informé l'Ambassade Italienne de Belgrade que de nombreux engagements fixés auparavant pour des conférences à l'étranger ne m'auraient pas permis d'en accepter d'autres avant la fin de la prochaine année scolaire. De toute façon, j'espère avoir le plaisir de vous écrire à ce sujet avant la fin de 1959.

Veillez agréer, Monsieur le Professeur, mes salutations les plus distinguées.

(Prof.G.Natta)

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35, rue Dellgradska, 35  
Téléphone 23-046

Le Doyen,  
Prof. Dr. A. Damanski.

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INDUSTRIALE DEL POLITECNICO

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Monsieur le Professeur,

*Aut*  
Belgrade, le 5 Juillet 1958

Monsieur le Professeur  
Prof. G. N a t t a  
Istituto di Chimica Industriale  
del Politecnico  
Piazza Leonardo da Vinci 32,  
M-i-l-a-n-o.

je viens de recevoir votre lettre du 29 Juillet, par laquelle vous m'annoncez que vous ne pouvez pas accepter notre invitation avant la fin de la prochaine année scolaire.

En tout cas nous ~~serons~~ sommes heureux de vous voir chez nous au temps que vous serez en possibilité de nous visiter.

Je vous prie donc de bien vouloir m'annoncer votre arrivée à Belgrade dès que vous serez disposé d'y venir.

Veuillez agréer, Monsieur le Professeur, l'assurance de mes sentiments les plus distinguées.

(Prof. A. F. Damanski)



*A. F. Damanski*

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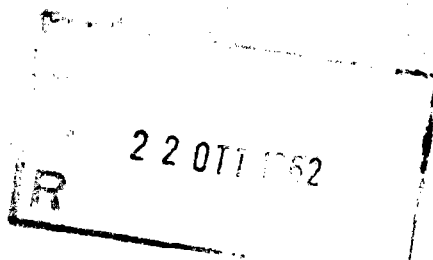
LJUBLJANA  
HAJDRIHOVA 19

Telefon št.: 22-466  
Tekoči račun 800-18/2-645  
Poštni predal 295

Ljubljana, 18-10-1962

Ing. Milivoj Hladnik

*Vani  
stranini*



Signor

prof. Giulio N a t t a  
direttore dell'Istituto di Chimica Industriale  
Politecnico di Milano  
32, Piazza Leonardo da Vinci

M i l a n o

Egregio professore,

terminate le mie visite presso alcune istituzioni di ricerche scientifiche, vorrei esprimerle di nuovo i miei ringraziamenti per tutte le gentilezze che ho goduto da Lei e nel Suo istituto. Sarei felicissimo se potessi contraccambiarle in caso che, egregio professore, si decida di fare una visita al nostro istituto.

Distinti saluti

*Milivoj Hladnik*  
ing. Milivoj Hladnik



*Vance Smith*

March 18, 1958

Dr. Otto Moldenhauer  
Project Manager and Consultant  
Vila Cer  
Banja Koviljaca  
SRBIJE - Jugoslavia

Dear Dr. Moldenhauer,

many thanks for your kind letter of March 10,  
and for your kind words about my work.

Thanking you, I send you my best regards.

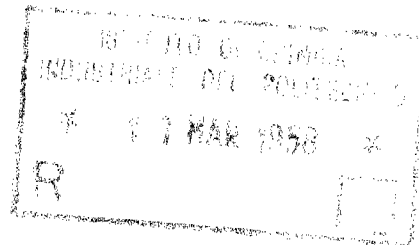
Very sincerely yours,

(Prof. G. Natta)

DR. OTTO MOLDENHAUER  
Project Manager and Consultant

Vila Cer  
Banja Koviljaca  
Srbije, Jugoslavija

March 10, 1958



Professor  
Giulio Natta  
Polytechnic Institute  
Milan, Italy

Dear Professor Natta:

Mr. Henry Von Kohorn forwarded to me a clipping from the New York Times which announced that you were elected by the Science Unit a Fellow of the New York Academy of Sciences in recognition of your discoveries in polymer chemistry.

I wish to express my sincere congratulations and hope that in many successful years you will enjoy the fruits of this honor.

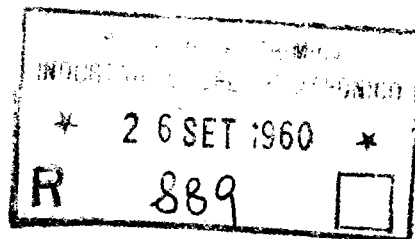
Very sincerely yours,

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OM:es  
Dr. Otto Moldenhauer  
Project Manager and Consultant

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Ing. Jože Kolarič, Višja tehniška šola Maribor,  
Smetanova ul. 18/u, Jugoslavija



Sehr geehrter Herr Professor!

Entschuldigen Sie mir die Freiheit,  
dass ich mich mit folgender Bitte an Sie  
wende.

Ich nahm Teil bei der Vortragstagung  
der "Industriellen Chemie" in Linz, leider  
bin ich aber etwas zu spät angekommen, so  
dass ich Ihren Vortrag über die Polypropy-  
lenfaser versäumte.

Da die syntetischen Faser mich beson-  
ders interessieren und weil die Polypropylen-  
faser zu neueren Erzeugnissen gehören, bisher  
aber über Sie noch wenig bekanntgegeben wurde,  
bitte ich Sie recht schön, mir eine Abschrift  
Ihres Vortrags "über die Polypropylenfaser"  
senden zu wolten.

Mit Hochachtung,

ing. Jože KOLARIČ

4 Hotel

Maribor, 21. 9. 1960.

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*na dostopu vpi kovan*  
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*altu eskult* (F. eis  
Gemeinde  
fhe)

September 27, 1960

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*M. J. Natta*

Ing. Joze Kolaric  
Visja tehniška šola Maribor  
Smetanova ul. 18/II,  
(Yugoslavija) II

Dear Sir,

With regard to your letter of September 21,  
I wish to inform you that I have no copies of the lecture  
on fibres presented at the Linz Meeting.

As soon as published, I shall send you a reprint  
of it. Under separate cover, I have sent you some reprints  
which, I hope, will be of some interest to you.

With my best regards.

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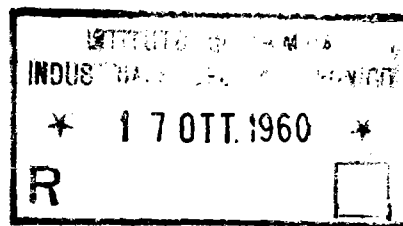
G. Natta

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*Spodnja*

**ORGANSKO KEMIJSKA INDUSTRIJA**  
**Z A G R E B**  
Boškovićeva ul. 33

*Jugoslavija*

Zagreb, October 12, 1960



Professor Giulio Natta  
Istituto di chimica industriale  
del Politecnico  
Piazza Leonardo da Vinci 32  
Milano - Italy

Dear Professor Natta:

Thank you very much for your letter of September 30, and for the kind permission to visit your Laboratories. I will let you know in time the exact date of our arrival.

I am looking forward to seeing you very soon.

Sincerely yours,

*Dragutin Fleš*

(Dragutin Fleš)

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**ORGANSKO KEMIJSKA INDUSTRIJA**

**Z A G R E B**

Boškovićeva ul. 33

*mi*  
*V. Fleš*  
*Kolovrat*  
Zagreb, 2nd December, 1960

No 352/60

Professor Giulio Natta  
Institute of Industrial Chemistry  
Politecnico of Milan  
M i l a n

Dear Professor Natta,

It was a real pleasure to visit your Institute, but we regret very much that we had not the opportunity to meet you. Your collaborators however were most helpful and we wish to thank them all for their kindness.

Hoping that you are in the best of health, I am, with best personal regards,

Yours sincerely,

*Dragutin Fleš*

/Dragutin Fleš/

Sept. 30, 1960

Dr. Ing. Dragutin Fleš  
Director of Research,  
Organsko Kemijska Industri  
Z A G R E B  
(Yugoslavia)

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Dear Doctor Fleš,

With regard to your letter of Sept. 27,  
I am glad to inform you that you may come and visit my  
Institute at any time you desire. If, by chance, I am  
out of town, you will meet some co-workers of mine, and  
visit my laboratories accompanied by them.

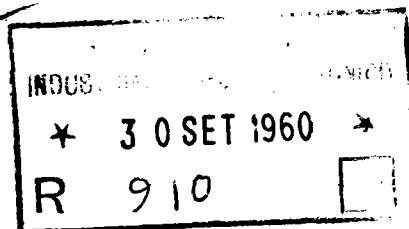
With my best regards,

G. Natta

**ORGANSKO KEMIJSKA INDUSTRIJA**  
**Z A G R E B**  
Boškovićeva ul. 33

Zagreb, September 27, 1960

Professor Giulio Natta  
Institute of Industrial Chemistry  
Politecnic of Milan  
Milan - Italy



Dear Professor Natta:

I am taking liberty to ask you for the permission to visit your Institute. Very recently a large Chemical Industry has been established in Zagreb. All "know how" and engineering are licenced by the leading American firms. However the research and developement departments are not included in licences, and before we build the research department , we would like to visit some prominent Institutes dealing with the problems of plastics and petrochemicals. Having in mind the high standard of your research work, we would appreciate it very much if you allow me to visit your Institute. If a visit is arranged, the architect in charge of this project would probably follow me during this trip.

Hoping that I am not taking too much of your precious time, I am with best personal regards

Sincerely yours,

*Dragutin Fleš*

Dr. Ing. Dragutin Fleš  
Director of Research



Feb.21, 1964

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Auer*

Aleksander Pasternjak, Esq.  
Journalist,  
Postni Predal 462/IX  
Ljubljana, Jugoslavia

our ref.101/lv

Dear Mr.Pasternjak,

Thank you for your kind letter of Jan.30, and as required I answer your questions.

1 - I was officially informed of my being awarded with the Nobel Prize for Chemistry by the Swedish Ambassador in Italy, who rang me up from Rome on Nov.5, that is on the same day of the decision of the Swedish Academy of Sciences.

2 - The Swedish Academy of Sciences, with the greatest objectivity, examines the proposals presented every year before Feb.1. Proposals are made by the Swedish and foreign Members of the Royal Academy of Sciences of Stockholm, by the Nobel prize winners for Chemistry and Physics, by the permanent and acting professors of Chemistry of the Universities of Uppsala, Lund, Oslo, Copenhagen, Helsingfors, and by the professors of chemistry of at least six foreign Universities chosen every year.

According to the Alfred Nobel will, the prize should be awarded every year for discoveries accomplished the year before. As many discoveries require a longer time before being recognized and appreciated, the Academy of Sciences in general adopts the criterion to take into consideration discoveries made some years before, when their general recognition was made successively.

When reading the list of Nobel Prize winners for Chemistry since 1901 until now, the most outstanding scientists of the world Chemistry are indicated. That list can be considered as a historic document of the achievements acquired in the chemical field in these last seventy years.

The discussions made at the Swedish Academy of Sciences are kept secret. The decision, when not unanimous, is made by voting; however, from what published on the Prizes awarded in the first decade of this Century, it is known that the scientists chosen are mostly those who have been designated by the greatest number of proposals. In general Nobel Prize winners are proposed for several years.

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It is certainly hard to judge persons working in different fields, but I am sure that the Swedish Academy of Sciences examines the proposals with the greatest accuracy and objectivity.

3 - I am acquainted with several Nobel Prize winners, such as Prof. Calvin, Hinselwood, Karrer, Pauling, Robinson, Ruziscka, Semenov, Staudinger, Svedberg, Tiselius. I met them at Congresses or meetings of the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry. I had met some of them before that they became Nobel Laureates; thus I rejoiced at the news of their being awarded with it, because they are all very worthy scientists.

4 - When young, the collection of minerals, hunting, fishing, ski-ing, alpinism, to go mushrooming - in general whatever approaches to nature.

5 - Even if I worked with X-rays for several years, for the study of the crystal structure, I have always been very cautious in order to avoid the danger of absorbing X-rays.

In several research works carried out at high pressures (between 200-1000 atm.) I tried to use apparatus made in our Institute, because the oil separator of a compressor I had purchased abroad exploded in 1928, hurting two men employed in the runs, luckily not seriously. That accident led me to adopt particular cautions in the choice of materials and in handling the research. In fact I did not suffer any other laboratory accidents.

My life was only endangered in my sporting activities: an avalanche during a ski-ing trip on the French-Italian Alps, and the tear ~~of a nail~~ <sup>of a nail</sup> on climbing the dolomitic peaks of Grigna (Lombard Pre Alps).

6 - This topic can be better judged by physicists than by myself. The indiscriminated use of atomic energy as war material can certainly cause huge losses of human lives and considerable changes in the characters of the new born - however, it is difficult to foresee the entity and direction of these changes.

7 - It is difficult to answer this question: first of all because many important discoveries are the most significant stages of the gradual progress achieved with the participation of many people; secondly because

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it is difficult to make a comparative judgement among recent discoveries; a full examination of them is possible only after years.

In the field of chemistry, one of the most interesting achievements is the discovery of chemical compounds of noble gases, which were considered refractory to any combination.

With best regards,

Giulio Natta

ALEKSANDER PASTERNAK  
JOURNALIST  
POSTNI PRIDAL 462/IX  
LJUBLJANA  
YUGOSLAVIA

Ljubljana, January 30th, 1964

Interview

Dr.  
Giulio Natta  
ROME  
Italy

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Dear Sir,

Yugoslav peoples follow with great interest Nobel awarding every year, as it is the most important prize for scientific, literary, and peace achievements. I should be much obliged if You would take part in the report "Round table of Nobel prize winners", a serial about the Nobel prize and written interviews with all living Nobel prize winners in the field of literature, chemistry, physics, medicine, psychology and peace.

I should be obliged if You would answer the following questions:

1. How were You informed that You were awarded with the Nobel prize for Chemistry?
2. Nobel wrote in his will that he is leaving all his fortune to award yearly the persons who have done most for the prosperity of human kind. Do You consider that The Swedish Academy of Science was always objective in the choice of awardees in chemistry?
3. Do You personally know some living Nobel prize winners for chemistry?
4. Your hobby in private time?
5. Has ever Your life been <sup>ever</sup> endangered while researching?
6. Would life on earth be possible after a third world war?
7. The greatest event in chemistry in 1963?

Yugoslav people are interested in all progressive events in the world and they were pleased with the decision of the Swedish Academy of Science about awarding You as a supporter of progressive ideas for benefit of human kind.

Looking forward to hear from You soon.

Yours sincerely,  
A. PASTERNAK  
Aleksander Pasternak

*Mari  
Natta*

le 28 septembre 1964

Dr. Ing. Sinisa Stankovic,  
Secrétaire Société Chimique SF  
Karnegijeva 4  
Beograd

Je viens de recevoir l'annonce de la part de la  
Société Chimique de la SFR pour la perte subite de  
son Président, Dr. Ing. Fanta S. Tutundzig.

Je veux ici présenter mes condoléances les plus  
profondes en priant de les transmettre aussi à  
la famille.

Giulio Natta

March 3, 1964

*Will  
Stevan*

Dipl.Chem. Stevan P. Vujkov,  
Novi Sad, Vojvodjanska 4/III  
Yugoslavia

Dear Mr. Vujkov:

With regard to your request of Feb. 23, I send you, under separate cover, a photograph of myself as well as other material you can use for the book you are preparing. If possible, please, return me the photograph after use.

With my best regards,

Giulio Natta

Dipl. Chem. STEVAN P. VOJKOV

23. febr. 1964

Dear Sir,

As I have been engaged for some time in collecting materials for a book for the youth, which is to bear the title "Chemists - Nobel Prize Winners", I am writing to you in the hope that you will kindly help me a photograph of you or any other materials about yourself which I could use either for the illustrated part of the book or for the text.

In the hope to receive a favourable reply I thank you in advance and remain.

Sincerely yours

*Vujkov Stevan*



My address is:

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avec  
travaux japonais

Monsieur le Professeur  
Dr Giulio Natta  
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Milano  
Italia

Zagreb, le 26 février 1972

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Le très honorable et cher  
Monsieur le Professeur,

Je suis bien reconnaissant de votre  
amabilité de m'envoyer votre photo qui  
m'a faite un très grand plaisir.

Je suis heureux de vous exprimer encore  
une fois ma reconnaissance et mes meilleurs  
vœux et sympathies sincères.

J'aimerais beaucoup avoir votre  
signature sur ces deux enveloppes  
philatéliques et je l'espère avec l'espoir  
de ne me pas prendre mal.

Vous me ferer un très beau et cher  
cadeau sur le quel je l'espère remercie de tout  
cœur d'avance.

Je reste avec un profond respect.

Votre admirateur, jeune médecin

Miro Krizanac



Palić, den 7 August 1972

Sehr geehrter lieber Herr Professor!

Bitte entschuldigen Sie meine  
Störung. Ich bin Lehrer hier in  
Jugoslawien und bin Ihr großer  
Bewunderer und Verehrer. Ich  
habe auch neulich viel alles  
Gute und Schöne von Ihnen  
gelesen und kann behaupten,  
dass unseres Volk Ihre Arbeit  
sehr hoch schätzt.

Bitte lieber Herr Professor wollen  
Sie mir schreiben woran Sie jetzt  
arbeiten? Auf welchem Werk?

Was ist der Titel Ihres letzten Werkes? Auf welchem Gebiet arbeiten Sie jetzt? Was sind Ihre Pläne?

Lieber Professor ich weiß, dass Sie keine Zeit für Briefschreiben haben aber entschuldigen Sie bitte ich warte Ihre Antwort

sehr. Bitte sehr antworten Sie mir persönlich!

Wir wissen lieber Herr Professor Sie haben sehr viel für die Wissenschaft beigetragen. Wir danken das alles Ihnen!

Lieber <sup>Herr</sup> Professor Sie werden auch in meiner Arbeit helfen, wenn Sie mir antworten. (Ich

arbeite an den großen Persönlichkeiten dieses Jahrhunderts)

Sie können mir auch in anderer Sprache, selbst auch Italienisch schreiben.

Weitere erfolgreiche Arbeit und gute Gesundheit! Ich danke Ihre Antwort im voraus.

Mit herzlichen Grüßen

Ihr: LÁSZLÓ MAGYAR

Dear Professor!

Please excuse me my disturbing you. I am a teacher here and I am your devoted admirer. Thank you very much for

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MATKO KRIZANAC  
ABS. MED.  
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Zagreb, le 15 décembre 1970.

Bien estimé Monsieur le Professeur,

Je suis bien reconnaissant de  
Votre amabilité de m'envoyer votre  
autographe qui m'a fait un grand plaisir.

Je suis heureux de Vous adresser  
mes meilleurs vœux pour la Nouvelle  
Année et exprimer encore une fois ma  
reconnaissance et mes sympathies sincères.

J'aimerais beaucoup avoir votre  
photo avec la signature en marge et  
je Vous le prie avec l'espoir de ne me  
pas trouver mauvais. <sup>un petit</sup> 13/11/1970

Vous me ferrez un très beau et cher  
cadeau sur le quel je Vous remercie  
de tout coeur d'avance.

Je reste avec un profond respect.  
Votre jeune admirateur, étudiant  
en médecine

Matko Krizanac

Marie  
Maurice  
Yugoslavie

Zagreb, le 9 mars 1970.

Estime monsieur le Professeur,

Un jeune étudiant en médecine  
qui Vous estime beaucoup aussi que  
Vos grands oeuvres qui sont un bienfait  
pour tout le genre humain prend la  
liberté de Vous exprimer ses sincères  
sympathies et meilleurs vœux.

En espérant que Vous ne me  
prendrez pas mal je Vous prie,  
monsieur le Professeur, de m'envoyer  
Votre signature (autographe).

Je Vous serai très obligé et je  
Vous remercie d'avance.

Je suis avec un profond respect.

Matko Krizanac

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the good deed for science! Our  
people hold you in high esteem.  
I appreciate your work very high.

Dear Professor will you be  
so kind to write me what are  
you working on now? What is  
the title of your last work?  
On which field do you work  
now? - I should study so see  
your work with great pleasure  
but I cannot buy it here.  
Please write me personally.  
Thank you very much!  
Good health and successful work  
in the future too!

With the best wishes  
Sincerely yours:  
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Straneri*

Milano, 27.9.1972

Mr. Laszlo Magyar  
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Kizur Istvan 10/A (Yugoslavia)

Dear Mr. Magyar,

I wish to thank you very much for all your kind words on myself and on my works.

Since you are interested in the research we are developing, I send you, under separate cover, some reprints of papers from my Institute.

Kind regards,

Giulio Natta

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*Yugoslavia*

March 13th, 1972

Prof. Giulio NATTA  
Via Mario Pagano 54  
Milano  
ITALIA

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Dear Sir,

I would be so grateful if I may have your autograph together your photograph in order of a completion of my collection of autographs of the famous personalities of the world.

I began to collect autographs in the year 1965 and I want to complet my collection and open a museum of autographs in my home town.

Awaiting for your kind reply I remain.

Very truly yours,

*Jovica M. Vučković*

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Mr. JMV

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