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Bill,

It was good to see you again, and I'm glad you're here at NIST.

We hope you'll be part of our post-quantum crypto project, and I'd be happy to get you up to speed on that whenever. Our webpage for it is at <a href="www.nist.gov/pqcrypto">www.nist.gov/pqcrypto</a>, and on that website you should be able to easily see the instructions for how to sign up for the pqc forum. I recommend you do so - we post announcements there, and people ask us questions and discuss the pqc project. Submissions are due to us by Nov. 30th, so things will start to heat up pretty quick here. We've told anyone who submits by Sep. 30th that we'll also do a quick look over to make sure they have everything they are supposed to.

Anyway - let me know if I can help you in any way, or if you have any questions. I've added you to the email alias "internal-pqc@nist.gov" which we use to send PQC stuff to all the other members of the project (all NIST people). We usually meet every other week, but during the summer we have slowed down a bit. We will probably have some impromptu meetings come up over the next few weeks, but we have nothing currently scheduled at this moment.

Dustin