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Dear Jeff:

I finally heard from Chuck Harper, who is visiting anthropological sites in South Africa at the moment and has been a little hard to reach.

Regarding Eastern Europe, not too much luck- these are the names I got, and I don't know any of them, so probably not too useful:

- Enn Kasak, Associate professor of philosophy of science, PhD, Tallinn University, Estonia
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Chuck suggested Tegmark at MIT, and I think that we might be able to do something related to a new grants competition programs that look at creativity, innovation, and efficiency in the context of biological membranes, but the question is who are the people?

By the way I had a quick follow-up chat with Krauss in Arizona- what he is doing is important, and I have encouraged him to think about long-term directions/strategies (bigger than simply raising the endowment and convening famous people, which is only a start). I'll reconnect with him soon.

Barnaby