
From: [REDACTED] on behalf of Ben Goertzel <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Monday, November 3, 2014 5:55 AM
To: jeffrey E.
Subject: Re: timing for meet-up in November ... Re: Visiting in November

Hi,

Sorry to be a nag, but do you know if you're available Nov 6 at this point?

thx ;)
ben

On Wed, Oct 22, 2014 at 6:43 PM, jeffrey E. <jeevacation@gmail.com> wrote:
> cant be sure yet
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> On Wed, Oct 22, 2014 at 6:40 AM, Ben Goertzel <[REDACTED]> wrote:
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>> Hi,
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>> I'm firming up my travel plans; does Nov 6 in NYC still look good for
>> us to meet?
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>> Looking forward to it -- lots to report & discuss!
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>> thx ;)
>> ben
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>> On Mon, Oct 6, 2014 at 5:59 PM, jeffrey E. <jeevacation@gmail.com> wrote:
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>>> 6th looks good at the moment
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>>> On Mon, Oct 6, 2014 at 3:10 AM, Ben Goertzel <[REDACTED]> wrote:
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>>>> Hi Jeffrey,
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>>>> It looks like I'll be at MIT Nov 7-9, and then on the US East Coast
>>>> (details to be figured out) from Nov 10-17 Will sometime in the
>>>> interval Nov 10-17 work for us to meet up?
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>>>> If not I could possibly do Nov 5 or 6 or so, before the BICA
>>>> conference at MIT ... but I'd want to know soon so I can buy plane
>>>> tickets HK-US accordingly...
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>>>> Or if this is too far in advance for you to plan a meeting, I can

>>>> just come and then hope to schedule something with you at the last
>>>> minute ;)
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>>>> There is loads of interesting stuff to discuss!!
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>>>> Thanks a lot,
>>>> Ben
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>>>> On Wed, Sep 17, 2014 at 11:09 PM, Ben Goertzel <[REDACTED]> wrote:
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>>>>> Great!
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>>>>> Do you want to arrange the particular date now, or should I ping
>>>>> you about it in a couple weeks?
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>>>>> I will probably need to buy plane tickets for the trip around Oct
>>>>> 1, and it would be good to incorporate knowledge of the date of
>>>>> our meeting to trip planning...
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>>>>> Thanks a lot,
>>>>> Ben
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>>>>> On Wed, Sep 17, 2014 at 7:47 PM, Jeffrey E.
>>>>> <jeevacation@gmail.com>
>>>>> wrote:
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>>>>>> yes look forward to it
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>>>>>> On Wed, Sep 17, 2014 at 7:38 AM, Ben Goertzel <[REDACTED]>
>>>>> wrote:
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>>>>>>> Hi Jeffrey,
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>>>>>>> I hope you've been well !
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>>>>>>> I'll be in the US in early November for the BICA conference at
>>>>>>> MIT (Nov 7-9; I guess Joscha will attend as well)... and
>>>>>>> probably stay in the US for a little bit after that...
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>>>>>> I wonder if we could meet up at some point during my US visit --
>>>>>> either in Boston if you'll be there around that time, or in New
>>>>>>> York, or anywhere else that you prefer...
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>>>>>> It would be good to show you some of the stuff we've been up to
>>>>>> with OpenCog, if you can spare a couple hours. Lots going on ;)
>>>>>>> ... (due to the efforts of the team in Hong Kong, plus some of the guys in Ethiopia...) ...
>>>>>>> our NLP/reasoning work is advancing quite a bit, as well as some
>>>>>>> video game world and robotics stuff...
>>>>>

>>>>> As an aside, our AI hedge fund project looks like it's going to go
>>>>> forward and we'll probably start trading early next year. We had been
>>>>> struggling with HK equity data, but shifting to US equities and
>>>>> global futures (in the last couple months) has given us much
>>>>> nicer historical prediction accuracies (largely due to the lower
>>>>> transaction costs on these markets). Next step is to run
>>>>> backtests on these other markets, and then try it all on data from 2012-2014, which we have held out as "virgin
data"
>>>>> for last-ditch testing... and then if that works, trade real money.... I
>>>>> have been splitting my time between OpenCog and the trading
>>>>> project and am sick to death of quantitative finance and eager
>>>>> to shift more time to OpenCog; but I would rather ramp down my
>>>>> time on the finance project on a successful note (i.e. after
>>>>> getting a tradable system working), and at the moment it seems to be going in that direction...
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>>>>> Thanks,
>>>>> Ben
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>>>>> <http://goertzel.org>
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>>>>> James T. Kirk
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