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Dear Professor Blackall:

Thank you very much for your letter of June 28, asking me if I might be interested in a Senior Fellowship for the Humanities for one of the two semesters of the academic year 1982-1983, or for the entire academic year.

I feel flattered, and honored, by your offer, which is very tempting, indeed. Unfortunately, my plans for the academic year 1982-1983 have already been decided in favor of trying to cope with the numerous projects to which I have committed myself. I realize that the duties of a Senior member of the Institute are minimal, and that, in fact, they tend to favor the development of the Fellow's research projects, but in my particular case I feel that unless I devote all my time, in my own working place, to my previous commitments I will be unable to complete the projects undertaken.

Please express my thanks to Professor Kronik and to all the other colleagues who have expressed interest in my presence at the Institute, as well as, of course, to Professor Ciriaco Moron-Arroyo who proposed my name.

Thanking you again for your most interesting offer,

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Jose Ferrater Mora". The signature is written in a cursive, somewhat stylized script.

Jose Ferrater Mora