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Dear Guido:

Greetings from Eugene, Oregon. We returned from Belgium during the last week in July and I went back to my Professorship at the University on September 15.

Our family is back to being deeply involved in local activities. Pat is managing an experimental early childhood center; Julie is a junior in high school playing soccer and basketball; and Allen is in the eighth grade, acting as social director of the peer group since he always is on the telephone.

I am writing to share with you a recent chapter that I prepared for a forthcoming volume of cases on school consultation. It follows along upon the material which I presented during my day-long workshop at ARIPS. I hope that you find it interesting and useful.

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By the way, please share with me any developments in relation to school-based OD in Italy. I'd very much like to hear about them.

I haven't heard as yet from any publisher in Italy that would want to translate and disseminate The Second Handbook of OD in Schools or Group Processes in the Classroom. Can you bring me up to date on information you might have about their translation? Send me names and addresses of appropriate publishers if you believe I should correspond with them.

I hope that things are going well for you. Say hello to our friends at ARIPS.

Sincerely,

Richard A. Schmuck  
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December, 7th 1981

Prof. Richard A. Schmuck  
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Dear Richard,

I was happy for receiving news from you. Your lecture at Arips was so interesting and useful that IRRSAE (a government department in our region) gave us a training program for school managers.

Now we are very busy in this program that goes on for 26 days in six months: it is the most important training program for managers in Italy!

Arnold (black cat) is now like a panther and it has a young female friend named Lola.

I'll send you any material about OD in schools, but in Italian language. In the next month our 40 managers should try in their schools a survey: so we will have 40 check up on 40 organizations!

For translation of your books we had many problems because two publishers (the most important in Italy) we have spoken about, said that your books are too much long for our market. But I am "hard", so I'll try with others. Maybe I can publish some chapters, if you agree.

Many kisses to Julie and Allen; say to Pat her flowers are yet alive.

Merry Xmas and happy new year from me and my friends.

Guido