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Mr Paolo Freire,
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Sao Paulo,
Brazil.

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Dear Mr Freire,

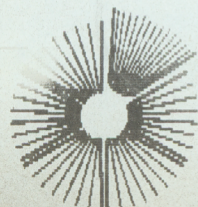
WUS (UK) Conference 1991

May I first of all congratulate you on your election as Vice-President of WUS Brazil. Your commitment to the ideals and activities of WUS will I am sure be to the great benefit of the entire international WUS community.

I am writing to invite you to be the keynote speaker at the 1991 WUS (UK) Annual Conference. The Conference is provisionally entitled "Education in Crisis", but the content is at this stage flexible. We are interested in highlighting not only the crisis but also the positive education initiatives now developing in the countries of the South. The Conference will focus regionally on Latin America and Southern Africa, and will consider education in relation to diverse thematic areas, including the debt crisis, women, refugees and the relationship of the formal and non-formal sectors.

The Conference will also be a forum for debate on the recent World Conference on Education for All. We believe that WUS needs to define a position on the conclusions of the Conference. I believe that with your participation the Conference could take a major step in that direction.

It would be a great pleasure and an honour to welcome you to speak at our Conference. The Conference will be in London on Friday evening and Saturday, 22-23 February 1991, with a possible alternative of 1-2 March 1991.



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If in principle you would be interested in attending our Conference I would be delighted to discuss further details with you.

I am sending separately from this fax a copy of the Report from our last Conference, entitled Literacy and Liberation, which attracted over 500 delegates.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,



Sarah Lock
Acting General Secretary