

**To:** Ben Goertz [REDACTED]  
**From:** Jeffrey Epstein  
**Sent:** Wed 1/20/2010 12:40:12 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Cassio's reaction

thanks,, I had two other people read the letters without any backround info.. they came away with a different view that cassio"s hardly objective view. If i were you, i would take more seriously , why there is so little support for the idea. it disturbs me,, i believe in you. i can't figure out why i am in the minority

On Wed, Jan 20, 2010 at 7:23 AM, Ben Goertzel [REDACTED] wrote:

FYI, here is Cassio's typically concise and perceptive reaction to my summary of your reaction...

ben

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**From:** Cassio Pennachin [REDACTED]  
**Date:** Wed, Jan 20, 2010 at 8:12 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Jeffrey's Reaction  
**To:** Ben Goertzel [REDACTED]

Based on my one afternoon exposure to Jeffrey, I assume this would be futile anyway, but how strongly did you try to convince him that these letters all actually meant to say, in semi-academese, "this should get funded, I just will not guarantee its success"?

Cassio

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