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Esteemed Colleagues:

On behalf of New York University, it is my pleasure to welcome you to NYU Washington, DC for this important conference on Education in Europe. We are delighted to welcome you to this event.

As you know, NYU has never thought of itself as a gated community. It always has encouraged its students, staff and faculty to think of themselves as participants in and shapers of a complex and changing environment. Indeed, part of NYU’s teaching mission consists in preparing students for lives in a diverse world, and faculty at NYU believe that such preparation is most effective when the outside world is not held at bay. This same principle holds true as we create a Global Network University that is both “in and of the city” and “in and of the world.”

It is in this tradition that we host you for this conference at our newest Global Academic Center in Washington, DC. In partnership with the Brademas Center for the Study of Congress, this event is key to understanding the differences in educational systems around the world. I hope this conference will prove fruitful to the community of educators both in the United States and Europe. I look forward to a review of outcomes and best practices we can use to improve the faculty of our profession.

I encourage you to stay connected with New York University and hope to welcome you back to one of our global academic centers again, soon.

Sincerely,

John Sexton
President, New York University