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Subject: Thank You for the Forum

Good morning,

I hope this email finds you all well this morning. I attended the Dream support forum yesterday afternoon, and I must say I was moved to tears and experienced a re-affirmation in my chosen career path. Not only was I personally affected by the courage and stories of the students, but by the impressive collaboration by administrators, faculty and most importantly, students.

I have worked at several educational institutions in my career, K-12, CCC, CSU, and UC and until yesterday, I had not witnessed a president of a college respond to direct questions from students, be present, up to date and clearly invested in the well being of undocumented students on campus. I was deeply moved to see and feel the support and love in the room for Dreamer students.

I drove home feeling proud and a renewed energy and commitment to my profession.

Thank you for hiring me.

I wish you and your loved ones a blessed holiday season.

Sincerely,
Natalie