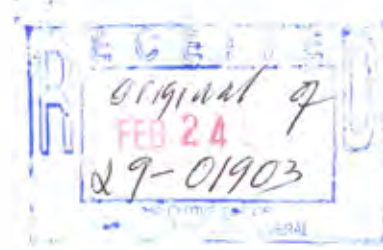


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A. N. Singh  
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February 13, 2009.

Mr. BAN Ki-moon,  
Secretary General,  
United Nations

Dear Mr. BAN Ki-moon,

Thank you for your gracious invitation to me to join the Council of the University for Peace. I regret the delay in responding to your letter.

I consider myself deeply honoured by your request since the University has been created by an United Nations Resolution and has the support of the world body.

I understand that the University networks with its partner institutions in major regions of the world while carrying out its global mission in the field of education. I am on the Boards of several of our Tata Trusts, one of which can consider supporting the cost of education of Indian students intending to pursue higher studies at the University of Peace.

However, I regret my inability to accept your offer to be a member of the Council of the University, in order to avoid a potential conflict of interests, which I am sure you will appreciate.

With regards,

Yours sincerley,

*A.N. Singh*

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