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15 July 2015

Dear Dr. Nizami,

Many thanks for sending me the printed version of my lecture at the Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies in June of last year. It was an honour and a pleasure for me to deliver the speech on "The New Global Landscape" for such an eminent audience.

I thank you again for the invitation to Oxford. I am impressed by the quality of your lecture series and will convey to Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon your interest in having him speak at the Centre at a future date.

With warm regards,

Jan Eliasson

P.S. There is a typographic error in your printed version of my speech. The very last word should be "interdependent", not "independent".

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Your Excellency,

It is my pleasure to enclose the printed version of the lecture you delivered at the Oxford Centre for Islamic Studies in June of last year. It was very good to host you in Oxford and to show you the new building into which we move later this year.

Not long after your visit we also had the pleasure of hosting The Elders, led by former Secretary General Kofi Annan, with Presidents Jimmy Carter, Mary Robinson and Martti Ahtisaari, among others.

I do hope that perhaps in the coming year we might also have the honour to host Secretary-General Ban Ki-moon and would greatly appreciate any advice you might have about reinforcing our invitation to him.

With thanks and good wishes.

Yours sincerely
Farhan Nizami

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