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Dear Tom

We are excited to hear of the partnership the Human Resiliency Institute at Fordham University has created with AAAE to expand the Resiliency Edge program into a national model to support the productivity of airport employees.

The Graduate School of Education, where the Human Resiliency Institute resides, is pleased to provide research and evaluation services to support the success of this effort, which we will offer through GSE's Human Resources Masters program.

We are also pleased to be in a position to offer GSE'S Human Resources Masters program online beginning this fall. We will integrate findings from the research professors and students produce for the Resiliency Edge project into the curriculum of the HR Masters. That may be noteworthy to airports around the country who may be interested in helping their human resources staff expand their professional qualifications. We can make information about the HR Masters program available as needed.

In terms of the partnership itself, we believe this effort designed to help aviation employees manage the many pressures acting on them represents a critical new way to utilize education in the workplace. We are confident that providing Resiliency Edge training – with research and evaluation to support it – will help aviation play a leadership role to promote workforce resiliency and increase the productivity of airport and airline employees.

Thank you for the opportunity to participate in a AAAE/Fordham partnership to conduct this important and rewarding work.

Sincerely,

James J. Hennessy

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