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Ms Dita Charanzová Vice-President of the European Parliament

Dear Ms Charanzová,

On behalf of European Horizons, the leading youth policy incubator for transatlantic affairs, I would like to invite you in your role as Vice President of the European Parliament for North America and Cybersecurity to participate in the seventh European Student Conference, which brings 100+ exceptional students from around the world together with decision-makers and thought-leaders from politics, business, and academia. The 2023 edition of ESC will take place between 14 and 16 April at Yale University in New Haven, Connecticut.

This year, ESC will focus on how transatlantic cooperation can address critical challenges beyond security, particularly in the areas of energy crisis and "democratic" technologies. We aim to create a candid intergenerational dialogue around these topics and a weekend of social and educational opportunities available nowhere else. During previous editions of the ESC, we had the honour of hosting distinguished guests such as prof. Danuta Hübner, former EU Commissioner and Mr Klaus Welle, former Secretary-General of the European Parliament

We would like you to become a panelist in the discussion entitled "Democratic Technology", which will be devoted to protecting liberal democracy amid the ongoing technological revolution. We plan to invite to the discussion other high-profile experts and experienced policymakers focusing on digital affairs. The discussion will be moderated by Mr Joseph Dunne, the Director of the European Parliament Liaison Office in Washington DC. So far, Prof. José Barroso, former President of the European Commission has confirmed his attendance at the event.

Due to your exceptional experience in the realm of digital policy, we are highly motivated to hear your remarks. Considering your portfolio as the Vice-President of the European Parliament and the fact that you share the values of transatlantic cooperation that are at the core of our organization, we believe you are a perfect fit for this year's ESC.

We would be enchanted to see you at Yale University in April. For our part, we declare support in arranging itineraries and accommodation and commit to partially cover expenses related to that. I have attached the concept note featuring the most important details to give you more information about the conference.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to reach out to me.

Highest regards, Lukasz Kazmierczak