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Dear friends,

In these challenging economic times, we are especially pleased to be able to continue our Lindner Scholarship program, which brings a Polish teenager to the United States for a “full immersion” year abroad. Among other things, 100% of the student’s tuition is paid at a leading college prep school; the visiting Scholar lives with an American family; receives a stipend; and, especially, has an experience they will never forget.

We send this letter to you because a critical part of the applicant’s submission is his or her set of References. Any reference from you would get “special attention.”

The 2009-2010 school year will bring our 4th Scholar to the US. He or she will arrive in late August, 2009, and the school year ends mid-June, 2010. Thus far, Scholars have come from Gliwice, Gdynia, and village south of Krakow.

Our initial 3 Scholars have forged life-long friendships. The Lindner Scholarship has been a springboard for hundreds of thousands of dollars in *additional* scholarships; for instance, our first Scholar has just completed her first year at Washington & Lee University, where she won a prestigious Johnson Scholarship. Scholars have traveled to dozens of cities and States, and run into the likes of the movie star Matt Damon and tennis star Rafael Nadal.

What are we looking for? Excellent question! Our criteria are

- Very strong academically (solid courses, solid grades)
- Very strong English (written and spoken)
- Very mature and independent
- Very strong non-academic credentials—sports, art, music, volunteer activities
- Very polite and easygoing
- In a nutshell: a superb young Polish Ambassador

If you perhaps know of anyone, we invite you to contact either of us, or Aneta Skóra, in our Warsaw office; at aneta.skora@pcparking.pl. Aneta is in charge of this program.

Best wishes for a wonderful summer.



/s/ Eric Lindner



Robert Fałęcki