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Dr. Hector Garcia
1315 Bright Street
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Dear Dr. Garcia:

I was so very happy to learn of the endowed chair in Chicano studies, in your honor, at Yale University. This makes it possible for your long years of dedication to the advancement of Hispanics in education and equal rights to have a central focus that will have great impact upon the United States.

Your unselfish dedication to others and your sincere concern for the young people makes you the perfect role model to emulate. The Chicano Research Center at Yale University can now move to increase their teaching of the history and accomplishments of Hispanics in the United States because of your perseverance and love for others.

The Board of Managers joins me in sending you best wishes and sincere thanks for the leadership you have given to improve the lives of so many people of our nation.

Sincerely,


Wheeler B. Lipes
President

cc: Chairman & Members, Board of Managers