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Dear Fellows,

Congratulations on being selected to participate in the 2008 Benjamin Franklin Transatlantic Fellows Initiative: Summer Institute for Youth. We are looking forward to meeting you and spending time with you.

Now that you are here, we have many interesting and exciting things planned for you. Some of those plans are included in this folder; others will be revealed as they occur. This will be a surprisingly fast 3 ½ weeks. You are arriving today and you will be jet lagged, disoriented, with no friends, and wondering why you travel across the world to come to Wake Forest. When you leave you will be in tears and sad to be parting from your friends. Enjoy the time, get to know each other, make friends from a different culture/country/state and to quote Ben “He that would live in peace and at ease, must not speak all he knows nor judge all he sees.”

We look forward to forward to getting to know each of you.

Allan Loudon, *Director*

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