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Rep. Kenny Marchant 9901 East Valley Ranch Pkwy., Suite 3035 Irving, TX 75063 Staffer: Ms. Chelsea Payne

Dear Congressman Marchant:

The Savannah College of Art and Design is pleased to recognize the Congressional Art Competition as one of its select recognized national programs honoring the talents and abilities of students at the high school level. Your program is important in providing support and encouragement for talented young students.

As a private, nonprofit, accredited university offering bachelor's and master's degrees in more than 40 majors, with exceptional facilities and technology, professors who are luminaries in their fields, and locations around the world, SCAD is uniquely qualified to prepare talented students for professional, creative careers.

Students selected as district 1st place winners in the 2012 Congressional Art Competition, who apply, are accepted and enroll at SCAD, having met or exceeded admission requirements, and provide documentation of this achievement may be eligible to receive an artistic scholarship of at least \$3,000. Accepted students may be eligible for a higher artistic scholarship based on a portfolio, audition, riding, or writing submission. Additionally, accepted students may be eligible for an academic scholarship based on SAT scores evaluated on a scale of 1600 (ACT scores on a scale of 36) with consideration given to math and critical reading sections and grade point averages evaluated on a 4.0 scale. Scholarships are limited and are awarded to the earliest qualifiers.

Students may also be eligible for scholarships from alternative sources and funding from a variety of lending institutions. United States citizens and resident aliens may be eligible for applicable federal and state aid.

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Kindest regards,

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