April 4, 2011

Dr. Brian D. Ray
Director/Associate Dean
Warrington College of Business Administration
University of Florida
PO Box 117160
Gainesville, FL 32611-7160

Dear Dr. Ray:

The Miami Foundation is pleased to announce that the Jacki Tuckfield Memorial Graduate Business Scholarship Fund (JTMGBSF) is offering $50,000 in graduate business tuition scholarships for the 2011-2012 academic year; thus, forty $1,250 awards are available. We would appreciate your assistance in finding scholarship applicants. The last date for receiving applications is Tuesday, June 14th, 2011.

Enclosed are:
1. A copy of the Fund’s 3-page Scholarship Requirements/Application Form, The Scholarship Requirements and the Application Form may also be downloaded from: www.jackituckfield.org or www.miamifoundation.org
2. The $50,000 JTMGBSF Promotional Flyer

These documents, produced by Drs. Jack and Gloria Tuckfield, speak to the Fund’s mission and provide insights into the inspiration for the scholarships, namely the extraordinary Jacki Tuckfield. Established in 1997, JTMGBSF has awarded 311 graduate business tuition scholarships (totaling $317,000) to South Florida residents attending these 11 Florida universities: Barry University, Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University, Florida Atlantic University, Florida International University, Florida Memorial University, Florida State University, Nova Southeastern University, Saint Thomas University, The University of Central Florida, The University of Florida and The University of Miami.

These scholarships are open to African-American (students, faculty, and staff) U.S. citizens who are residents of South Florida that are enrolled in any graduate business degree program at Florida universities.

- Also, the applicant must have earned 12 or more credit hours with a minimum 3.1 CGPA in his/her graduate business degree program.
• A minimum of three graduate business credits, for a prescribed course in the applicant's degree program, must be earned in the 2011-2012 academic year.

• Applicants must plan to pursue their professional careers in South Florida. JTMGBSF is a long-term strategy to improve the diversity of career professionals employed in the executive, administrative and managerial levels of the South Florida workforce.

Established in 1987, The Miami Foundation is Miami-Dade County's permanent philanthropic endowment. The nonprofit, tax-exempt Foundation manages funds established by individuals, families, corporations, and other organizations to support the charitable needs of the community.

Please call Janell Benzaquen of The Miami Foundation at (305) 371-2711, or Drs. Jack and Gloria Tuckfield at (305) 693-4144 for further information.

Sincerely,

\[Signature\]

Javier Alberto Soto
President and CEO

Enclosure

cc: Drs. Jack and Gloria Tuckfield
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FOR 2011-2012 ACADEMIC YEAR

$50,000 Offered in $1,250 Tuition Awards

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Tuesday, June 14, 2011

THE APPLICANT MUST:

1. Be an African-American United States citizen resident of South Florida, enrolled (enrolled part or full time) in a graduate business degree program (master’s or doctoral) at a Florida university during the Fall, Winter, Spring or Summer term of the 2011-2012 academic year. The applicant must plan to pursue a professional career in South Florida. South Florida includes Broward, Miami-Dade, Collier, Charlotte, Desoto, Glades, Hardee, Hendry, Highlands, Indian River, Lee, Okeechobee, Palm Beach, Manatee, Martin, Monroe, St. Lucie and Sarasota counties. Also, faculty and staff members of educational institutions are eligible to apply. The faculty and staff of educational institutions may apply.

2. Submit a one-page essay entitled:

"Why I Should Be Awarded A Jacki Tuckfield Memorial Graduate Business Scholarship"

Jacki Tuckfield, MBA ('96, CGPA 3.57, Nova Southeastern University) was born, reared and educated in her beloved South Florida. She aspired to be the Chief Executive Officer of a company dedicated to a policy of diversity in hiring, promoting and retaining its employees. Reared by parents of different racial heritage, Jacki perceived diversity as an asset for strengthening the fabric of human relationships. She aspired for a better life through academic, spiritual and professional achievements. Her leadership potential was undeniable. This one-page essay is an extremely important part of the application process; therefore, read Jacki’s "Legacy" and "Essence" pages of the 55-page www.jackituckfield.org to ensure that your essay is relevant. Title your essay and affix your name to it.

3. Provide an official transcript which shows that you have earned a minimum of 12 semester credit hours in your graduate business degree program, with a cumulative grade point average of 3.1 or greater. This is the only transcript required.

4. Provide a letter of recommendation from the dean, assistant dean or a faculty member.

5. Provide a current resume.

6. Provide a color passport photo (which presents your professional image, no T-shirt) for inclusion on www.jackituckfield.org and other publicity documents.

7. Mail the completed signed application and all required documents in one package to:

JACKI TUCKFIELD MEMORIAL GRADUATE BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP FUND
Attention: Scholarship Committee
1160 NW 87 Street
Miami, Florida 33150-2544

NOTE:
Beginning February 14, 2011 The Jacki Tuckfield Memorial Graduate Business Scholarship Fund Requirements and Application Form will be available online at www.mimifoundation.org and www.jackituckfield.org. Also, you may request these specific documents by telephoning The Miami Foundation at 305-371-2711, or, emailing Janell Benzaquen, jbenzaquen@mimifoundation.org.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

The application form, essay, transcripts, color passport photo, letter of recommendation and resume must be submitted together, postmarked by Monday, June 20, 2011. Winners will be notified by Friday, July 22, 2011. The Certificate of Congratulations and the $1,250 Jacki Tuckfield Memorial Graduate Business Fund scholarship check, made co payable to the recipient and the educational institution in which he/she is enrolled, will be issued by The Miami Foundation.
SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FOR 2011-2012 ACADEMIC YEAR

$50,000 Offered in $1,250 Tuition Awards

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Tuesday, June 14, 2011

PERSONAL

Name
Last
First
Middle
Age
Sex

Current Address
City
State
Zip

Telephone (_______)

City
State
Zip
U.S. Citizen? Yes __ No __
(Proof must be available)

Permanent Address
City
State
Zip

Telephone (_______)

Cell phone (_______)

As a United States citizen I am registered to vote in __________ County, Florida

Name of Employer (if employed)

City
State
Zip

Job Title __________________________ Work Telephone (_______)

EDUCATION

Undergraduate College/University __________________________ Major __________________________
Degree Earned __________________________ Cumulative GPA __________ Total Credits Earned
City __________________________ State __________________________

Graduate University __________________________ Major __________________________
Degree Earned __________________________ Cumulative GPA __________ Total Credits Earned
City __________________________ State __________________________

Graduate University
Now Enrolled __________________________ Major __________________________
Graduate degree now seeking __________________________ Cumulative GPA __________ Total credits earned
City __________________________ State __________________________

Only include this transcript in your application packet.
The applicant must be enrolled in a graduate program in a business related major in the Fall, Winter, Spring or Summer Term. Every major offered by your Graduate School/College of Business is acceptable.

I am not __________ I am __________ (please check one) a previous winner of a Jacki Tuckfield Memorial Graduate Business Scholarship Fund Award for the year(s) __________________________

My E-mail Address __________________________

Signature __________________________ Date __________________________

Please send application form, essay, transcript, recommendation letter, color passport photo and resume in one package to:

JACKI TUCKFIELD MEMORIAL GRADUATE BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIP FUND
Attention: Scholarship Committee
1160 NW 87 Street,
Miami, Florida 33150-2544
2010 Application Form (3 pages)
Jacki Tuckfield, a champion of diversity, was an Assistant Project Manager for the Codina Development Corporation when she passed away suddenly in 1997 at age 25. Her parents, Drs. Jack and Gloria Tuckfield, established this graduate business tuition scholarship Fund as a strategy to carry forward their daughter's vision/mission of improved diversity of career professionals in the executive, administrative and managerial levels of the South Florida workforce. This Fund (JTMGBSF) provides financial aid for the African-American South Florida resident who has earned 12 or more semester credit hours with a minimum 3.1 CGPA in his/her master's or doctoral business degree program at a Florida university. A minimum of 3 graduate business credits must be earned in the 2011-2012 academic year. The applicant must plan to pursue his/her professional career in South Florida. To date, JTMGBSF has granted 300 awards, totaling $317,000, to recipients at eleven Florida universities. For the 2011-2012 academic years, the Fund will grant a minimum of $50,000 in $1,250 awards.

For details and an application visit: www.jackituckfield.org or www.miamifoundation.org

APPLICATION DEADLINE: TUESDAY, JUNE 14, 2011

Note:
- The perpetual Jacki Tuckfield Scholarship, created by the South Florida Chapter of the National Black MBA Association, Inc. to honor Jacki's exemplary service, has awarded $18,000 in business scholarships.
- In 2009 Drs. J. and G. Tuckfield celebrated JTMGBSF milestone of having funded $300,000 in tuition scholarships by making two special tributes to their daughter and her Alma Mater. They acquired the naming right: The Jacki Tuckfield Computer Classroom 2020 in the Carl DeSantis Building of the H. Wayne Huizenga School of Business and Entrepreneurship, Nova Southeastern University. Also, the Tuckfields funded the $25,000 JTMGBSF Program, exclusively for African-American graduate business students of the Huizenga Business School.

1996 Customer Service Representative, Ford Motor Credit Co.
1995 Marketing Assistant Intern, Coral Gables Chamber of Commerce
1995 Marketing/Public Relations Intern, Becker Consulting Services, Inc.
1994 Marketing/Business Development Intern, Miami Heart Institute
1994 Marketing/Public Relations Intern, WTYJ Channel 4 (NBC) Miami

"We encourage eligible students to take advantage of these graduate business tuition scholarship opportunities. Apply Now!"

President Jack G. Tuckfield EdD/LCol USAFR
Co-President Gloria Smith Tuckfield, PhD

Drs. Jack and Gloria Tuckfield and "The Spirit of Jacki"