## Supply Chain Management Center Department of Information Systems & Operations Management Warrington College of Business University of Florida

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Dear \_\_\_\_:

Thank you considering sponsoring a student learning opportunity in the Experiential Learning Program (ELP) offered through the Supply Chain Management Center (SCMC).

As a ELP sponsor, you retain ownership rights to all products, processes, technologies, and other intellectual property developed by students. All students, faculty, and staff associated with the ELP Program will sign a standard "Assignment of Ownership and Non-disclosure Agreement." We will make reasonable efforts to protect any confidential or proprietary information you or a third party collaborator provide to the team from the time we receive your written notice that the information is confidential. Students and faculty will freely discuss all other information associated with the project as part of the normal educational activities in the ELP program. As part of the normal classroom activities, faculty and students will have the right to present information to participants in the ELP Program who are under the "Assignment of Ownership and Non-disclosure Agreement." Final presentations will be made at your site the end of each semester.

Your unrestricted educational grant of \$ 5,000 for each project will be received as a gift to the Supply Chain Management Center. The full amount made utilized for the project sponsored by you in the ELP Program. If the direct materials costs for the project exceed \$ 2,000, we will ask you to approve and pay for those additional costs.

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We thank you for your participation in this program and look forward to collaborating with you on this project.

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Asoo J. Vakharia Director, SCMC University of Florida

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