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Dear Joe:

Thanks so much for your guest appearance in EDA 8383 Ethical Decision Making in Educational Administration on Friday night, February 6, 2004.

I've had many positive comments from students about your lecture and discussion of Alasdair McIntyre's notion of the genealogical version of moral inquiry based on works of Frederick Nietzsche. In fact, one student has asked if you could serve on his doctoral committee.

You have been of immense help to me in preparing for this class by way of interacting with me about ethical concepts and providing some invaluable books and materials, especially those on Alasdair McIntyre.

Thanks for taking the time to share your knowledge and resources with us and for giving us that excellent presentation on February 6. It's a pleasure to have you as a colleague. Here's hoping our Ph.D. program in Community College Leadership will continue to interest you and attract your further participation.

Sincerely,

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