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Re: Letter of Invitation for International Reading Association's 57th Annual Convention

Dear

We are delighted that you would like to attend International Reading Association's 57th Annual Convention being held on April 29th to May 2nd, 2012 in Chicago, Illinois, USA. Your participation is welcomed.

Celebrating Teaching is the theme set for the convention. The strands of the conference focus on preparing preschool through adult learners to become capable, confident readers and writers. More than 12,000 educators representing 50 countries are expected for the meetings at the McCormick Convention Center and surrounding hotels. Teachers, reading specialists, administrators, teacher educators, librarians, psychologists, and others concerned with reading education at all levels will be participating in the sessions, workshops, symposia, and other activities during the annual meeting.

As a professional, nonprofit organization, we are unable to reimburse you for any of your travel or living expenses. Also note that the International Reading Association will not take any responsibility if you become a public charge while in the United States.

I hope that you will be among those helping us engage learners in literacy. I look forward to seeing you in Chicago.

Sincerely,

Victoria J. Risko
President
International Reading Association