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Dear Muslim Leader of Tomorrow:

Assalaamu Alaykum.

Congratulations! You have been selected from a pool of nearly one thousand nominations from over seventy-five countries to attend the **2009 Muslim Leaders of Tomorrow (MLT) global conference in Doha, Qatar from January 16-19.** At the Doha Conference, 300 dynamic Muslim leaders from across the spectrums of nationality, gender, ideology, and profession will convene for three extraordinary days. The 2009 MLT conference will provide you with access to the following:

- Networking with dynamic Muslim leaders from both the Muslim World and West;
- Opportunity to showcase your own work through the "Marketplace of Ideas";
- Specialized skill set development, such as media and leadership training;
- Plenary and track discussions to discuss the most pressing issues facing the global *ummah*;
- Participation in a special BBC *Doha Debates*, involving a panel of MLTs;
- Opportunity to be a signatory to an open letter to the world leaders of today;
- Membership in country and/or regional MLT chapters

All airfare, lodging, and meals will be covered by ASMA. Due to logistical considerations, we ask that you RSVP immediately. Once your participation is confirmed, you will be required to submit a number of items for the conference, including passport information, travel arrangements, an electronic photo and a short biography. These items must be received by the dates outlined in the attached document.

The 2009 MLT Doha Conference is organized by the American Society for Muslim Advancement (ASMA), in collaboration with the Cordoba Initiative and UN Alliance of Civilizations (AoC). It is being sponsored by the Doha International Center for Interfaith Dialogue (DICID). Continuing support for the MLT program is provided by: Carnegie Corporation, Kingdom Foundation, Rockefeller Brothers Fund, and William and Mary Greve Foundation. Please look for e-mail updates regarding the MLT website, where all MLT conference and program information will be housed.

We look forward to seeing you this January in Qatar for a historic gathering!

Sincerely,

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Launched in 2004 in New York City, the MLT program is a global network of young, dynamic Muslims committed to creating positive social change within their communities. Through its various program areas, the MLT creates a platform that can maximize individual MLTs' collective impact as change agents. It is the largest program of its kind in convening the next generation of civic-minded Muslims from across the globe.