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Dear Niara:

Words cannot express how appreciative we are for your having taken the time from your busy schedule to serve as a commentator on our panel. Each of us left New Orleans with a deeper sense of the importance of what we are trying to do, as the result of your cogent remarks. If it would not be too much of an inconvenience I would appreciate your sending me a copy of them as time permits. In the meantime, I have renewed energy in seeing the project through. Needless to say, I will keep you apprised of my progress.

Sincerely,

Beverlee Bruce