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Professor Jack R. Hamm
Vice President for Academic Affairs
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Dear Dr. Hamm:

I am extremely grateful for the Professional Development Grant of 400 dollars in 2006 that helped enable me attend the Modern Language Association meeting in Philadelphia on December 29 to present my paper "Poe's 'Israfel': A Song of Thomas Campion." That paper was well received, and an abstract of that paper has been published in *The Edgar Allan Poe Review*, Fall, 2006.

Over the summer and this fall, I have done further research on this subject, and those results are scheduled to appear in *The Edgar Allan Poe Review*, possibly as early as this fall. I am appreciative of the support of my research by Arkansas Tech University.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ruth M. Harrison".

Ruth M. Harrison
Associate Professor of English