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Dear Dr. Tsang,

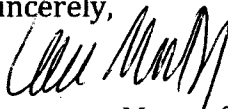
I was so pleased to first read about and then see SMC's interest in developing one of the first California Community College Bachelor degrees. As a member of the SMC Associates, and an officer of the Santa Monica Rotary, I follow what is happening on campus and know first-hand that SMC is well positioned and highly qualified to offer these degrees.

SMC has a great faculty, amazing student body as well as cutting-edge curriculum in place and clearly can be a leader in getting this Program off the ground.

With your top quality design program, experienced faculty, and your beautiful new facilities currently being built, SMC will provide students with a top quality yet highly affordable Bachelor's degree.

I support your proposal with enthusiasm and look forward to following the SMC application for approval to grant Bachelor degrees.

Sincerely,



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