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Adelphi University
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Dear Faculty and Students of Adelphi University,

I am delighted to extend my heartfelt greetings to all gathered at Adelphi University's Nineteenth Annual President's Gala.

Adelphi University is the oldest higher education institution on Long Island, chartered in 1896. Today, Adelphi University serves thousands of wonderful students at its Garden City campus and various sites. Adelphi University students have continued to achieve great things in service and scholarship and contribute immeasurably to their communities. The funds from the Annual President's Gala help to maintain Adelphi student scholarships, which are truly an irreplaceable component of ensuring a quality education for all students.

I am honored to congratulate this year's award recipients: Michael '89 and Christine Tiedemann for the *President's Award for Distinguished Service* and Paula Malone, Ph.D. for the *President's Award for Philanthropic Leadership*. I commend Adelphi University for highlighting great excellence in service and continuing to be a model of academic excellence on Long Island and beyond.

Please accept my best wishes for a wonderful gala and much continued success!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Grace Meng".

Grace Meng
Member of Congress