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# CITY OF TAMPA



Bob Buckhorn  
Mayor

December 8, 2013

Dr. George L. Hanbury II, Ph.D.  
President and CEO  
Nova Southeastern University  
3301 College Avenue  
Fort Lauderdale, Florida 33314-7796

Dear Dr. Hanbury,

It gives me great pleasure to congratulate you, the faculty, students and alumni on the occasion of **Nova Southeastern University's 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary** to be celebrated throughout 2014, beginning at the annual *President's Celebration of Excellence Gala* on February 1, 2014. I know you are proud of all that has been accomplished since the first campus was established on December 4, 1964 in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

Accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, Nova Southeastern University (NSU) has grown over the past five decades to include nine regional campuses located in Florida, Puerto Rico, and the Bahamas, and is the ninth largest private not-for-profit university in nation with an enrollment of approximately 27,000 students. The dedication of all involved since its early years, and the commitment to the NSU's mission and core values that include offering a diverse array of innovative academic programs and adhering to excellence has greatly contributed to its growth and recognition. Tampa is fortunate to have a campus located in our community.

Again, congratulations on this important milestone celebration and my best wishes for many more years of success.

Sincerely,

Bob Buckhorn