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Dear Dr. hab. Kamil Zajączkowski,

I am honoured to wish the Centre for Europe of the University of Warsaw the sincerest congratulations on its 30th anniversary, on the part of the Faculty of European Studies at Babeş-Bolyai University of Cluj-Napoca, the oldest and largest university in Romania.

The long-standing relationship between our two institutions is most treasured by our academic community, comprising 1500 students, 50 teaching staff and numerous institutional partners. For the last two years, since you and your team took over the management of the Centre, we have witnessed an exceptional enhancement of our collaboration, which has materialised itself in the form of common research accomplishments, numerous staff mobilities and a dynamic student exchange programme. In fact, within our 120-strong network of Erasmus partners, the Centre for Europe has been the first destination of choice among our student community for several years in a row.

Moreover, we treasure our welcome collaboration for the growth of our scientific journals, Modelling the New Europe and Studia Europejskie, which has contributed to an exceptional degree to their respective indexations and internationalisation.

In furtherance of all our common activities, I would like to underline some of the future endeavours the Faculty of European Studies and the Centre for Europe have committed themselves to, including: our involvement in the Bitola conference on the EU integration of the Western Balkans, a joint seminar in Cluj, during the month of October, teaching a postgraduate course together on the war in Ukraine, a Horizon Europe application on a research topic of common interest, and a possible dual degree memorandum for our postgraduate programmes.

While extending once again my appreciation of your achievements pertaining to the activities of the Centre for Europe and in anticipation of our own 30-year anniversary of the Faculty of European Studies, I look forward to the materialisation of our numerous upcoming projects.

With my kindest regards,

Assoc. Prof. Dr. Adrian-Gabriel Corpădean

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