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Dear Stephen,

Thank you for submitting a Request for Proposal for consideration for the Rural Schools Summer Conference on July 13-15, 2014. The Conference Planning Committee met recently to review the submissions and your proposal "Development of a Regional Network of Teacher Leaders to Facilitate Common Core Implementation in the North Country" was not selected for this year's Conference.

The Planning Committee reviewed over thirty proposals making the selection process very difficult. Your proposal was one of many worthy presentations the committee was fortunate to review.

We appreciate your effort in preparing your submission and encourage you to consider applying in future years.

Sincerely,

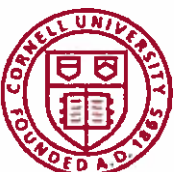
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Thomas E. Marzeski  
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bruce Fraser".

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