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Dear Mr. Karkhanis:

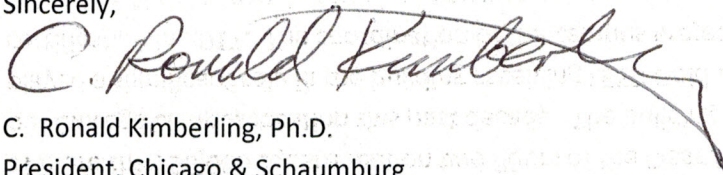
I am pleased to write this letter of recommendation for you and the AKA team.

It has been great to work with you and your colleagues over the past eleven years on several major projects involving Argosy University in Illinois. In 2007-2008, we worked on a major design and build-out of more than 50,000 square feet on two floors of the Class A commercial office building that has been our Chicago campus location this past decade. The building management informed us that this project played a significant role in the building receiving LEED Gold certification in 2010 and LEED Platinum certification in 2017. The coordination of the campus project with a parallel project you did for Argosy in the 205 N. Michigan Avenue building was quite complex, and it included several groundbreaking cross-building agreements that were instrumental in securing our City of Chicago approvals.

In 2010, your firm helped with modifications to our library space, and in 2015 we worked again on a major project to design and build out relocated space for our Schaumburg campus. Most recently, Argosy has again engaged you to help us with planning alternatives to our current location. Clearly this is a sign of satisfaction with your services by our new parent corporation and new commercial real estate company.

I wish you well in future endeavors!

Sincerely,



C. Ronald Kimberling, Ph.D.
President, Chicago & Schaumburg