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Dear Dr. Andrey Kortunov,

On behalf of Wang Xiqin, Chairman of the World Peace Forum and President of Tsinghua University, I would like to thank you for sparing your precious time for the 11th World Peace Forum, which successfully concluded on July 3, 2023 at Tsinghua University in Beijing, China.

Being the first-ever fully in-person convention since the COVID-19 pandemic, the 11th WPF has attracted much media attention both domestically and internationally. A lot of established media outlets, e.g., *Xinhua News Agency*, *The Economist*, *TASS*, and *AP*, have widely covered this event.

Your thought-provoking speech and insightful perspectives on major security issues contributed enormously to the high quality of the forum this year. It would not have been a success without your dedication.

We look forward to your continuous support for this forum. All the best to you and your family.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Yan Xuetong". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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