



A RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING

RYAN F. QUARLES

for his service to the Council on Postsecondary Education and the people of Kentucky

WHEREAS, Ryan F. Quarles has ably represented the students of Kentucky as a member of the Council on Postsecondary Education since August 2005; and

WHEREAS, Ryan invested his time, intellect, and valuable perspective in the Council's work by serving on the Budget and Finance Policy Group, the Committee on Equal Opportunities, and the Research, Economic Development, and Commercialization Policy Group; and

WHEREAS, Ryan has repeatedly been recognized for his academic and professional accomplishments, including being named as a Truman Scholar in 2005, a Toyota Community Scholar in 2002, recipient of a Zuckerman Fellowship from Harvard in 2008, and an intern for U.S. Senator Mitch McConnell; and

WHEREAS, Ryan effectively advocated for college affordability and access for Kentucky students throughout his three terms on the Council, giving a knowledgeable and thoughtful voice to the students of Kentucky in policy discussions related to tuition and funding; and

WHEREAS, Ryan has excelled throughout his college career at the University of Kentucky, giving thousands of hours of his time and effort to government and public service and earning a bachelor's degree in agriculture economics, public service and leadership, and political science, a master's degree in agricultural economics, and a master's degree in diplomacy; and

WHEREAS, we wish Ryan the best as he pursues a master's in higher education at Harvard's Education School and returns to Kentucky to complete his law degree;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the members of the Council on Postsecondary Education do hereby adopt this resolution September 28, 2008, expressing their individual and collective gratitude to Ryan F. Quarles for his devotion and service to the Council on Postsecondary Education and for his commitment to the people of Kentucky.

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John S. Turner, Chair

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard A. Crofts". The signature is cursive and somewhat stylized.

Richard Crofts, Interim President