17 May 2022

**Mr ZANGRE DRAMANE,**

**National Director of the International Youth Merit of Côte d'Ivoire**

**Ref: Global Award Forum, Cluj Napoca**

Dear **Mr ZANGRE DRAMANE,**

On behalf of The Duke of Edinburgh’s International Award Foundation, I would like to invite you to attend the Global Award Forum 2022.

The Global AwardForumwill be held in Cluj-Napoca, Romania from **Monday 10th October - Saturday 15th October 2022**. Forum 2022 will bring together leaders from The Duke of Edinburgh’s International Award Association from around the world in Cluj-Napoca at the Radisson Blu Hotel, to plan the future growth of the Award.

The theme “*Supporting the infinite potential of young people*” will discuss issues affecting young people, how the Award can help and how to reach all young people between the ages of 14- 24 years, giving them access to the Award to positively impact themselves and their communities. The forum will include conferences and workshops about the plans and challenges facing the growth of the Award, with supporters and world leaders in the field of education and youth from over 100 countries.

Global Award Forum

Dates: 11 - 14 October 2022

Venue: Radisson Blu Hotel, Str. Stadionului, no. 1, Cluj-Napoca, 400375, Romania

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Please do use this invitation letter to support your visa application. We hope that you will be able to attend the forum and I look forward to seeing you in October.

Yours sincerely,

Carmen Dragomir

National Director