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Ms. Meghan Fay Zahniser  
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Dear Ms. Zahniser:

On behalf of the University at Albany, I affirm the accuracy of the data submitted by the Universidad San Francisco de Quito for their 2018 STARS report. I commend the work completed by their campus community under the coordination of Melanie Valencia who manages their Oficina de Innovacion y Susentabilidad. It is especially noteworthy to have a colleague from South America as an active AASHE member and I feel lucky to have made the connection with their campus. I look forward to further engaging with USFQ on sustainability initiatives in the future.

Sincerely,

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