

Dear Mr. Oleskey and Mr. Van Meter,

I have just received notification that I am to receive a grant from the EQV Internship Fund for my work this summer in France. I just wanted to reach out to you both and thank you for your generous contribution.

This summer, I am working on an archaeological excavation in a small village in northern France that seeks to find the heart tomb of King Phillip VI. The excavation opened last Wednesday and we are already knee deep in our trenches. As an undergraduate student, it is such a pleasure to work on a small six-person crew made up of graduate and doctoral students from the United States, France, and Italy. The experience so far has already enriched my appreciation for and understanding of archaeological methods and theory and I am certain this new knowledge will serve me well in the classroom next year.

If you are interested in more information about the project, I would be happy to keep you updated and send along some reading materials and pictures.

Thank you again for your support.

Best,
Katherine Parks