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**Moore College needs additional space to play our part in raising up a new generation of Christian leaders. After much prayerful consideration and planning, we've decided to redevelop the building often referred to as 'the library'. I write to you today to ask you to consider a unique one off gift to enable this urgently needed work to proceed.**

Dear [variable data],

Over the past ten years, God has blessed Moore College with extraordinary growth. The number of students enrolled in the College's courses has increased dramatically and the impact of our graduates around the world has been immense. Your support of the College has been a remarkable part of this blessing. Thank you for partnering with us in this important work.

We are praying that this extraordinary growth in student numbers will continue. There is no shortage of need in Sydney, Australia and the world for able and godly teachers of God's word. However, this growth presents the College with unique challenges. It is becoming more and more difficult for our current facilities to accommodate the needs of a large student body. Amazingly, the last significant investment in our facilities was almost 20 years ago.

At the moment we are facing a critical lack of space when it comes to classrooms, study areas, the library and community spaces. Students currently have to assist with setting up and breaking down classrooms, squeeze into small spaces for lectures, and even go off campus for Bible study. Add to these classrooms where students struggle to hear and see their teachers in spaces with poor acoustics and obstructed views and the need for an urgent investment in a new building becomes obvious.

To help meet the costs of a new building, we have launched the Being Moore Campaign.

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Your gift of \$2 or more to the *Being Moore Campaign* is tax deductible.

At the heart of the new building will be a Learning and Teaching Centre (much more than a library). Spaces will be welcoming, innovative, communal and functional. We want the building to work well but also to be a pleasant place to live and learn together. Current dark spaces will give way to natural light, small uninviting study areas will be replaced by larger and more versatile spaces. New 'information commons' will allow students to use the latest technology to access more reference material than ever.

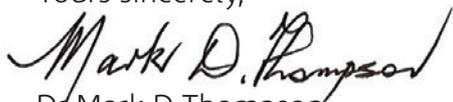
New classrooms and lecture spaces will also be part of the new building. We have planned flexible learning spaces which can be configured in a variety of ways. One important feature will be an assembly hall which will be able to accommodate the entire student body. This will be important for chapel services, public lectures and special events such as graduation.

Equally exciting is the opportunity to extend bible based theological education to thousands around the world with a new home for our Distance Education Program. Moore College has come a long way since the 1950s when the College first became involved in various forms of distance education. Now around 5,000 students a year from 50 countries access our correspondence course. A new home for our Distance Education Program will extend our capacity to make a difference across the world.

We are also currently developing a unique ministry training precinct where the College and its important Centres (the Priscilla & Aquila Centre, the Centre for Christian Living and the Centre for Ministry Development) can work closely together while providing space for other diocesan organisations to possibly partner with the College.

**However, there is much more that we will do with these new facilities to make a student's experience of study and community more available, more transformative and more effective.** The Being Moore Campaign will, with your help, enable the College to support students who are preparing to go into the world with the message of a saviour who brings life, peace and hope – transformed lives being used to transform others.

Yours sincerely,



Dr Mark D Thompson  
Principal

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**P.S. Please take a moment to read the brochure enclosed. Your unique one off gift is vital. Thank you for standing with students in this project and building our faith and Moore for generations to come.**

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## Help build faith, help build Moore

Please help the next generations of Christian leaders and give generously to the **Being Moore Campaign**.

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