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Dear Batuz:

It was a pleasure as always to see you again. As promised, I enclose herewith a position paper on the relation of science to the humanities. It is extracted from a lecture I've been giving during the past year, which in turn is extracted from my 19998 book Consilience: The Unity of Knowledge, with some new material added. You may use this in position statements of your own, supporting material at conferences, etc., noting only that it is of necessity copyrighted so that printed versions should be cleared with me first. I hope that in this and perhaps other, future ways I can assist in your crusade.

With warm regards,

Edward O. Wilson

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