THE PHILADELPHIA SOCIETY’S FALL REGIONAL MEETING
OCTOBER 23-24, 2009 – SHERATON INDIANAPOLIS HOTEL & SUITES – INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA

Pursuit of Truth: Inside and Outside the Academy

Friday
4:00 – 5:30 Registration
5:30 – 6:00 Scholarship Orientation
6:00 – 7:00 Reception
7:00 – 9:00 Dinner - The Pursuit of Wisdom and the Enrichment of Human Life
   Chairman: Roger Ream, The Fund for American Studies
   MITCH DANIELS, Governor of Indiana, Welcoming Remarks
   Edwin J. Feulner, Jr., The Heritage Foundation, Special Tribute to Ben Rogge and Pierre Goodrich
   Keynote Address, Richard Gunderman, Prof. of Radiology, Pediatrics, Medical Education,
   Philosophy, Liberal Arts, and Philanthropy at Indiana University
9:00 – 11:00 Host Bar Reception for our friends Pursuing the Truth Outside the Academy

Saturday
8:30 – 10:00 The Liberal Arts, Civic Virtue, and Character Formation
   Chairman: Bradley C.S. Watson, Saint Vincent College
   Richard Gamble, Hillsdale College
   Hans Zeiger, Senior Fellow, American Civil Rights Union
   Russell Nieli, Princeton University
10:15 – 11:45 Assaults on Truth Seeking
   Chairman: Stephen H. Balch, National Association of Scholars, Director of Special Projects
   Peter Wood, Provost of The King’s College, New York City
   Jane Shaw Stroup, The John W. Pope Center for Higher Education Policy
   Thor Halvorson, President, The Human Rights Foundation

Luncheon
12:00 – 1:30 Wealth, Unreality, and Our Virtual World
   Chairman: Joseph A. Morris, Lincoln Legal Foundation
   James R. Otteson, Yeshiva University
2:00 – 3:30 The Economics of Education
   Chairman: Joseph Bast, The Heartland Institute
   Richard Vedder, Ohio University
   Dwight Lee, Southern Methodist University
   George Leef, The John W. Pope Center for Higher Education Policy
3:30 – 4:00 Coffee Break
4:00 – 5:30 The Pursuit of Wisdom in the Age of the Internet
   Chairman: Steven Ealy, Liberty Fund
   Richard J. Bishirjian, Yorktown University
   E. Christian Kopff, University of Colorado, Boulder
   James Bowman, Resident Scholar, The Ethics and Public Policy Center

Saturday Reception and Dinner – Hosted by The Liberty Fund
6:00 – 9:00 The Pursuit of Truth and the Education of the Gifted
   Master of Ceremonies: Chris L. Talley, President & CEO, The Liberty Fund
   Chairman: T. Alan Russell, Chairman, The Liberty Fund, Welcome to The Liberty Fund
   Introucer of Charles Murray: Emilio J. Pacheco, Executive Vice President, The Liberty Fund
   On Holding Feet To the Fire: Charles Murray, American Enterprise Institute, Speaker