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Dear Ms Kanga,

First and foremost, I would like to congratulate you and thank you for organizing the Global Engineering Congress 2018 (GEC 2018) under the patronage of UNESCO.

I have been informed by my colleagues who attended the Congress that it was a great success and that it had an important impact on the engineering community. Moreover, I am pleased to hear that the SDGs have been discussed and debated during lectures and conferences of participants as well as promoted throughout the whole Congress.

The leadership you provide to WFEO makes it a strong partner to advance the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development.

I welcome our shared commitment to develop an ongoing programme of work that will address engineering for the SDGs. I am convinced that together we can achieve much more than individually.

Please accept my sincere appreciation for your commitment to making engineering for the SDGs a reality, and your support in laying a path for future endeavours.

Yours sincerely,

Flavia Schlegel