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## Media Pitch:

To: Elizabeth.harris@nytimes.com

Subject: You're invited! Join us at the 10th anniversary winter gala

Hi Elizabeth Harris,

I, along with the rest of the team at Penguin Random House would like to invite you to be one of the first to hear about our 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary winter gala. We thank you for your continued coverage on the topic of book banning, as we will be donating proceeds to the National Coalition Against Censorship and the nonprofit, First Book.

The gala will have a romance theme with guest appearances from top-rated romance authors. With your work writing about banned books, especially those involving LGBTQ+ characters, you are the perfect journalist to focus on the release of those books, of which we will have various authors present. We will also be introducing several new releases that have yet to be announced to the public.

I would love to set up a time for you to meet with our president of sales and marketing, Jaci Updike. Would you be available to meet at our New York office on Oct. 11? Let me know by email at <a href="mailto:mwoods01@syr.edu">mwoods01@syr.edu</a> or phone at 315-480-3646.

Hope to hear from you soon!

Best, Madelyn Woodson PR Team Penguin Random House