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The Anoushavan Abrahamian Educational Foundation (AAEF) is celebrating its 4th anniversary banquet at the Glendale Palladium on Saturday, November 15, 2008.

The evening is being held under the auspices of His Eminence Archbishop Hovnan Derderian, Primate of the Western Diocese of the Armenian Church, and the Honorable Mr. Armen Liloyan, Consul General of the Republic of Armenia in Los Angeles.

Dr. Richard Hrair Dekmejian, Professor of Political Science, and Director, USC Institute of Armenian Studies will be the keynote speaker, as well as several other dignitaries and community leaders who have been invited to take part in this special occasion. Including a special guest coming from Armenia.

Since the inception of the AAEF four years ago, the AAEF has funded and overseen the direct improvements of facilities and educational opportunity at 11 vocational high schools - including at least one school in each of the ten Marzes of Armenia, excluding Yerevan. The AAEF’s mission is to enrich the lives of the poor and disadvantaged youth worldwide by providing enhanced educational opportunities, particularly in the area of vocational and skills training. As stated by our founder, Mr. Anousian Abrahamian, “at each of our visits, the enthusiastic receptions by the church , government, teachers, students and parents is so emotional that this confirms we must continue with our mission”.

We invite you to visit the AAEF website <http://www.aefund.org> for a more detailed overview of the AAEF’s projects and programs.

Our 4th annual Banquet will be an opportunity to celebrate our achievements and share them with AAEF supporters, volunteers, friends and with many who are interested to learn more about our activities and programs. AAEF is committed to continue with its mission to benefit the youth by arming them with a trade profession for a solid employment opportunity., in order to build a better future and contribute to the economic development of the country.

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