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Dear Brian Miller:

Thank you so much for your terrific lecture and magic presentation entitled, *Deception, Lies, and Belief in the Land of Oz* at the Florence Griswold Museum. Your talk was a real highlight in our series *Oz for Adults* during the Museum *Wee Faerie Village in the Land of Oz* event.

I was very impressed by the way you analyzed the motivations of the Wizard in the novel version of the *Wonderful Wizard of Oz* using a variety of philosophical models. You wowed our eyes with your magic and our brains with your keen insights.

I just pulled a couple of quotes from the evaluations, but you can imagine these represents the overall reaction from the audience:

"Absolutely the best - fabulous...loved the intertwining of philosophical principles with real life and OZ."

"Excellent lecture and ideas."

"Love the mix of 'magic' and lecture."

"Excellent - felt it was Philosophy 101..."

Thanks again for a job well done. I'm sure our funders are proud to support such an innovative approach to museum education. Bravo! Bravo! Bravo!

Thanks again, and I look forward to working with you again.

Sincerely,

David D.J. Rau
Director of Education & Outreach