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THE FAIR'S "LIVE EXPERIENCE" GOES TO COLLEGE

More than 60 college scholarships are available through The Fair's Scholarship Program

MIAMI, FL – January 5, 2011 – Pushing the LIVE experience to the next level, The Fair gives high school seniors the opportunity to *LIVE the Experience* at college through The Fair's (annual) Scholarship Program. More than \$73,000 scholarship dollars are currently available to approximately sixty qualifying college-bound high school seniors in Miami-Dade County for the 2011-2012 school year. Scholarships are awarded during a ceremony held immediately following The Fair in the spring of 2011.

"We encourage all high school seniors to apply for a Fair college scholarship," commented Phil Clark, chief executive officer of The Miami-Dade County Fair. "With more than \$70,000 up for grabs, we hope to enhance the college experience for more than 60 high school seniors again this year."

Each scholarship is valued at \$1,000. Graduating seniors must apply on or before March 16, 2011. Applications are available in the College Assistance Office of each school. Unless the student is homeschooled, applications must be submitted by the school. Home schooled students must apply by calling Diana Venturini at 305-995-1367. The minimum GPA requirement is 3.0 and the applicant must demonstrate a commitment to voluntary participation in school and community activities. At least one recipient will be selected from each high school – public and private – in Miami-Dade County.

The Fair reaches its 60th year mark...pushing the LIVE Experience to the Next Level! Live the Experience | March 17 through April 3, 2011. Be There, The Fair.

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