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From the Editors Notebook

² *As we begin our 14th year of publishing a multi-award winner and highly rated university magazine, we take this opportunity to wish you all the best of everything during 1987.*

In order for us to be able to continue to do what we do best in the tradition of excellence that we have consistently sustained over the years, New Directions needs your unreserved support now. As you know, excellence does carry a hefty price tag. But it is worth it because there can be no shortcut to excellence.

In Commentary, which begins on page 18, President James E. Cheek makes an eloquent case for excellence and the choice that all of us must accept.

Howard University, he said, "will continue to be a moving force in this world, forging and shaping a nation and a people, never willing to accept the role of a stationary object upon which the forces of history may beat. For here we are lifters rather than leaners. We are drivers rather than drifters. We are winners rather than whiners."

We concur.

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