TRADEMARK ASSIGNMENT

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SUBMISSION TYPE:	NEW ASSIGNMENT	
NATURE OF CONVEYANCE:	RELEASE BY SECURED PARTY	

CONVEYING PARTY DATA

Name	Formerly	Execution Date	Entity Type
Ares Capital Corporation		06/18/2010	CORPORATION: MARYLAND

RECEIVING PARTY DATA

Name:	The Teaching Company, LLC
Street Address:	4840 Westfields Boulevard, Suite 500
City:	Chantille
State/Country:	VIRGINIA
Postal Code:	20151
Entity Type:	LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY: DELAWARE

Name:	The Teaching Company Intermediate Holdings, Inc.	
Street Address:	4840 Westfields Boulevard, Suite 500	
City:	Chantilly	
State/Country:	VIRGINIA	
Postal Code:	20151	
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE	

Name:	The Teaching Company Holdings, Inc.		
Street Address:	1840 Westfields Boulevard, Suite 500		
City:	Chantilly		
State/Country:	VIRGINIA		
Postal Code:	20151		
Entity Type:	CORPORATION: DELAWARE		

Name:	The Teaching Company Sales, LLC
Street Address:	4840 Westfields Boulevard, Suite 500
City:	Chantilly
State/Country:	VIRGINIA
Postal Code:	20151

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PROPERTY NUMBERS Total: 21

Property Type	Number	Word Mark
Registration Number:	2286822	GREAT COURSES ON TAPE
Registration Number:	3009025	GREAT MINDS
Registration Number:	2909770	GREAT MINDS
Registration Number:	2975207	GREAT MINDS OF THE WESTERN INTELLECTUAL TRADITION
Serial Number:	76553229	GREAT PROFESSORS
Registration Number:	3220879	GREAT PROFESSORS, GREAT COURSES, GREAT VALUE GUARANTEED.
Serial Number:	76457696	GREAT TEACHERS
Registration Number:	3270397	GREAT TEACHERS, GREAT COURSES, GREAT VALUE GUARANTEED.
Registration Number:	2005692	GREAT TEACHERS LIBRARY
Registration Number:	2048941	MIRUS UNIVERSITY
Registration Number:	1704609	SUPERSTAR TEACHERS
Registration Number:	2785870	TEACHING THAT ENGAGES THE MIND
Registration Number:	2896616	THE GREAT COURSES
Serial Number:	76622275	THE JOY OF LIFELONG LEARNING EVERY DAY
Registration Number:	1947801	THE TEACHING COMPANY
Registration Number:	2717476	THE TEACHING COMPANY
Registration Number:	3025632	THE TEACHING COMPANY
Registration Number:	1859109	
Registration Number:	3033618	
Registration Number:	1770044	WORDSCORE
Registration Number:	1808062	WORDSCORE

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Date:	06/18/2010		
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TERMINATION AND RELEASE OF TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT

THIS TERMINATION AND RELEASE OF TRADEMARK SECURITY AGREEMENT (this "Termination"), is dated as of June 18, 2010, and made by ARES CAPITAL CORPORATION, a Maryland corporation, having an office at 280 Park Avenue, 22nd Floor East, New York, New York 10017 ("Grantee") to THE TEACHING COMPANY, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, THE TEACHING COMPANY INTERMEDIATE HOLDINGS, INC., a Delaware corporation, THE TEACHING COMPANY SALES, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company (collectively, "Grantor"), with their chief executive office at 4151 Lafayette Center Drive, No. 100, Chantilly, Virginia 20151.

WHEREAS, pursuant to that certain Trademark Security Agreement dated as of September 29, 2006, made by Grantor in favor of Grantee (the "Security Agreement"), a security interest was granted by the Grantor to Grantee in certain collateral, including the Trademarks (as hereinafter defined);

WHEREAS, the Security Agreement was recorded in the Trademark Division of the United States Patent and Trademark Office on October 3, 2006, at Reel 003401 and Frame 0323; and

WHEREAS, Grantee now desires to terminate and release the Security Agreement;

NOW, THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which are hereby acknowledged, and upon the terms set forth in this Termination, Grantee hereby states as follows:

- 1. <u>Definitions</u>. The term "Trademarks," as used herein, shall mean all of the Grantor's right, title and interest of every kind and nature as of the date hereof in the trademarks listed on <u>Schedule A</u> hereto.
- 2. <u>Release of Security Interest</u>. Grantee hereby terminates the Security Agreement and terminates, releases and discharges its security interest in the Trademarks and reassigns to the person or persons legally entitled thereto all right, title and interest of Grantee in the Trademarks.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Grantee has caused this Termination to be executed by its duly authorized officer as of the date first written above.

ARES CAPITAL CORPORATION,

a Maryland corporation, as Collateral Agent

By: _ Name;

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Schedule A

Trademarks

Trademark	Serial No.	Filing Date	Reg. No.	Reg. Date
GREAT COURSES ON TAPE (Classes 9 and 41)	75/495,264	05/29/1998	2,286,822	10/12/1999
GREAT MINDS (Class 9)	75,079,070	03/27/1996	3,009,025	10/25/2005
GREAT MINDS (Classes 9 and 16)	76/526,203	06/27/2003	2,909,770	12/14/2004
GREAT MINDS OF THE WESTERN INTELLECTUAL TRADITION (Classes 9 and 16)	76/526,205	06/27/2003	2,975,207	07/26/2005
GREAT PROFESSORS (Class 9)	76/553,229	10/21/2003		
GREAT PROFESSORS, GREAT COURSES, GREAT VALUE GUARANTEED (Classes 9, 16 and 35)	76/615,940	10/14/2004	3,220,879	03/20/2007
GREAT TEACHERS (Classes 9 and 16)	76/457,696	10/09/2002		
GREAT TEACHERS, GREAT COURSES, GREAT VALUE GUARANTEED (Classes 9, 16 and 35)	76/617,771	10/26/2004	3,270,397	07/24/2007
GREAT TEACHERS LIBRARY & DESIGN (Class 9)	74/660,432	04/13/1995	2,005,692	10/08/1996
MIRUS UNIVERSITY (Classes 9 and 41)	75/069,752	03/08/1996	2,048,941	04/01/1997

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Trademark	Serial No.	Filing Date	Reg. No.	Reg. Date
SUPERSTAR TEACHERS (Classes 9, 16 and 41)	74/085,908	08/08/1990	1,704,609	08/04/1992
TEACHING THAT ENGAGES THE MIND (Classes 9, 16 and 35)	76/457,650	10/09/2002	2,785,870	11/25/2003
THE GREAT COURSES (Classes 9, 16 and 35)	76/457,659	10/09/2002	2,896,616	10/26/2004
THE JOY OF LIFELONG LEARNING EVERY DAY (Classes 9, 16 and 35)	76/622,275	11/23/2004		
THE TEACHING COMPANY (Classes 9 and 16)	74,074,104	06/29/1990	1,947,801	01/16/1996
THE TEACHING COMPANY (Class 9)	76/439,526	08/08/2002	2,717,476	05/20/2003
THE TEACHING COMPANY (Class 35)	76/599,281	06/25/2004	3,025,632	12/13/2005
Torch & Stars Design (Class 9)	74/076,241	07/09/1990	1,859,109	10/18/1994

Trademark	Serial No.	Filing Date	Reg. No.	Reg. Date
Torch & Stars Design (Classes 9, 16 and 35)	76/599,280	06/25/2004	3,033,618	12/27/2005
WORDSCORE (Class 16)	74/317,370	09/28/1992	1,770,044	05/11/1993
WORDSCORE (Class 41)	74/317,369	09/28/1992	1,808,062	11/30/1993

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