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To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to be able to write this letter of recommendation on behalf of Rachel Reinwald. As an adjunct instructor at Dominican University in the Graduate School of Library and Information Science, I had the pleasure of having Rachel in my Media Services and Production class during the fall, 2009.

Rachel conducted several presentations to the class. She was well-prepared for both the oral presentation and the written component. When she addressed the class, she was articulate, relaxed, and enjoyable to listen to. Rachel contributed positively to the class by offering perceptive comments.

Rachel has good technology skills. In class she completed professional looking PowerPoints, composed flyers and handouts using design principles, did an online tutorial with screencasting software, explored blogs and wikis, created a webquest, and did a digital storytelling project. Even more than simply working with the software, Rachel showed the initiative and curiosity to investigate the technology and was excited with what she could do. She was not reluctant to dive in and give things a try which is a highly desired trait in the rapidly changing technology field.

Personally, Rachel is conscientious and competent. She seemed to have good relationships with her classmates. Rachel is dependable, inquisitive and will be an asset in a library setting and a positive contributor to the library profession. A school library would be fortunate and would benefit from Rachel Reinwald's employment.

If you need any further information, please contact me.

Sincerely,

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