

INSTRUCTIONAL KITCHEN | THE OHIO UNION | 1739 NORTH HIGH STREET | COLUMBUS, OH 43210

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Greetings,

It's my pleasure to provide you this letter of recommendation for Claire V. Thrasher as she pursues an opportunity for employment with your establishment.

Claire has a caring and gracious attitude. She is a genuine team player and a very smart leader! She currently is a student studying the Hospitality Management major with a strong interest level that I found to be very attractive starting in the spring semester of 2019 when she was a student in two courses I instructed. Throughout the class lectures, and labs she was always focused and alert.

Since then, Claire applied for an internship for the autumn semester of 2019 and another internship in the spring of 2020 where she took the lead for two weeks with brilliance. One of the most impressive character strengths I recognize in Claire is her willingness to work toward a goal with pride, a strong level of perseverance and desire to provide her personal best. Reviewing her resume alone, it is clear to see that Claire has a drive for perfection, a gold standard of follow through and a keen sense of determination.

Over the past 52 years of working in our hospitality industry, I occasionally find a well-balanced, committed associate who possesses the attributes shown by Claire. She has a genuinely well-managed strong work ethic that is evident with every challenging opportunity I placed in front of her. She exercised critical thinking to successfully work through any and all obstacles.

Claire has executed all assigned tasks with a <u>"whatever it takes"</u> attitude backed up with performance. Claire is impeccably polite, courteous, very positive, remarkably resourceful and just pleasant to be around with her smiling attitude. The best intern ever!

Knowing Claire, her strengths, her clear communication skills, and decisiveness, coupled with her street-smart character, she will not disappoint you as a professional. She has the ability to time manage academics, social, and work responsibilities.

Should I be of any assistance in sharing the excellence provided in my kitchen by Claire, feel free to reach me by e-mail at wolf.522@osu.edu or my direct line 614-292-1778.

Sincerely,

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