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Greetings,

I am writing in reference to Hannah Beaman, a recent student of mine.

In my undergraduate course, 'Philosophy & Contemporary Ideas,' Hannah stood out in terms of intellectual sharpness, advanced articulation and a rigorous work ethic. In a course with a rather voluminous reading requirement, she went well beyond the course requirements in commitment to scholarship and produced one of the highest quality papers in the class. She displays a higher level of independent thinking and a closer observation of 'turns' in arguments than most undergraduates.

These characteristics, taken together with her ability to prioritize tasks effectively, would suggest that Hannah is very well-suited to excel in graduate studies. Additionally, I found her quite professional at all points of interaction. I highly recommend her for admittance to your graduate program.

I would be happy to answer any questions concerning Hannah which you might have. Feel free to contact me at kssmith@liberty.edu.

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