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To Whom It May Concern,

It is with great pleasure that I write this letter of recommendation for Kathy Buszka, a truly exceptional student I had the privilege of teaching in both Human Resource Management and Organizational Behavior at Tunxis Community College. Kathy stood out to me not only for her academic excellence, but for her maturity, professionalism, and unwavering determination to achieve her goals.

From the moment she entered my classroom, Kathy demonstrated a strong commitment to her education. She consistently delivered high-quality work, actively participated in class discussions, and approached every assignment with focus and integrity. Her ability to connect course content with real-world application was particularly impressive. Whether discussing strategic HR practices or employee engagement strategies, Kathy always brought a thoughtful perspective grounded in both her personal experiences and her desire to improve workplace culture.

What truly sets Kathy apart, however, is her resilience and work ethic. Returning to school after a significant academic break, while simultaneously raising two young children and working full-time, is no easy task. Yet Kathy not only met those demands—she thrived. She graduated from Tunxis Community College with highest honors in May 2023 and has continued her academic journey at Charter Oak State College with the same level of excellence, currently maintaining a 3.9 GPA.

Kathy is the kind of student every educator remembers—the kind who shows grit, grace, and a clear sense of purpose. Her career goal of working in Human Resources with a focus on compensation and benefits is a natural extension of her values and capabilities. She is deeply committed to creating fair, inclusive, and supportive work environments, and I have no doubt she will make meaningful contributions in any organization she joins.

I enthusiastically recommend Kathy for any scholarship, academic program, or opportunity she seeks. She has worked incredibly hard to reach this point and possesses not only the academic skills but also the character, drive, and heart to go even further. Supporting her is not only an investment in her future, but in the future of the business and HR world she will help shape.

Sincerely,
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