February 10th, 2020

To Whom it May Concern,

It is my absolute privilege to strongly recommend Professor Jinhui Wu for the Outstanding Graduate Assistant in Teaching Award. I have taken a course under Professor Wu to better understand the popular religions founded in China, such as Daoism and Confucianism. During this time, I have noticed that Professor Wu to be very dependable when it comes to having questions answered fully about specific topics and has shown kindness to each of her students every lecture. Her teachings were very helpful and included an extensive amount of history that benefited us as students when it comes to comprehending the importance of specific religions that are still practiced today. Professor Wu kept her lectures entertaining and would expose us to the arts of China such as the ritual dances or important figures before and after lectures. To me as a student, it showed her deep appreciation for them and wanted to share their importance to us. I would strongly recommend Professor Wu classes to future students who will be attending the University of Arizona, as well as current students who are wanting to better understand religions that are founded in China because of how remarkable she is as a professor, withholding traits such as patience, kindness, and dedication to her teachings. Professor Wu has shown to be very understanding if a student may have trouble with a test, as well as checking on them later if her explanation helped them. Professor Wu is one of my favorite professors that I had the absolute pleasure of getting to know based off the way she taught in her lectures, as well as showing her care towards her students. Feel free to contact me at cruztalamantes@email.arizona.edu if there are any questions about Professor Wu or if you would want any more reasons onto why I know she is the best candidate for the Graduate Assistant in Teaching Award.

Sincerely,

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