

RECOMMENDATION LETTER

TO: Members of Anna Truss's ARC Committee
FROM: Luis Emanuel Bedoya Sandries
DATE: December 27th, 2025
SUBJECT: Recommendation for Tenure for Anna Truss

I began my higher education journey in September 2023 when I enrolled at Edmonds College. From my very first Computer Information Systems class with Anna Truss, I felt welcomed, supported, and genuinely encouraged to grow as a student and as a professional.

When Anna introduced herself on the first day of class, I was immediately impressed and excited to learn that someone with real-world web development experience would be teaching web development. Learning that she herself had graduated from the Computer Information Systems program at Edmonds College made her journey even more inspiring to me. From that moment, she became a role model. I aspired to graduate from Edmonds College and achieve similar professional success.

Throughout every course I took with Anna, she consistently demonstrated empathy, patience, and a deep understanding of her students' learning processes. She has a unique ability to connect technical concepts to real-world workplace applications, helping students understand not just how things work, but why they matter in professional environments. Her extensive industry background clearly strengthens her teaching and adds tremendous value to her classes.

Anna has always been a multiplier of my skills. She pushed me to grow, introduced me to new tools and ways of thinking, and provided individualized, one-on-one guidance whenever I needed it. Her teaching style combines professionalism with genuine care, creating an environment where students feel confident asking questions and challenging themselves.

Some of Anna Truss's most remarkable strengths include:

- Strong professional experience in web development and technology
- Empathy and understanding toward students
- Practical, real-world advice relevant to the industry
- Personalized, one-on-one teaching and mentorship
- The ability to inspire students to believe in their own potential

Because of Anna, I not only gained technical knowledge, but also motivation, confidence, and clarity about my future in Computer Information Systems. I truly believe she is an exceptional educator and mentor, and I give her my highest recommendation without hesitation.

Sincerely,
Luis Emanuel Bedoya Sandries