

## Belmont Public Library Town of Belmont Massachusetts

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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing in support of the nomination of Laura Saunders for the Library Journal/ALISE Excellence in Teaching Award.

I was a student of Ms. Saunders 6-8 years ago. Aside from her being my favorite instructor while enrolled, she has become a friend and a colleague. I have networked with her for years, and she has always been very encouraging and supportive.

She is one of those people that I think about when making career moves, because she is someone I want to make proud. She has been a council and a support, and I value her place at Simmons College. Laura is the type of person I want teaching the future Librarians.

If I can give any more of a reference, or aid in your selection, please feel free to reach out to me.

Best,

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