

June 21, 2018

To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure to write this letter of recommendation for Rachael Mann. I have known Ms. Mann for the past 6 years and am continually amazed by her innovative ideas, competence and professionalism.

I have worked with Ms. Mann in several capacities. I have observed her lesson writing skills and curriculum knowledge through the work she has done for the Arizona CTE Curriculum Consortium. She was one of the original lesson writers for Culinary Arts. She is very precise and detail oriented. She has a good command of instruction and in preparing lessons that are highly engaging for students. As a former teacher she knows what it is like to be in the classroom and has a clear understanding of the day to day interactions teachers face.

Ms. Mann was Program Specialist for FACS and the AZ Rising Specialist at the Department of Education. She was extremely professional, organized and always had students best interest in mind. She was a breath of fresh air and brought new found professionalism to the program areas she represented. She communicated well with school districts and was an exemplary role model for students she mentored.

Leadership, technology and innovation is a passion of Ms. Mann. She has presented nationally at numerous conferences. She is extremely well-versed in Google and has done multiple presentations on Ted Talks. I am extremely impressed with her talent. She really is a visionary in moving education forward. She has taken on leadership roles at the state and national level in CTE. She served as an ACTEAZ Fellow and a National ACTE fellow and is currently on the ACTEAZ Executive Board, Region V Policy Committee, and the NCLA National Board. She throws herself into a project and gives it everything she can!

As a Career and Technical (CTE) Educator for the past 28 years, including a CTE director, the State director is a critical link between schools and the department of education, I have seen CTE at ADE when it operated well and I have seen it when it has not. We need true leadership at this critical time to ensure that SB1525 and all other mandates are carried out, that communication is forthcoming from the agency to schools and that there is innovative leadership. I believe Ms. Mann is built for this job. I have confidence that she can lead CTE as the ACTE Vice President of New and Related Services. She is personable, brilliant and well respected.

If I can be of further assistance please feel free to contact me, office - 480-472-0358 or cell - 602-369-4807.

Sincerely,

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Lisa Doll Arizona CTE Curriculum Consortium Director



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June 19, 2018

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is to confirm my support for Rachael Mann to serve as vice president for New and Related Services Division. As an organization, we fully support her involvement in ACTE.

Best regards,

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John Mulcahy Assistant Superintendent