

**Department of Dance**

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To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure to provide a recommendation for Xedera Townsend. I have had the privilege of working with Xedera in various academic and creative experiences in the past three years including Modern technique classes, productions of the Towson University Dance Company, and mentoring her through her Senior Seminar Creative Project. In all of these experiences, Xedera has undoubtedly presented herself as an asset to the learning and creating environment and a future professional leader within the dance community.

Miss Townsend's reliability, work ethic, and humble demeanor make her an asset to the academic and creative class culture. She is an ambitious dancer that approaches each class as a way to advance herself as an artist. She is highly inquisitive and eager to support the progressive dialogue surrounding the learning environment. As a young choreographer, Xedera's creative abilities stand out. She has a unique creative voice that shows incredible promise. She is a natural at discussing and analyzing creative work and has an insightful yet supportive way of advancing those she works with. Her unwavering dedication to her advancement and the advancement of others is clear, and I believe will only continue to develop and grow with every opportunity she is presented with. Her passion, work ethic and positive attitude has made her a leader amongst her peers and a well-respected dancer within the college.

Xedera Townsend has my highest recommendation, without reservation. I am confident that she will continue to develop and apply her already extraordinary talents, and be a credit to any organization she works with. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further questions.

Warm Regards,

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