



Department of Education

Clarion University of Pennsylvania
840 Wood Street
123 Stevens Hall
Clarion, Pennsylvania 16214-1232
Phone: 814-393-2404
Fax: 814-393-2558

March 8, 2012

To Whom It May Concern:

Mr. Nathan Pearce is a masters candidate in the M. Ed. Technology Concentration with an Instructional Technology Specialist certification program at Clarion University. Nathan was a student in three of my courses, ED 617 Advanced Educational Technology, ED 649 Educational Technology Leadership, and ED 540 Principles of Instructional Design in Educational Technology. Nathan will be finishing his coursework for the Instructional Technology Specialist certification in the spring semester, 2012.

Nathan demonstrated superior technical knowledge and skill in all courses and was able to produce materials that went above and beyond the required elements. He consistently performed above his peers in technical ability and in design elements. I have used Nathan's work many times as exemplars for both my graduate and undergraduate students. His work provides a portal to the many possibilities technology integration can provide for improved student engagement.

Nathan exhibited excellent instructional design skills in his work. He was able to develop materials with a wide variety of software applications and media. His expert knowledge of systems and technology contributed to the high-end nature of his designs.

Mr. Nathan Pearce would be a tremendous asset to any district looking for an employee with superior technology experience and instructional design skills and I would recommend him without reservation.

Sincerely,

Sonja V. Heeter, Ph.D.
Associate Professor