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To whom it may concern,

I am pleased to write this recommendation for Cathy Colmenares Suarez. I had the please of working with Cathy at One Economy from 2004 to 2006, and in the time I saw many qualities which I believe will make her an excellent teacher.

I oversaw regional operations at One Economy, a non-profit helping low-income families connect to technology, and Cathy led our operation in Miami. She launched our local office there and built a thriving program serving low-income, predominantly Latino youth. Called "Digitial Connectors", this initiative trained young people to be leaders in their community by serving as technology trainers. Cathy displayed strong leadership in building the program, and designed an outstanding educational experience for the students. She succeeded in both imparting critical skills to the young people, while boosting their self-esteem and giving them a sense of career opportunities in the technology field.

Thanks to her charisma, smarts, and natural leadership abilities, I have no doubt that Cathy will be a fabulous teacher. Please don't hesitate to let me know if you have any further questions.

Sincerely,

Mark Levine

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