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Re: Letter of recommendation for Julie Simper, CMP, CCMEP

To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure to write this letter of recommendation for Julie Simper who I feel I know very well. I have worked with Julie on a regular and very close basis since 2002. During that period she was first a conference coordinator who assisted with our annual liver disease meeting, and latter director of conference services. During that time, Julie helped build our Hepatitis B and C National CME programs dramatically. She was extremely active in securing the key grants which allowed these programs to grow and she actually attended the society's annual liver conference each year to facilitate face-to-face meetings with sponsors. She was been instrumental in providing the key growth to a new program for Hepatitis B education and she oversaw the activities of the numerous coordinators who participated.

During all of my interactions with Julie over the past 8 years she has been professional, bright, savvy and yet respectful. In short, Julie is a real winner. She will enhance whatever endeavor she chooses to join and she is a joy to work with.

I am happy to discuss any comments further at the above phone or via e-mail at [pockros.paul@scrippshealth.org](mailto:pockros.paul@scrippshealth.org).

With warm regards-



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