

June 13, 2025

Letter of Recommendation for Erin Nieto

To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing to express my full support for Erin Nieto and to recognize the exceptional work she produced in my Fall 2023 studio at the Gerald D. Hines College of Architecture and Design, University of Houston.

Erin's project, *Compact Communal Housing*, was part of a studio that explored innovative approaches to shared living through the lens of compactness, modularity, and community. Her design proposed a thoughtful balance between private and communal spaces, offering a spatial strategy that responded sensitively to issues of density, flexibility, and collective life.

Throughout the semester, Erin demonstrated a high level of design maturity, clarity of intent, and strong visual and verbal communication skills. Her commitment to exploring architecture as a tool for social connection was evident in every stage of her work.

Erin is a thoughtful designer whose intelligence, creativity, and generosity consistently enrich any collaborative setting. I fully support her work and believe she will make a meaningful contribution to any academic or professional context she engages with. I'm happy to provide further information if needed.

Sincerely,



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