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Dear Dr. Billman,

I am writing in support of Dr. Jennifer Groman and her facilitation of the Gifted Adjunct Synchrosium held on February 24. The synchrosium was very useful and well-run. We adjuncts focused on revisions to the 650 and 651 courses and syllabi. We discussed and gave examples of best practices from our experiences teaching the graduate courses. We also reviewed new textbooks and gave opinions about what we would like to use as instructors.

Dr. Groman was a very accomplished facilitator of the proceedings. She was interested in everyone's ideas and input yet knew when to reign us in and lead us to new topics. I found this day to be very helpful. I got to meet other adjuncts, learn about their experiences in the classroom, peruse new materials, and develop ideas for my own teaching.

Sincerely

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