al Faculty Evaluation and Recommendation Form

For the Period: January 1, 2016-January 1, 2017

Department: Adams Library

Name: Dragan Gill

Rank: Assistant Professor

Tenure Status: Non tenure on track

Tenure Granted/Due Date: 3/22/2022

RIC DOH: 3/9/2015

Date of Rank: 3/7/2016

Department Chairperson's Evaluation and Recommendation(s) In Accordance with Article VIII of the Agreement between RIC/AFT and the Rhode Island Board of Governors for Higher Education.

Dragan continues to make major contributions to the Adams Library and to Rhode Island College.

During 2016 Dragan significantly increased the number of information literacy classes she instructed. In addition to her classes, Dragan taught students outside of class. She met them one on one and provided individual research assistance. She also provided library orientation tours for Learning For Life - Campus Connect. Dragan has also prepared and presented at several workshops on campus. She is always willing to communicate her knowledge and skills to others.

Dragan is responsible for overseeing the reference student workers which is no small task. While Dragan revised the training manual last year, she continues to review and evaluate the training manual/program for improvements. In Fall 2016, she introduced LibStaffer for the student employees. This tool allows the student workers to check their schedules and identify other students to work their shifts if they are unable. Her great appreciation for the student employees shows as she was a co-organizer of the Student Appreciation Day party. And she continues to find ways to engage student workers in other areas; in the fall she trained students to update the Library's Facebook page.

Dragan's technical skills have not gone unnoticed. She continues to work on the library's LibGuides to ensure they have uniformity. Dragan also worked with Kieran Ayton and Amy Barlow on the UX study and presented at Rhode Island Library Association Annual Conference. In Fall 2016 Dragan worked closely with Kieran Ayton on the website redesign to ready it for the start of the Spring 2017 semester. In addition to her library responsibilities, Dragan was asked to chair, the Steering Committee for the Rhode Island Textbook Initiative. This is no small task but her commitment to students and the drive to find resources that faculty can use to lower students' costs is awe-inspiring.

Dragan's can do attitude shows in everything she does. She is collaborative, engaged, energized and creative; these are just a few of her qualities. She is an active participant in the reference department and an important contributor to improving information literacy especially in the FYW pilot. She collaborates with several departments on campus to enhance the students' experience. I cannot say enough about her commitment to students and to her colleagues and I have heard nothing from praise from faculty, staff, administrators and students.

Her professional commitment shows in her involvement in professional organizations, such as Rhode Island Library Association.

Her overall commitment to RIC and librarianship shows in everything she does. It was a pleasure to work with her in my first semester and I look forward to watching her grow as a reference librarian and to see what other ideas and projects she has in store for the upcoming year.

The praise she received from her colleagues was great and they unanimously voted that she is making progress for reappointment toward tenure and promotion.



I have read the Evaluation and Recommendation(s) of my Department Chairperson. Signature (Faculty) Signature (Chairperson)				
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ort Dragan Gill's reappointment as Assistant Professor, and I agree with her colleagues that she is making progress toward tenure and promotion.