

Hello Professor,

I wanted say hello and thank you!! Irene, the stand-up comic who was in our class, told me you were on Facebook and well, I wanted to find you and thank you

I don't know if you remember, but I was interested in fashion and ended up interning at Marie Claire all summer. What I'm trying to get at is that towards the end of my internship I had the opportunity to pitch a story idea to the editor-in-chief, and it turns out I am now writing a column for Marie Claire (first one comes out this month). I can't thank you enough for everything you taught me. As I wrote for Marie Claire, every time I would think what would Professor Hanly say. Taking your class was a privilege, and it changed my writing completely. You are by far the best professor I have ever taken at FIU and most certainly the one who has had the biggest impact. I would love to give you a copy of the magazine and maybe get lunch of a coffee if you are ever on campus. I look forward to hearing from you!!!
All the best!

Ashley Falcon

Hi Professor Hanly,

I hope you remember me, Priscilla Rojas from writing strategies last semester. I'm so upset that I didn't email you sooner. I want to tell you how wonderful are!!! I love you!! I loved your class and I really enjoyed how you sparked a genuine interest in writing for all of us. I actually looked forward to writing those papers....these days I'm the worst procrastinator with homework, ugh. Also, if it weren't for you I don't know what would've happened with that awful grammar exam, haha. Do you remember when we took it last semester? It was my last chance to pass the test and when I saw the results and realized that I had passed, I turned around and looked at you and my eyes filled with tears.

You also reviewed my resume and writing samples for me for an internship I was applying for. In case you're interested, I got the internship at Florida International Magazine and I just completed my three months there. So thanks for taking time out to help me. Well, I hope you're doing well and I really enjoyed you and your class.

Sincerely,

Priscilla Rojas
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The Teacher Evaluation Form did not allow for enough space for me to write how I truly felt about Professor Hanly and her Writing Strategies course this semester. Through the grueling times of studying for the grammar exam , Professor Hanly combined her knowledge and humor to ease tension and instill a sense of confidence that I otherwise would not have felt going into the exam. I am certain her methodology helped me pass the exam on my first try. Her love for language and insistence that we always strive to improve our writing skills inspired me. This was especially the case given her experience in the world of journalism; a high mark from Professor Hanly felt like a far greater achievement than just scoring a good grade. I have experienced joy in and increased enthusiasm for my chosen career thanks to Professor Hanly It is my hope to enroll in future classes with her as my instructor. Thank you, in advance, for taking the time to read this message.

Respectfully Yours,
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Professor Hanly;

I wanted to thank you for being such a positive mentor to me this past semester. I really found everything we did in class helpful and it certainly made me a better writer. I applied for and was accepted for an internship with the district offices of the North Broward Hospital District, and I believe my beat package was a big part of that. (I wrote the Domestic Violence Beat). I had sent a copy of my portfolio to the offices, with beat package in front, and the work force diversity director told me he didn't need to read past the first article.

I hope the summer is treating you well. The last time I left your class I was off to visit my brother in the hope of becoming an aunt. Yesterday, the very late Victoria Lynn was born (two weeks after her due date). She's my first niece, and at 7lbs 8oz she absolutely left this prospective journalist speechless. I've attached the copy so you can see this proud new aunt and her niece.

Thanks for everything you've done for our class, but mostly for being the kind of professor that you can befriend. I truly believe that is a dying trait with professors. It's really nice when you find one that you can share wonderful experiences with. Hope you have a wonderful summer, and I'll see you around campus in the fall.

Love,
Laura

P.S. I'll be thinking of you while I'm flying to Buffalo next week WEARING MY BOOT!!! lol

I was thinking about you today. I walked by our old classroom and realized how much more pleasant you and your class was than the ones I am in now.

You are missed and thank you again for everything!

Love,

Amanda Wideman

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Hello Professor!!

I just wanted to thank you for all of your help and support these past weeks. I honestly couldn't have gotten through that exam without you! I'm a firm believer that everything happens for a reason, and that is precisely why you are my professor for this class. Your class is the best that I have ever taken! It is my all-time favorite. I love our writing assignments, and although taking the grammar exam has been one of the most stressful things I've had to do, I'm very thankful that your teaching style and positivity were there to guide me through and allow me to pass successfully. Have a great weekend and a very happy Christmas.

Thanks again,
Hailey Granatelli (ID 1730275)

Dear Professor Hanly:

I wanted to take a moment to thank you for such a wonderful semester. It was an honor being your student this year, and I hope to maintain a relationship with you long after the semester ends. I wanted to specifically thank you for allowing me the opportunity to express myself at my own pace and time and never rushing me into anything I wasn't ready for. The writing assignments allowed me to explore areas of myself I otherwise wouldn't have ventured into, and I feel I am a better person because of it.

In your classroom you created a safe haven of support, learning, camaraderie and understanding. In the cut-throat field of journalism, you taught us by example, that you can maintain your values and morals without losing opportunities. The semester came and went so quickly, and I am saddened by the revelation that MMC3104 is the only course you are currently offer. I hope that in the near future that will change and I can learn with you again. There is so much more that needs to be said and so many more experiences to be shared that I feel I will miss out on.

On a more personal note, please allow to express how refreshing it is to see someone with your credentials and accomplishments have such a casual, down-to-earth, humble spirit. It was only after inquiring further that we as a class learned that we were in the presence of someone whose work is has been so widely recognized. I wish you 9+the best of luck and many, many blessings. Thank you for the lessons learned and please keep in touch. My time in your class means more to me than you will ever know, and everything you said I carry with me. Happy, safe, prosperous holidays and a equally blessed new year.

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Hi Professor!

I just wanted to thank you for a wonderful experience this semester. The grammar exam is one of the most stressful tests I have ever had to pass, and I feel that your calm manner and straightforward approach to the grammar lessons helped me focus and stay confident. Beyond the grammar element, I want to thank you for the wild and wonderful approach you take to writing. When I heard we had to do ten papers, I dreaded the thought of writing the usually stuffy, analytical papers. I had no idea that I would be in for such an adventure with writing. Between passing tests and making deadlines, I find it is easy to forget why I wanted to study journalism at all; I want to thank you for reminding me why I love studying this.

Sincerely,
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