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Dr. Suvrajeet Sen
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Los Angeles, California

Subject: Student-Status Vouching Letter for the fORged by Machines Contest

Dear Dr. Sen,

It is with great pleasure and enthusiasm I write this letter for my PhD students Mr. Amir Mohammad Esmaieeli Sikaroudi and Mr. Md Habibor Rahman for their participation in the fORged by Machines Contest. I have been working with Amir and Habibor for over a year and they continue to show strong performance and dedication in their research work in the areas of Proactive Monitoring of IoT Systems and Cyber-Physical Manufacturing Systems Security, respectively. Hence, I encouraged them to participate in the fORged by Machines Contest and I am writing this letter to vouch their PhD student-status at the Systems and Industrial Engineering Department at the University of Arizona.

Sincerely yours,



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