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I am Khushi Zaveri, an Indian student presenting my statement of purpose for visa application for higher education in USA. In this letter, I have mentioned my academics profile, work profile, purpose behind choosing these specific course, universities and country and my future aspirations after completing education.

After completing my Bachelor’s in Psychology in India from PDEU, Ahmedabad and gaining some experience through several internships and seminars, I have been able to understand my interest in Counselling Psychology. As in India, the field is still in a gradually developing stage and more people are getting aware about it; I want to gain the highest level of quality education and counselling practices which USA can provide me with. Through some research and studies the field is profoundly developed in US and I can surely get theoretical as well as practical knowledge and experience in clinical counselling.

Family background

I belong to a family of 6 members based in Surat, Gujarat. My father, Mr. Vimal Zaveri is a businessman who owns a job-work company of diamond manufacturing in Surat which is said to be the largest diamond hub of the world. My father have a degree FY BSc. My mother, Mrs. Ragini Zaveri is a full-time homemaker and also indulged in tailoring and dancing. She has completed graduation in BCom. My brother, Atharva Zaveri has completed his higher secondary education and is aiming for graduation in Computer Science with specialisation in Artificial Intelligence. I live in a joint family with my grandparents, Mr. Rashmikant Zaveri and Mrs. Hansa Zaveri. My family, especially my parents have always been very supportive to me regarding my interests, and have always motivated me to do what I really liked. I am very grateful to be a part of this family.

Education background

I completed my higher secondary education from Smt. L.P. Savani Vidhyabhavan, Surat. I opted for PCB(Physics, Chemistry, Biology) with English and CS as additional subjects. My percentage in secondary and higher secondary have been 72% and 57%, respectively. I have done graduation from Pandit Deendayal Energy University (formally PDPU) with the degree of BA Honour’s with majors in Psychology, and Environmental Law as my minor degree. My overall course CGPA is 7.07.

I have completed my research paper dissertation as a part of my degree course, where my subject for research was “ The impact of dance intervention on - ‘clinical depression and body image concern’”.

Why USA?

USA was my only choice when I was researching universities and colleges for counselling psychology as the universities there has the best curriculum and practices. USA is ranked at the top on various aspects and I would love to spend my golden years learning there. I also got to know that in USA, psychologists are considered very essential as health doctors and a large number of people actually consider and visit them often. I really want to learn and gain experience in such environment.

Institutes there provide everything necessary for a student to reach their true potential. They also have a very dynamic, demanding and inventive culture which fosters all-around growth of an individual. Proficient students from all around the world come to USA to experience, learn and cultivate themselves to accomplish their dreams. The exposure studying with people coming from different cultures will surely help out in the challenges that I will have to confront later in life.

All the things which I will achieve through studying in USA will immensely help me to implement my experience here in India. I have decided to provide my expertise and services better