

To whom It May Concern,

I'm Maurizio Napolitano, head of the Digital Commons Lab of the Digital Society Center of the Bruno Kessler Foundation, Trento - Italy.

I am writing this letter to introduce you to Francesco Weikmann.

Francesco did an internship at my unit under my supervision. His job was to create an application to enhance the data in OpenStreetMap for use by cyclists through a gamification engine. His work was done so well that we decided to continue it as a dissertation.

His work convinced us to the point that we offered Francesco the opportunity to work with us for a few more months with the aim of transforming his prototype into a product.

We now have an application that we can use to activate communities through 'mapathon' actions together with a public administration in order to improve the data related to the infrastructures for bikes of a city.

Our intention was to keep him with us, only his aspirations are more oriented towards working in a company rather than a research center.

From the result obtained by Francesco in this experience, I can certainly say that he is a person who does not give up in the face of problems. He knows how to recognize her own limits, but he, to overcome them, is always ready for dialogue to learn more and he never stops self-documenting.

Once the problem has been structured and individualized a solution to implement, he achieves the result with creativity and clever solutions.

In the period in which I joined Francesco in his experience at the unit that I coordinate, I saw a person who grew quickly reaching his goals always with a lot of joy and energy.

It is therefore a person who I believe is of interest to any company in search of the skills that Francesco has acquired over the years.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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