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To whom it may concern,

This is to confirm that we acknowledge and commend Isobel Beasley for their involvement as a mentor in the University of Melbourne's Melbourne Peer Mentor Program (MPMP). As a peer mentor, Isobel helped commencing students to transition to life at the University of Melbourne, by sharing personal experience and advice, and connecting them with study and engagement opportunities at the University.

Mentors in the program are selected through a recruitment process which shows they have personal attributes such as leadership and group facilitation skills, confidence and the ability to represent the University in a professional manner. Isobel also demonstrated commitment to the MPMP through responsibilities which included:

- Facilitating mentoring sessions and providing support and guidance to mentees by identifying University resources, programs, services and opportunities for social connection
- Communicating regularly about mentoring sessions, social opportunities and other useful information
- Being prepared and organised for each session, including punctually attend mentoring sessions and engaging in follow-up communication
- Navigating the move to virtual meetings during the COVID-19 pandemic
- Being respectful, inclusive and non-judgmental, fostering open and honest communication and a safe environment

We are very appreciative of the effort and time that Isobel dedicated to the Melbourne Peer Mentor Program, and wish them every success in their future endeavours.

Yours sincerely,

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