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To Whom it May Concern,

It is my pleasure to recommend Joshuan Jimenez for the CAESCIR program. As a student of mine for the past two semesters, he has done very well in my classes, putting in the time and effort to learn the material. He has shown a keen interest in learning and not just passing the class. He actively participates in class activities, both as a team member and helping others in class when needed. I can see in him a potential to grow and be a solid engineer down the line.

My first class with Joshuan was CDA3101 (Fundamentals of Computer Systems), where we taught computer architecture from bit/bytes, logic circuits, combinatorial logic, finite state machines and assembly language. The class is a bit abstract, but he did very well on both the quizzes, assignments, and projects. I started to know Joshuan because he actively asked questions and participated in class activities. He helped me teach other students how to connect an X Terminal for Windows to one of our school Linux Servers. His group had one of the best assembly language programs for the end of semester project. He did well in this class, and he ended the class with a B.

My second class with him is COP4338 (Systems Programming), where it consists of learning C and doing many programming activities in a Linux environment in the classroom. He has helped me in the class as well, showing other students how certain things work as debugging their code, as well as assisting them with the Linux environment. Currently, he is still with me in this class and currently has an A.

Apart from the classroom, he shows interest and potential in the field as he is involved in extracurricular activities. He is a part of MentorFIU and SparkDev, which enables him to apply what he has learned in the classes to collaborate and assist others. Seeing him participate in these programs will continue to allow him to grow and shows me how invested he is in the field.

I truly recommend Joshuan for admission into the program for the kind of student he is, for his potential and for putting the time and energy into his academic and career life.

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Sincerely,

Prof. Carlos Alonso