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**Academic Reference: Kelvin Yuan-Shuo Hsu**

My name is Dr. Jason Chan and, as a lecturer at the School of Information Technologies, I have worked with Kelvin Yuan-Shuo Hsu for a number of semesters, as he has been selected by me as a tutor in ENGG1801 Engineering Computing in semester 1 of 2013 and 2014, as well as during Summer School 2015.

In this role, Kelvin is the only staff member in each classroom, typically 20 to 30 students, and is responsible for going through a set of programming exercises, such as by explaining the question and necessary theory to complete it, as well as actually demonstrating step-by-step how to think, while actually programming the correct answer and showing his working as his terminal is connected to a projector.

Kelvin has also helped students debug their work, and answered questions they may have. Additionally, Kelvin has been involved in marking lab exams, projects and final exams.

In previous mid-semester UoS surveys, students' comments about Kelvin were very positive. Many students cited that he got them to think because he would guide them towards the solution without actually giving the answers to them. Others cited that he was a very generous and patient, and able to go around the lab and answer everyone's questions, including those weaker students who considered their own questions as simple.

When previously enrolled in ENGG1801 Engineering Computing, Kelvin scored the equal-highest mark out of approximately 650 students. He was also enrolled in my lab, which allowed me to carefully inspect the way in which he conducted himself towards his work each week. He had a very positive attitude towards learning and made sure that he wrote his code in a simple but clear style, with detailed comments, as I had highly advocated.

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Jason Chan  
ENGG1801 Engineering Computing UoS Coordinator in 2013 – 2015