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To whom it may concern:

I have had the pleasure of working with Logan Peterson since June of 2018 during his summer internship at the School District of Fort Atkinson. Our acquaintance was made by his former Principal Dan Halvorsen, who often times will recommend exemplary students to the District Technology Department for internships. After being hired, Logan quickly asserted himself as a competent young professional, eager for new challenges to strengthen his already advanced technical knowledge.

As the Director of Technology at the School District of Fort Atkinson, my student interns are tasked with basic help desk responsibilities, such as setting up computer labs for summer school, hooking up teacher computers after custodial crews clean classrooms, and troubleshooting basic technical support requests throughout the district. Logan excelled at these jobs, which were somewhat trivial for his skillset. Throughout the course of department collaboration, it soon became clear that Logan had incredible attention to detail and a humble presence amongst our district stakeholders, both of which are invaluable qualities in the tech profession.

When technical issues arise in any field, the potential for stress and anxiety is always present – particularly with staff that lacks technical savvy. I had absolutely no reservations tasking Logan with aiding our teachers in those very situations without supervision. His ability to calmly identify issues through clear communication, and resolve simple and often complex tasks in a language that is easily understood, made Logan stand out among his peers.

I was also able to challenge Logan with complicated technical tasks. For example, we were working on a new conference room at our administration building and wanted a sleek interactive display screen at the entrance. This display needed to show a calendar of the room's future occupancy, but also be customizable enough for event-specific messaging. Through Logan's research, testing and design, he successfully presented a solution that checked all the boxes we were looking for.

Logan is an incredibly bright young man that I have no problems trusting to see through complex situations. He asks for feedback where appropriate and is self-driven to make the most effective use of his time. He has always portrayed a professional demeanor towards colleagues while being approachable, which is a skillset not many technical professionals have. I unequivocally recommend Logan Peterson for any position of employment.

Warmest Regards,

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