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To Whom It May Concern

I worked with Victoria Thompson in my capacity as Technical Solutions Architect when I was consulting at Standard Bank in 2023.

Victoria and I worked together on two innovative agritech/fintech projects – one was focussed on food rescue and social impact, while the other focussed on digitization, traceability, and the facilitation of finance for smallholder farmers. Multiple different vendors and stakeholders across different countries collaborated on these projects.

Victoria was a core member of the team and her contribution was key to the success of the projects – both as a highly competent designer, with a strong focus on streamlining and improving the user experience across the board, and by building relationships and gaining the trust and respect of both her immediate team and external stakeholders. She also jumped in to help with initiatives outside of the immediate scope of her work, such as marketing. She is committed to her work, passionate about what she does, and a brilliant and supportive team player.

Victoria also took the initiative to assemble and lead a team for an internal, group-wide hackathon, and her team placed in the top three.

Victoria will be an excellent addition to any team, and I can highly recommend her.

Best regards,
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