

Dear Sir/Madam,

It is my pleasure to acquaint you with one of my most outstanding students, Akshay ANAND, who is keen to pursue the Doctorate of Philosophy at your esteemed institution. I have known Akshay since 2013, when he enrolled into the Bachelors of Technology in Mechanical Engineering here at Bansal Institute of Research and Technology, RGPV University, Bhopal, India.

As part of this program, Akshay took my course on Fluid Dynamics, Thermodynamics, Gas Dynamics, Refrigeration and Air Condition and Operation Management. I also supervised him for his major project, Geothermal heating and cooling using Peltier device. Akshay presented outstanding commitment to his studies, and finished his degree within the top ranking of his class which consists around 120 students. He is a quite remarkable student with a strong research interest.

The quality of his research work on his major project was compelling, and he managed to find beautifully simple solutions to very challenging problems. During the courses, he always made many valuable contributions to group discussions. Finally, it should not be left unmentioned that Akshay is a very pleasant person to work with. I respect Akshay's decision to further pursue his specific research interests at your university, and I am confident that he will be a highly valuable addition to your PhD program, where he could develop and apply his extraordinary talents.

Furthermore, I am sure that he would qualify for any means of financial aid that you could offer him, and I also strongly recommend him for a position as a teaching or research assistant. If you have any questions with regards to Akshay ANAND, I will be pleased to answer them.

Sincerely,

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