To whomsoever it may concern:

It gives me immense pleasure to recommend Akshay Mahendar for a masters degree course at your esteemed university. He has been working with us for the past three years and my personal experience of working with him has been quite satisfactory. We are a firm engaged in multiple programming and UI development activities. He has made a very seamless transition from an academic to a professional environment.

Being his technical lead, I had the opportunity to supervise him on a number of projects. His ability to comprehend business requirements and apply his programming skills to achieve the desired output made him the trustable lead and member from offshore. He also displayed excellent teamwork during all the projects that I have led. He has never been late on any of his assigned tasks. I remember leading a project called "Bis-Billing" for which we had to implement all new programming languages like AngularJS, DotNet MVC etc, and Akshay not only learned and implemented the concepts to the project but also he had led the team from offshore, trying to make the folks understand methods of implementing these programming languages.

Having known him for 18 months, I can safely say that he has good ethics and moral character. He comes across as a sincere and hardworking person. His strengths are his technical proficiency, inclination to learn, sharp intelligence and perseverance. Time and again during various projects that we have worked on, he has displayed all the above qualities to his advantage. Being in a Captive unit of a bank, there are times when deadlines are too close for comfort and we require sharp and fast people to complete the workload and in many such situations, he was called to pitch in and help.

I am of the view that he will be a worthy student at your esteemed university, which will be the ideal place for him to improve upon his existing skills by pursuing a Masters program. his pragmatic analysis and acumen will help him accomplish his goals. Hence, I strongly recommend him to be considered as a potential candidate for admission into your esteemed university.

Sincerely,

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