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Data to Decisions CRC Australia

Dear Madam or Sir,

I'm writing to recommend Alberto Andreotti for a PhD position at the Data to Decisions Project in your research institution. I'm Cecilia Mariani, Engineering Manager of Intel Context sensing Project that is part to Intel Software Division (ISD) / Cloud Fabric Services (CFS). Intel Context SDK is the vehicle to expose Intel Architecture (IA) capabilities to ISVs as well as enables OEMs to create innovative algorithms on top of IA sensors. The team is an agile team composed by 10 developers, and Alberto has reported to me during the last three years.

He worked in many innovative projects involving Context Awareness and Knowledge Representation. He was always eager to learn new technologies and to apply theoretical concepts from Machine Learning into our projects.

I believe his most important strength is his ability to do research and apply it real problems. Many times, he has come up with implementations from scratch, which ended up as features that increased the value that our projects delivered. He has also shown a remarkable motivation towards continuously learning new topics, mainly related to Machine Learning and Algorithms.

Last year, he was among the top submitters to SWPC, an internal software conference that is organized by Intel and held worldwide at many different locations. One of his papers, related to Machine Learning Applications in the Cloud was selected to be presented in Mexico due to its quality and relevance.

Last, I would like to emphasize that he has shown a strong interest in Speech Signal Processing, attending conferences, giving presentations, and building prototypes to showcase some Speech Processing features related to our projects.

I would recommend Alberto for any role that requires strong research and development skills. In case of requiring further details, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours,

Cecilia Mariani