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Reference Letter for Xianda XU,

Dear Sir/Madam,

It is my pleasure to write this reference at the request of Xianda (Bryce) Xu, as a strong recommendation for this study/research program at your University. I have known Xianda during the last semester (Fall 2018) as one of my best students in CS300 Programming II course.

Xianda has shown himself as a very serious and dedicated student. He succeeded this fundamental course in Computer Sciences with grade "A" and has been ranked among the top 4% of his generation (about 600 students across all CS300-Fall 2018 sections). He is smart and has a dialectic spirit. In addition to being very attentive in class, he attended my office hours regularly and has always a list of good questions to ask in order to better investigate and understand each topic thoroughly.

His programming assignments have been all submitted by the deadline. His programs are well implemented and well commented denoting a good assimilation of object-oriented programming and computational thinking principles.

To sum up, I would like to highlight that Xianda is an outstanding student who has a great passion for learning. He is an intelligent, serious, dedicated person, who is ready to achieve his goals. For all these reasons, I recommend him for your program without reservation and with a great enthusiasm.

Sincerely,

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