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To whom it may concern,

This letter is to support the application of Cameron Skidmore to the internal development program. Cameron took two of the courses I taught at the University of Cincinnati in Spring 2023; Introduction to Computer Systems and Security Vulnerability Assessment.

Cameron performed really well in the Security Vulnerability Assessment course. He was able to complete all eight technical labs and receive perfect scores on six of them. Some of those labs were very challenging and required strong systems programming skills. To improve his systems programming skills, Cameron made a smart decision and registered for the undergraduate-level Introduction to Computer Systems course that I taught in the same semester. In addition to technical labs, the former graduate-level course included a group presentation on any topic related to the course. Cameron's group chose a great topic to present. In the very limited time they were given, Cameron and his group mates not only delivered an excellent presentation but were also able to show a flawless demo to help the audience better understand the topic. This showed that Cameron was a great team player and was willing to coordinate with his teammates to provide an excellent outcome.

It is worth mentioning that Cameron had a small accident towards the beginning of the semester that affected his ability to use a computer and complete his programming assignments, but his determination to succeed did allow him to catch up with all the course work and score very good grades in both courses.

In a nutshell, Cameron was a responsible and hard-working student in both the Introduction to Computer Systems class and the Security Vulnerability Assessment class, and had already demonstrated strong technical skills, communication skills and intellectual abilities. I do recommend him for the internal development program.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'giovanni'.

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