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To Whom It May Concern:

Google is pleased to inform you that Elena Zakharova has successfully completed Google Summer of Code 2017, a program which connects students with mentors for 3 months to develop open source software. Each year many students apply to participate with only a portion of them being accepted into the program, and not every student finishes the program successfully.

Elena was accepted into the program by, and developed open source software for, Python Software Foundation beginning May 30, 2017 and ending on August 21, 2017. Over that period, they passed each of the three evaluations conducted by their mentor.

More information on Elena's project can be found at:
<https://summerofcode.withgoogle.com/projects/6010657886437376>

Elena worked from home on their project and was not required to visit either Google or Python Software Foundation's offices. They received a stipend of 3600 USD for the project. Although Elena was not directly employed by Google during Google Summer of Code 2017, the program was administered by Google from our corporate headquarters and Google acted as the host organization for the duration of Elena's participation.

Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact our Google Summer of Code program team via email at gsoc-support@google.com.

Best,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Josh Simmons", with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Joshua Simmons
Google Summer of Code Program Manager