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## To Whom It May Concern,

I am pleased to provide this letter of recommendation for Felipe Dominguez-Cornejo. In my position as Evaluation Lead for the London School of Economics and Political Science, I supervised Felipe from end of June until August 2024. In this time, he worked as a research assistant on an institutional research project, investigating patterns in students' disability declaration rate over time. The project was conducted in close collaboration with Prof. Christian Kreke from LSE's Department of Psychological and Behavioural Science.

In the project, Felipe took on a range of research and analysis tasks, including:

- Contributing to the conceptualisation of the research question and analytic approach
- Conducting an initial literature review
- Cleaning and preparing administrative data for analysis
- Conducting formal data analysis of the cleaned dataset in Stata
- Reporting findings to the research team, including producing data visualisations and identification of key patterns

In this work, Felipe demonstrated outstanding analytical ability, translating the complex behavioural indicators into reasonable and testable empirical hypothesis, which he explored convincingly within the constraints of the available data. Felipe also excelled at managing the raw administrative data, cleaning and transforming it to enable the relevant analytic approaches in the first place. Throughout this work, Felipe displayed remarkable enthusiasm and curiosity, going above and beyond in pursuing different approaches, improving and reviewing his work out of his own interest, and generating new, relevant hypothesis for the future of the research project in the process.

In summary, I can wholeheartedly recommend Felipe for any endeavour requiring analytic skill, data management ability and intellectual curiosity. I am confident that Felipe will continue to excel at his tasks and make significant contributions in his future academic and professional career. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require further details or examples of Felipe's work.

Sincerely,

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