To whom it may concern

Gabriel Yang is an active member of NUS Social Impact Catalyst (SIC) since last year. At SIC, Gabriel is Project Director for EZCompostr, a start-up offering a platform solution for reducing food waste. As Project Director, Gabriel is responsible for a diverse range of activities, including app development, prototype design, event management and hosting. He is currently designing a networking platform for Ezcompostr, leading a team of senior students to wireframe and create an application from scratch. As well as applying his software development skills, he is designing a 3D-printed compost bin incorporating features discovered through market validation.

At SIC, Gabriel also multitasks as a Web developer for the start-up I'm Friendly Co (IFC). He works closely with the CTO and CEO of IFC, driven by his belief in their vision of equitable access to mental health support for young people. Gabriel's enthusiasm to immerse himself in multiple aspects of entrepreneurship is unquestionable.

As a computer science student, Gabriel has technical capabilities that he has leveraged well to add value to start-up teams. He is logical and focused, and able to translate big ideas into implementation plans.

What is most impressive about Gabriel is his self-motivation to go beyond his technical comfort zone. He thrives on challenging himself to wear many hats in order to learn and grow as an individual. He has invested time and effort to develop his abilities in multiple aspects, including leadership and public speaking.

Gabriel is a person with strong personal drive and determination. He is adventurous and curious about taking on new challenges, and is undaunted by failure. He will be an asset to the NUS Overseas Colleges Programme. The NOC experience will enhance both his self-development and his abilities as an aspiring entrepreneur. If selected, I am confident that he will be an exemplary ambassador for NUS and Singapore. If you have any questions about this recommendation, please do not hesitate to call me and I will be glad to help.

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