To Whom It May Concern:

It gives me a lot of pleasure to recommend Sahil Sartaj for the MSc program of FT Cancer Genomics and Data Science. I am Dr. Ayatullah Faruk Mollah Assistant Professor and former Head (Officiating) of the Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Aliah University, India. I have had the pleasure of observing Sahil Sartaj closely for four years, first a bright and able student in my classes and later more closely as my student for his B.Tech final year project.

Sahil Sartaj is a very sincere and diligent student with sufficient motivation to excel in his chosen field of studies. He has been consistent in his academics, managing to retain his position amongst the top 3 in the class of 65 students throughout the eight semesters. He academically excelled among his peers, often explained concepts to confused classmates, actively participated during discussion, asked questions to ensure that he had a firm understanding of concepts, and sought additional sources for supplementary problem-solving exercises. He has also shown an innovative nature and ability to think from a non-conventional point of view. I have seen a keen urge in him to understand engineering concepts beyond the theoretical purview reflecting his potential for research. As a science student, he was always meticulous when performing experiments, he led his lab group to successfully complete experiments, he wrote great detailed analytical lab reports, and he worked well with others. Sahil Sartaj is a self-motivated, dedicated, hardworking student of high intelligence who can grasp difficult concepts, think critically and handle the rigor of a competitive college environment. He exhibits the qualities of a leader and promising scientist who truly loves science.

Sahil Sartaj truly impressed me as a student who actively seeks new experiences which support his love for science and technology. On the month of February 2021 Sartaj presented a paper titled “An intelligent system for spam message detection” in the International Conference on Innovation & Sustainability under my guidance. He very diligently undertook a project on Human characteristics through an interaction between the genotype-phenotype map by the Bioinformatics approach during the 5th semester.

Despite being a studious person, Sahil Sartaj was also active in the college extracurriculars and was elected as coordinator of the university Computer Science Day (CS Day) in his 3rd year. He is an ambiguous person showing a lot of enthusiasm for cultural and extracurricular activities. He has completed his Bachelor of Technology degree with an outstanding CGPA of 8.51 out of 10.00. Furthermore, before completing his B.Tech he got selected as a Software Developer in Capgemini company.

In my 20 years as a professor rarely have, I come across a student with such depth of understanding of the foundations of Computer engineering. During my period of collaboration with him, I found Sartaj to be a sincere and hardworking student with a hunger for knowledge and eagerness to help others. He has always been clear about future ambitions and has been preparing for pursuing a master’s degree ever since he started his B.Tech journey. I was delighted when he approached me to write a recommendation for his admission to your esteemed institute. I am certain that the international exposure and modern technologies offered by your institute will benefit his professional career greatly. With his sincere work ethic and never give up attitude towards life, I am confident in my expectation that he will be a valuable addition to the Barts Cancer Institute department. I fully expect him to excel academically and also conduct valuable research. I wish him all the best for his career ahead.

I would be glad to provide further feedback regarding her candidature if required. I am reachable over email at afmollah@aliah.ac.in or via phone at XXXXXXXXX.

Sincerely,

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