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**RE: Steven Hawes**

Dear Selection Committee

I am writing to verify that Steven Hawes is a PhD student at the University of Sydney under my supervision and that I strongly support his application for this award. Steve has conducted innovative work evaluating the importance of various larval processes to the outcomes of biophysical connectivity modelling. His work sits nicely within the themes of the upcoming national meeting ("Connections through shallow seas") and it would be great for AMSA to support him in presenting his work. I hope that you will look favourably upon his application.

Regards,



Will