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To Whom it may concern

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Dear Sir/Madam,

**Re: Reference letter for Jesus Rodriguez**

I am a Professor in the School of Economics, University of Nottingham and I am also the School's Graduate Teaching Assistant Director. It is my responsibility to supervise the GTAs' teaching activities. All GTAs have their teaching evaluated by their students.

Jesus's performance as a GTA was exceptional. Jesus has been involved with teaching small tutorial groups and assessing homework assignments. Jesus has also assisted undergraduates with their dissertations providing various types of advice. These include helping students develop their topic, providing technical assistance with programs and estimation methods and assisting students in presenting their work. Jesus's evaluations are exceptionally good and as a result has been awarded an Excellence in Teaching Award by the School.

Jesus has also been exceptionally flexible and helpful as a GTA well above regular teaching duties. Organizing the teaching activities of GTAs is a complex job. Jesus in more than one occasion was willing to adjust the teaching allocation to accommodate gaps in the schedule. This has shown that Jesus can be an excellent colleague who is willing to work hard and shown flexibility when needed. Jesus is also a very kind person.

Without any hesitation, I strongly recommend Jesus for any teaching job that he might apply for. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you need any further information.

Sincerely,



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