

Porto Alegre, September 10, 2009

To Whom it May Concern,

I am privileged to write in support of Carlos Eduardo Benevides Bezerra, recommending him for a scholarship to pursue postgraduate studies at USI (Università della Svizzera italiana). Carlos has been my advisee, studying in my classroom and working in my laboratory for two and a half years, during which time he obtained a Master's degree in Computer Science, with an A grade. In this period, I could witness his constant effort, responsibility and enthusiasm with his research project.

Carlos entered the postgraduate program in UFRGS in 2007, completing it in the beginning of 2009, as programmed in his work schedule, attesting his responsibility. Right after obtaining his Master's degree, Carlos entered the Doctorate course, which is currently in progress. He has already published several papers this year, what proves his motivation with his research project.

I, therefore, reaffirm my recommendation of Carlos Eduardo Benevides Bezerra to the scholarship offered by FCS (Federal Commission for Scholarships for Foreign Students). I believe that it is an opportunity for him to collaborate with fellow researchers, further improving his academic skills and achieving new objectives, what will be interesting for both UFRGS and USI.

Sincerely,

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