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To whom it may concern,

It is hard to overstate the meaningful contributions that Ali Muzahir has made to our university and surrounding community. As both his 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> semester teacher, I've had the pleasure of seeing Ali make profound contributions both in and out of the classroom. His university and community service is motivated by a strong sense of social justice, which he informs through a nuanced and sophisticated understanding of historical trends and events. I can say with confidence that Ali is one of the most caring and driven students I've ever taught in my seven years at this university.

Ali has a great capacity to draw connections between past and present and to ground his understanding of current issues in the context of historical events. He never retreats to a simple answer or explanation, but is comfortable dealing with ambiguity. Ali's fascination with U.S. and World History and skill for deep analysis have him an exemplary scholar, as well as a motivated activist driven to promote civil rights and work towards social equity.

In sophomore year, Ali noticed that the university planning seminars students attended included little information for first generation or immigrant students. Always thinking about how institutions can better serve people, he identified a need and worked with students and faculty alike to meet it in an extremely effective and beneficial way. Ever the history scholar, he did plenty of research to back up his ideas.

Ali believes passionately in social progress and working for the common good. His own personal experiences, along with his profound grasp on social history, drive his advocacy work. He is a talented, intelligent student with the charisma, confidence, strong values, and respect for others to make a huge difference in the world around him. I'm looking forward to seeing all the good that Ali continues to do for his fellow humanity in college and beyond, as well as the excellent work that he will produce at

this program. Ali has my highest recommendation. If you have any questions, please contact me at [maryam.khan@nu.edu.pk](mailto:maryam.khan@nu.edu.pk).

Sincerely,

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