

Dr. Nick Macias Clark College Department of Engineering and Computer Science 1 March 2020

To whom it may concern,

I'm writing this letter in support of Oleg Kryachun's internship application. Oleg was a student in four of my computer science (CS) courses at Clark College during the 2018-2019 year. He was a very strong student, who came to every class, worked diligently on his assignments, and seemed most focused on understanding and applying concepts (as opposed to simply getting a grade).

Oleg is a hard worker, unafraid of challenges and eager to learn more about whatever interests him. For example, as part of Clark's CS program, students are required to devise and complete a year-long *Service Learning Project* (SLP) of their own choosing. Oleg chose a project that required extending his knowledge of electrical engineering and circuit design, coming up with an invention for which he ended up filing patent paperwork. This is very much the spirit of the SLP assignment, but it is rare for a student to embrace that spirit so fully!

Oleg transferred to WSUV's CS program following completion of his work at Clark, and he has continued building on the work he did at Clark to further his knowledge and skills. He continues to achieve success in his classes and other undertakings.

Given my past experience with Oleg, and what he has done since leaving Clark, I am confident he will be highly successful in an internship, and I hope you will consider him for any opportunities you have.

Sincerely,

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