

Letter of Recommendation

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To whom it may concern,

It is my pleasure to recommend Rizqy Amelia Zein. She worked with the Centre for Information Resilience (CIR) on a project to tackle the spread of disinformation in Indonesia. We support her role as a researcher who focuses heavily on exploring how people relate to scientific and religious explanations behind conspiracy beliefs and disinformation. In the past, Ms Zein also focused on different work to improve the public's level of trust in science.

Ms Zein distinguished herself by submitting exceptionally well-researched and interesting projects. Her work shows her good analytical skills. In addition, Ms Zein also has excellent communication skills. Her written work is concise, clear, and easy to understand for the general audience. She also had good oral articulateness in our discussions on the development of the project.

Not only excelling in working individually, Ms Zein also demonstrated good teamwork skills when working in a group. Through multiple collaborations with Indonesian and CIR colleagues across the world, she gave insightful feedback and built respectful and constructive dialogues. We also need to acknowledge her advanced skills in time management, both when she worked individually and in collaboration since she always stays ahead of deadlines.

At a personal level, Ms Zein has a curious, easy to collaborate with and a supportive team player. She showed great perseverance and initiative. Her enthusiasm and motivation were instrumental in shaping impactful research, contributing effectively to the project's goal to educate people on media literacy and combatting disinformation.

Should you have any enquiries, please contact me at sarah@info.res.org.

Sincerely,

Sarah Videau, Deputy Project Director