

To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure to strongly recommend Nathalie Uwamahoro for the Outstanding TA award.

I am Angelo Fernandez, a Sophomore at Syracuse University and a student that Ms. Uwamahoro has helped out. I first met Ms. Uwamahoro in my python lab from my first year and now I have her again for my data structures lab. Seeing as she did exceptionally well the first time I am very excited to have her again.

During our time together, Ms. Uwamahoro displayed great talents in teaching me new things, explaining what needs to be done, and being alert when someone needed help. Out of all the TAs I've had the pleasure of having, Ms. Uwamahoro was one of the ones that stuck out to me.

One time I can recall her helping me was during a lab. I was close to solving the answer but I couldn't see the right way to think about it. When I code I like to solve the problem myself and often don't like when people just tell me the answer or skip over important bits of information. Ms. Uwamahoro did none of these things and actually helped me solve the answer on my own just by talking to me for a few seconds.

It's not just Ms. Uwamahoro's skills that impress me, however. Ms. Uwamahoro was a joy to be around with her amazingly positive attitude and understanding words. Her way of explaining and speed was also necessary and valued not just by myself but by the professor, who often relied on her to make sure everyone got the help they needed.

I am confident that Ms. Uwamahoro would be a great fit for this award. Not only will she bring the kind of skills and experiences you're looking for in an applicant, but she will prove to be someone people can look up to and a role model people can follow.

If you need more information or specific examples, please do not hesitate to contact me at aferna52@syr.edu. As a recommendation letter likely only provides a snapshot of her talents and achievements, I would be happy to elaborate further on my time working with Ms. Uwamahoro.

Sincerely,

Angelo Fernandez, Sophomore Student