

30th September, 2021.

REFERENCE LETTER FOR MR. ADEKUNLE OMOLE

I write to support the application of Omole Adekunle Isaac into the PhD degree program in civil engineering with a focus on Transportation engineering at the prestigious New York University for admission and graduate assistantship considerations. He completed his bachelor's degree program in civil engineering at the Federal university of technology Akure after successfully satisfying the examiners in final exams.

I had an encounter with Mr. Omole over three years ago at Avozaza nouveau global concept where he exercised his mandatory industrial training program as an intern and since this period, I deduced he is a well-focused and result-driven student whose eyes are on the goals. Hence, I have had him as a professional mentee. He is highly cerebral and possess appreciable prowess in executing laboratory tests which was evident in the successful completion of tasks he was assigned to under my watch. During his stay at the firm under my tutelage at the transportation laboratory, he was keen to learning diverse transportation laboratory tests materials are subjected to with the aim of utilizing these materials for engineering or construction purposes which will play a vital role in the achievement of his career goal of becoming a transportation engineer.

After his internship at Avozaza nouveau global concept, He can independently conduct tests to affirm the usability of bitumen for asphalt works such as the penetration test, softening test, flash and fire point test and the water content test. Also, he was also charged with the responsibility of counting the vehicles placing them into categories which was necessary for the pavement design and the determination of the design speed of the Isolo road in Lagos state.

Mr. Omole possess skills that would enable him to flourish in the graduate school such as the use of R programming language and also proficient in data science which will be highly beneficial to his graduate studies coupled with the analysis of statistical values coined out from his advisor's research works. During his stay with our firm, He solely shouldered the tasks of analyzing results from laboratory works and helped in converting these results into presentable figures. His presence in our firm was really impactful. Having him within any research group will bring a lot in terms of delivery and high level of professionalism both practically and research wise.

He has an excellent communication skill both in writing and in speaking which will make him fit for the graduate assistantship position and also a great team leader who leads by example. He utilized his incredible writing skill for our firm in his stay in bidding for contract.

With the attributes mentioned above, I am more than confident that Mr. Omole Adekunle Isaac would perform excellently in his intending Master's program in civil engineering at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute especially in the lab. He would use the skills and knowledge acquired from this PhD degree program to solve transportation problems in Nigeria.

Thank you.

Yours Faithfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Ajayi", enclosed within a simple, hand-drawn oval border.

Engr. Ajayi, G.V.