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## To Whom It May Concern,

I am delighted to recommend Mr. Brillon Joseph for the position opportunity that is available in your esteemed program. During the summer semester of 2024, I had the privilege of mentoring Brillon as part of his research assistantship program at DIS, which was hosted at the Karolinska Institutet, Clinical Neuroscience Department, on my project, Unveiling Frustration. This experience provided me with valuable insights into his exceptional academic abilities, critical thinking, and collaborative mindset.

My mentorship approach prioritizes a universal design for learning, emphasizing inclusivity, active engagement, and adaptability to diverse academic needs. Within this framework, Brillon demonstrated remarkable growth, actively engaging in interdisciplinary research and thriving in a collaborative, international environment. His contributions were consistently marked by intellectual curiosity, creativity, and dedication to achieving project objectives.

Brillon excelled at analyzing human behavior and the triggers and responses associated with frustration. He leveraged his problem-solving and leadership skills to contribute effectively both independently and in team settings to developing a survey for an experimental study. His peers frequently commended his collaborative spirit and ability to integrate diverse perspectives, while his insightful input enriched group discussions and outcomes.

Notably, Brillon's communication skills stood out in his well-received final presentation, where he delivered complex findings with clarity and precision. This ability, combined with his scientific insight and innovative thinking, highlights his capacity to excel in demanding, intellectually rigorous environments. I am confident that Brillon will be a valuable addition to your program. He will contribute his expertise and inclusive approach to creating a positive, developmental team atmosphere.

Please contact me with any further questions or if you need additional information. I am more than willing to help support Brillon's application.

Sincerely, Hannaneh Yazdi Pronouns: She/Her/Hers Faculty/ Lecturer - Semester & Summer Psychology and Cognitive Neuroscience Program haya@disstockholm.se (+46)72 885 28 78

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