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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This serves to introduce Adrian Watson – a graduate of the Department of Geography and Geology, University of the West Indies. I taught Adrian for approximately three years in various courses in the department and, throughout this period, he demonstrated a strong work ethic and a dedication beyond reproach.

Adrian has above average analytical aptitude and has indicated significant potential for excellence in future endeavours. The discipline of Geography traverses both natural and social sciences and Adrian constantly demonstrated that he is adept at both. He has extensive general knowledge and often contributed valuable insight during class discussions. Adrian is a good communicator and this was repeatedly demonstrated through his delivery during oral presentations which often comprised a part of the coursework. His fervour for insightful participation extended to his attendance and contribution at several public forums of national and local interest.

On a personal level, Adrian had good rapport with his peers and was held in high regard by myself and other staff members because of his seriousness of purpose. He has also demonstrated a strong inclination for leadership through his work with the UWI Geographical Society and various field based exercises which constitute a part of the undergraduate curriculum in the department. Since leaving the department, Adrian pursued entrepreneurial opportunities in bee keeping and has been actively involved in the Caribbean Youth Environmental Network.

I believe Adrian is poised to make significant strides on his path to achieving academic and professional goals. By extension, I am confident he will make an invaluable contribution to national and regional development in years to come. Given his passion for the environment, strong communication and networking skills and demonstrated excellence in fields of leadership and service, Adrian is positioned as an ideal candidate for this fellowship. Accordingly, I strongly endorse his application.

Sincerely,

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