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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I am pleased to recommend Anjali Jayakumar for the PhD program at your institution. Anjali got admitted to the M.Tech program in the Department of Biosciences and Bioengineering at the Indian Institute of Technology Guwahati in July 2019 based on her exceptional GATE percentile (98.6) in the Biotechnology discipline. Currently, she is working on her M. Tech project under my supervision.

Anjali is highly focused on her research. She industriously performs the required experiments for her project and critically analyses the obtained results with perfection. She is very friendly with her seniors and lab mates. The eagerness that she displays for learning something new every day indeed makes her a vibrant addition to my laboratory. She intensively reads and understands the research articles relevant to her project. Her stronghold on the fundamentals of science and engineering enables her to grasp new concepts with relative ease. She is also carrying-out her responsibility as a teaching assistant for the course 'Bio-reaction Engineering'.

As of now, she has maintained a very good overall CPI (Cumulative Performance Index) of 9.81/10.00 in the postgraduate program in which she is enrolled, this proves that she is academically sound. Her problem-solving capability in general is certainly remarkable. She possesses good English-speaking skills; she communicates her ideas with utmost clarity.

At a personal level, Anjali is a well-disciplined person with a pleasant personality. She has spoken to me about her interest in pursuing a doctoral degree at your esteemed institution and I believe that she possesses the necessary knowledge and skillset to accomplish the same. This experience will enable her to acquire international research exposure and achieve overall development. She is one of the most promising students I have encountered in my teaching experience. Since she had proved her excellence at IIT Guwahati, I hope that she will be a great fit for your program as well.

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