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RE: Letter of Recommendation for James Hoffman's Application for Employment

To Whom It May Concern:

I highly recommend James Hoffman for a position at your company based on the outstanding skills and dedication he demonstrated while working in my research group. James initially joined my group in the spring of 2008. He volunteered to work on programming projects that involved in an ultra high vacuum probe station. He used his computer programming expertise to help us automate the probe station. He is a talented and hard working student. His ability to interact with not only members of the group but industry professionals was impressive. James often collaborated with companies to solve equipment malfunctions and to research new equipment for purchase.

Since last spring, James actively participated in my group and gained extensive experience working with high-tech equipment and served as point-person for computer programming issues, which made him an invaluable asset to the team. James worked on my Intel project and assisted my post-doctoral researcher to advance our project entitled, "Fabrication, Structured Characterization and Electrical Properties of Carbon Nanotube Based Devices."

James is an apt listener and quick learner. He always adhered to lab procedures and regulations. James is also an excellent team player and worked extremely well with other members of our group. He is very dedicated and pays close attention to detail, and I truly believe he is ready to work in industry because of his self-motivation and ability to think through complex problems.

It is my pleasure to recommend James Hoffman for a position at your company. I firmly believe that he will make an excellent employee. Feel free to contact me if you need any further information.

Sincerely,

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Professor, Physics Department and Electrical and Computer Engineering
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