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Letter of Reference

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To Whom It May Concern,

I am pleased to recommend Hamid Alakbarli, a student I supervised during the Summer Research Programme 2023 in Artificial Intelligence and Computer Science organised by Maxer Institute at Cambridge Colleges.

Hamid Alakbarli was a delight to be around from the very beginning. Hamid Alakbarli demonstrated exceptional leadership skills by motivating his team to work together and directing the flow of their presentation. Hamid Alakbarli is a very hardworking and committed student. Hamid Alakbarli was confident in speaking English and often acted as the translator for his friends. I have no doubts about his English skills and believe that Hamid Alakbarli will excel in an English-speaking environment. During lectures, Hamid Alakbarli was attentive and asked many questions giving insight into his inquisitive mind. Hamid Alakbarli demonstrated excellent critical thinking and I believe Hamid Alakbarli will do very well in the future.

Hamid has worked tirelessly with enthusiasm throughout the programme engaging in discussions and debates, resulting in improving his language and communication skills. The academic input has further expanded the student's knowledge in the field. Hamid took part in a group project which was presented to peers in the field and the excellent research and work carried out by him has demonstrated his strong capability in critical thinking and leadership in researching public literature and databases as well as impressive communication and organisation skills in working with others to produce an excellent project and presentation.

Hamid Alakbarli wishes to continue further education by studying in an advanced degree programme. Based on Hamid Alakbarli 's skills and capabilities that I have witnessed during this programme and the academic development that this programme has resulted in, I can confidently recommend Hamid Alakbarli for an advanced degree programme.

Best regards,

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