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To Whom It May Concern:

I am the Summer Director for ESEC-BEIDA's English Total Immersion Program (TIP) held at Peking University's Chang Ping Campus. ESEC-BEIDA is China's renowned national training center for Chinese English teachers, government officials, and NGOs, and has been at the forefront of much of China's educational reform for nearly 30 years. I have had the pleasure of knowing Mr. Roy Chan over the last two years, and can attest that he will truly make an outstanding addition to LSAC's Law School Program.

I first met Roy in the summer of 2007 when he volunteered at our TIP campus. Our summer programs are the busiest, with over 400 students at our campus learning English, so I was more than grateful to have Roy join our staff.

Roy's role was to co-facilitate a class of about twenty students and he did an excellent job. He helped develop lesson plans that would engage students with limited proficiency in English. He used manipulatives, visual aids, and cooperative learning to make language learning more easily accessible and concrete. Roy also brought fresh ideas and insight into teaching and engaging students. One of Roy's passions is Global Issues and the Environment, and he was able to bring his knowledge into the classroom and readily share with the students. In one activity, Roy taught basic vocabulary on Global Issues and had his students brainstorm and discuss problems facing China in regards to the environment. They held a mock trial and students got into a lively debate.

In relating with others, Roy worked well with other staff members and he cared for the students. When not in the classroom, Roy tutored struggling students. He was patient and compassionate with them, and was a great encouragement and motivation to these students who lacked confidence. The atmosphere at the TIP campus is always very hectic, with long hours and busy days, however, Roy's attitude remained positive, committed, and a team player.

One of the things I am most impressed with Roy is his hunger to learn. While in China, I saw the Chinese students learning from Roy, yet it was also Roy who was learning from them. In interactions with the students and other staff, Roy was eager to learn more about the Chinese people, the culture, and the language.

Mr. Roy Chan's hard working nature, his spirit of volunteerism, and his eagerness to learn, makes him an outstanding individual in whom I recommend to you without hesitation.

Sincerely,

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