



July 16, 2013

Dear Sir or Madam,

I am writing this letter to give my highest possible recommendation for Katherine Karpovich. As a professor and Lab Director I have come to know and understand the qualities of a good student with a bright future, and Ms. Karpovich has all of these qualities. I have known Katherine since November 2012; since January 2013 she has been working with me as a Research Assistant Intern at the Brain Sciences Foundation.

Katherine is exceptionally motivated and dedicated to her work and always upholds an impeccable work ethic. Her level of intelligence, analytical skills and discipline far surpasses that of her peers. During her time working with me she has accomplished several scientific literature review assignments, two NIH grant proposals and has demonstrated excellent writing and analytical skills. At a personal level, Katherine is a well disciplined, and hardworking individual with a pleasant personality. She went well beyond the scope of her tasks, doing more critical thinking than was required of her and spending more time than was expected of her, while maintaining a high standard of productivity. Throughout her work with me, Katherine demonstrated great perseverance and initiative.

I highly appreciate Katherine's efforts and energy she has contributed to our research projects. I believe that Katherine has a successful future ahead of her in the field that she has chosen. I strongly recommend her for the open position in your company. Please, contact me by e-mail if you would like any additional information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'N. Howard', written in a cursive style.

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