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To whom it may concern,

I am pleased to highly recommend Mr. Javian Ng for the position at your company. He interned with our Computational Immunology team at the Singapore Immunology Network (A*STAR) from May to August 2024. During these three months, I had the opportunity to witness his exceptional problem-solving abilities and his skillful application of data science techniques in biomedical research.

Javian possesses the qualities of an excellent data scientist and problem-solver. Not only is he adept at identifying issues, but he also has a natural ability to develop efficient solutions. Notably, he proposed and implemented innovative approaches in setting up a new pipeline for long-read sequencing—an essential component of a cancer vaccine development project. His ability to learn and apply new skills swiftly is commendable, and his professional and pleasant personality makes him an invaluable asset to the team. Javian also demonstrated effective communication skills, regularly engaging in internal discussions and presenting updates to the project team, which greatly enhanced our research progress.

A major accomplishment during his internship was contributing to our project, "*Refining TCR Clonotype Identification With Long-Read Sequencing Technique*" which led to the acceptance of an abstract at the prestigious Society for ImmunoTherapy of Cancer (SITC) 2024 conference. This achievement highlights his dedication and capability in advancing meaningful research.

In a field where adaptability and accountability are essential, Javian stands out as the ideal candidate. His ability to think on his feet, solve complex problems, and apply data science technology to address real-world challenges makes him an excellent fit for any data-driven company. I am confident that your organization will benefit immensely from his promising talent.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you require any further information.

Sincerely,



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