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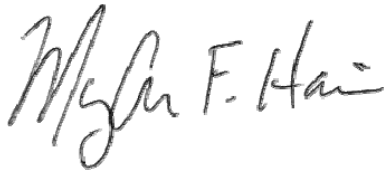
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To Whom It May Concern:

I had the pleasure of working alongside Dr. Eric LaMar while we were both employed at The Institute for Scientific Research, Inc. in Fairmont, WV. Dr. LaMar served as the Principal Investigator of the CAVE project, a multi-million dollar project focusing on cluster computing and visualization, while I served in an equivalent role on a different project. In the course of the project, he led a team of 3-4 software engineers to develop a parallel computation technique based on a GPU. In addition, Dr. LaMar recruited a team of local universities and wrote a successful NSF MRI grant for the acquisition of GPU-based visualization clusters to support local research efforts. He was active in the visualization research community, and attended several conferences in which he presented his original research results.

Dr. LaMar is a very passionate researcher who would be an asset to any visualization research team.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Mary Ann F. Harrison". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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