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To Whom it May Concern,

I am pleased to recommend William Blackledge for the position in your organization. I was able to teach Mr. Blackledge in the Sport Sociology course he took at the University of Florida. He struck me as a bright student who was a critical thinker and good communicator. He was also able to effectively engage with his peers on delicate topics – a skill that set him apart from others.

As you will see from his resume, Mr. Blackledge has considerable experience in the sport, recreation, and hospitality industries. This background, coupled with his master's degree in Applied Physiology and Kinesiology, will serve him well in the industry. That is, he will be able to merge the theoretical and conceptual skills learned in his degree program with his considerable practical experience.

I am pleased to recommend Mr. Blackledge. Please let me know if you have questions.

Peace,



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