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RE: Reference for Alexandra Thompson

To Whom it May Concern:

I am happy to provide a reference for Alexandra (Alexa) Thompson. I have known Alexa for the past four years. She has been a student in the NMU Outdoor Recreation Leadership and Management degree program. During this time, I have known her to be dependable, engaging, smart, and able to produce quality work. Because of this I highly recommend Alexa for a position with your organization.


Alexa is always early to class and often the first person there. She was always prepared when she came to classes. During classes she was attentive and asked question. She produces high quality work in a timely manner. When she is having problems with course content she always seeks out help.

A majority of outdoor recreation classes are a combination of curriculum development and activities related to the curriculum. There are group and individual projects as well as group work in classes. When working with other students Alexa takes a leadership role. She will step up to get things done. Alexa's peers respond positively to her and she is willing to step up and take charge.

Out side of class Alexa has had an impressive work history. She has worked as a Park monitor and Customer Service person for a zip line canopy tour company. She has also provided several different services for our university's Public Safety Department. Alexa also was employed at the universities Outdoor Recreation Center supervising equipment checkout and use and monitoring and maintain the indoor climbing wall. She has had other jobs while in school but these jobs show a particular interest that she has in outdoor recreation facilities and safety for others. It is also important to note that Alexa has worked while taking classes and managed to do both well, which is uncommon.

Because of this I do highly recommend Alexa for a position with your organization. She has been a wonderful student myself and our faculty are proud of her and she sheds a positive light on our university. I am positive that she will shed a positive light on your organization as well.

Please feel free to contact me regarding my recommendation for Alexa.

Sincerely, 
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