

Debasish Dutta, Ph.D. Chancellor

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To Whom It May Concern,

During the 2019-2020 academic year, I had the pleasure of getting to know Nickxit Bhardwaj, an undergraduate student at the University of Michigan-Flint and it is my pleasure to recommend him to you. As Chancellor of the University of Michigan-Flint I have worked with Nickxit on committees and found his approach to campus concerns to be positive and forward-thinking; clearly, he is a leader with great promise.

Mr. Bhardwaj is bright, articulate and enthusiastic about bettering the lives of people and enhancing the campus climate by infusing new perspectives into old concerns and a new consciousness to the student body. Nickxit worked effectively with students, faculty and staff and demonstrated consistent dedication which was evident at every meeting; I was impressed by his skill. Nickxit is thoughtful in his recommendations and steadfast in his resolve to turn ideas into reality so that the campus community benefits. He is insightful which made his recommendations actionable.

Nickxit is a pleasure to work with which I believe is one of the primary reasons he was voted Student Government president by UM-Flint students. He exhibited outstanding leadership on the many committees and organizations where he served as president, vice president, student ambassador, supplemental instructor and tutor, founding member...the list is exhaustive. As the Student Government president, his administration lobbied for Khumute Scooters, the formation of the student food pantry which addresses food insecurities, equal cross campus representation in student government, increased funding to student organizations, student partnerships and funding boards, increased student open forums, student incentive programs...again, the list is exhaustive.

Based on my interactions with Nickxit Bhardwaj, I highly recommend him for any position within your organization, he will be an asset. If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at <u>chancellordutta@umich.edu</u>.

Sincerely,

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