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Recommendation for Paul Giglio:

It is with distinct and sincere pleasure that I write this letter on behalf of Paul Giglio. Paul joined the College at Brockport Residential Life/Learning Communities staff as a Resident Assistant in August of 2008. In his tenure with us Paul proved to be one of the elite RAs and student leaders on our campus. He established and maintained positive working relationships with students, fellow staff members, faculty and staff alike. The College at Brockport was fortunate to have Paul on staff/on-campus and I feel would be an ideal candidate for an entry level professional position or a distinguished graduate program.

I personally admired Paul's strong work ethic, passion for leadership, and overall positive, goal-oriented and outcome-focused attitude. He was tremendously successful academically and took pride in all of his co-curricular responsibilities and in The College at Brockport. Additionally, Paul always sought opportunities to improve his public relation/leadership skills and to seek out new challenges and responsibilities. Specific details of his contributions to our residence hall and campus community include (but are not limited to):

- Implementing his passion/leadership for community development with the RA position by developing/coordinating an abundance of programs and/or team activities that brought members of the campus community together.
- Providing overall leadership to the "Polar Plunge" annual event that raised several thousand dollars for Special Olympics and brought a lifetime of memories to our campus community.
- Served on numerous campus committees as a student representative, including the recent Middle States Review Team.
- Served on the Brockport Student Government as a strong advocate for student engagement and ethics in leadership.
- Served as a Peer Mentor providing additional leadership and guidance to students.

Paul proved time and time again to be the "go-to" person on his staff and in his residence hall through these numerous efforts. Through all of the aforementioned efforts he demonstrated STRONG leadership, communication, time-management, critical-thinking, and public-relations skills.

In addition to his day-to-day responsibilities of the RA position and his academics, Paul also took on additional leadership roles with other departments including the distinguished Delta program on our campus. His ability to balance the numerous responsibilities flawlessly was a testament to his character, professionalism and commitment to excellence. He was always mature and always used sound judgment. In addition, Paul was always conscience of his surroundings, sensitive to the needs of people around him, and paid meticulous attention to detail.

In closing, I hold Paul in the highest regard. He was always a role model to others both on and off campus and exemplified what a great student leader should be. If there are any questions concerning Paul please do not hesitate to let me know. I can be reached directly at (585) 395-5195.

Sincerely,

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