

January 28, 2015

Mr. Jason Harris
Champlain College Graduate Admissions

It is my pleasure to write this letter of recommendation for Michael Bickelmeyer, applicant for Champlain College's online Master of Science in Law Degree program.

I first met Michael in 2005, when he contacted the White House regarding a project he was working on that he believed would benefit the United States Government. Michael and I have become friends since that time and I frequently communicate with him via telephone, email, and in person.

Michael has a list of life-long accomplishments and a very strong work ethic. He is a law abiding citizen and as such, I believe he is a worthy Champlain College applicant.

Please don't hesitate to contact me if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Greg

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January 23, 2015

Dear Champlain College Admissions Committee,

The following is a letter of recommendation for Michael Bickelmeyer for the Masters of Law degree program. I have known Michael since July 2012, when he first took one of my graduate-level management classes, specifically, MMPBL/550: Creativity, Innovation, and Organizational Design.

Since then, we have stayed in touch by telephone and email, primarily due to our mutual interests in product development, and law, though we have each designed, developed, and patent-protected different types of technologies, and have pursued different legal study paths.

Based on my experiences with Michael, he is an exceedingly intelligent and resourceful person, and is exceptionally task and detailed oriented, which makes him an excellent candidate for legal studies. He is an excellent communicator, highly motivated, shows empathy/compassion, is respectful of others, has surmounted difficulties and obstacles, possess practical judgment, shows initiative, shows professionalism, behaves in accord with ethical standards, is reliable, is trustworthy, is honest, is a critical thinker, is an analytical thinker, can synthesize information, is intellectually curious, constructs logical arguments, communicates effectively, writes and debates persuasively, communicates well orally, is a thoughtful and attentive listener, asks appropriate questions for information, can give and receive feedback, prioritizes well, has realistic objectives, fulfills commitments, manages work and time effectively, respects other points of view, work well with people from different backgrounds, motivates others toward common goal, is able to lead, organizes and manages others well, and demonstrates good judgment in leadership decision-making.

Accordingly, I fully encourage and recommend that Michael complete a Master of Management in Law at Champlain College. Please feel free to contact me if you have any future questions.

Very respectfully,



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Rev. Dr. Paul W. Hoffman

Dear Ms. Kugel,

I would heartily recommend Mr. Michael Bickelmeyer to be enrolled in the MPA-ID Program at Harvard University for 2011. I have known Mr. Bickelmeyer for over 12 years as his pastor at St. James Lutheran Church in Cleveland, and I know that he shows the understanding and determination to complete the program.

I'm not altogether aware how he is intellectually suited for the program, but I have had many discussions with him and he seems very gifted for academics and can handle any challenge that he may encounter. He is very much aware of American history and can identify the pressing trends of our times. He has graduated from several other programs and had no problem completing the work. I'm sure he is academically sound.

And yet, I would like to speak about his personal qualities to complete this program. Michael is very determined to complete his goals, no matter how challenging they are. He has endured some turmoil in his family, especially when his father, Delbert Bickelmeyer died, but he didn't become depressed or question his circumstances, but he continues to press forward. He has tried to reach out to his mother and sister, but they continue to rebuff any attempts he has made to achieve reconciliation with them. I'm sure that he will continue to send cards and greetings in hopes that they will seek some form of reconciliation with him. I think his efforts to establish a family peace are very commendable. He understands how he may have some shortcomings in this matter, but he still has made a reasonable effort to make peace with his family.

Michael also faced some difficult times when he didn't have much financial resources to keep going. However, he didn't feel sorry for himself when these troubles happened, but he began to look for other positions to help himself economically. Currently, he has two positions and sometimes he has worked over 70 hours a week, but he still wants to do his best at any position and he completes very well any task which is assigned to him.

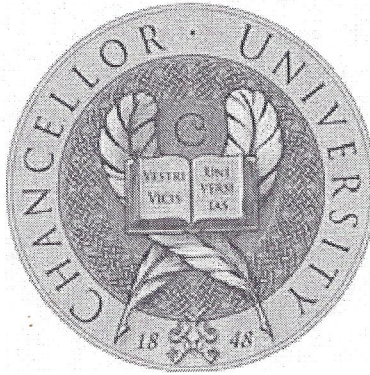
I would also add from a religious perspective that Michael is also a very religious man. He realizes that God is his refuge and strength and he turns to the Lord, no matter

how difficult is his situation. Michael attends worship whenever possible and he is committed to the Lord. In addition, he often volunteers to self in the congregation. For example, Michael participates in activities and he also arranges our outdoor sign in a very attractive way. Even though he has a tiring schedule, he is still willing to serve wherever possible. I greatly appreciate all that he does for St. James.

For these reasons, I heartily recommend that Michael Bickelmeyer be given the opportunity to participate in the MPA-ID Program at Harvard University.

Sincerely yours,

Pastor Paul Hoffman



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Harvard University
Attention: Admissions
Reference: Letter of Recommendation for Michael Bickelmeyer

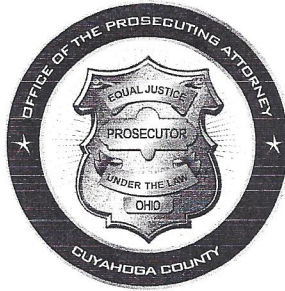
It is my pleasure to submit this letter of recommendation for Michael Bickelmeyer as part of his requirement for acceptance into Harvard University. Michael attended and graduated from Chancellor University in June 1996 with a Bachelor of Science degree in General Business.

Michael did extremely well in his business courses and, overall, graduated in the top half of his class. Michael has demonstrated a "*don't quit*" as it relates to his education. He started his education at the community college level, took a few courses at Kent State University and successfully finished his program at Chancellor University in very strong fashion.

I have no doubt that Michael Bickelmeyer will be successful in the graduate program at Harvard University. I find Michael to be highly intelligent, committed in his pursuits and academically driven. Please feel free to contact me directly if you require further information regarding Michael Bickelmeyer.

Sincerely,

Dr. A Lee Smith
Dean, College of Business and the
Jack Welch Management Institute
Chancellor University



BILL MASON
CUYAHOGA COUNTY PROSECUTOR

April 30, 2010

To Whom It May Concern,

It is with honor and pleasure that I write to you on behalf of Michael Bickelmeyer for admission to law school. As an attorney working in the field of law for over twenty years, I know the hard work and dedication it takes to be successful.

Michael is a very intelligent and logical thinker. I admire his disciplined approach not only pertaining to his studies but on a personal level as well. Michael views situations, problems, or opinions with an open and clear mind. He possesses the skills and motivation necessary to study law and I believe he will thrive as a student and lawyer.

Michael has proven to be very honest and determined. I recommend him without hesitation for a spot in your incoming class of law students. Please feel free to contact me if you need further information.

Very Truly Yours,

Bill Mason
Cuyahoga County Prosecutor

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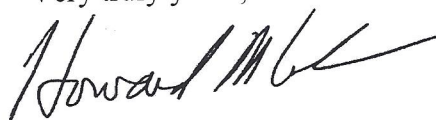
To Whom It May Concern

This letter is in reference to the admission application submitted to your institution by Michael Bickelmeyer.

As a patent attorney representing Mr. Bickelmeyer in the filing of a provisional patent application, I can attest to his skills in the assiduous pursuit of any project he undertakes. Mr. Bickelmeyer has a keen sense of attention to detail, to thorough research, and to following through on endeavors undertaken. He is not afraid to persist in his quest and attempts to overcome obstacles.

Should you need to contact me, please do not hesitate to do so.

Very truly yours,



Howard M. Cohn

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To the Law School Admission Council
Ref.: Michael Bickelmeyer

I have been asked to write a letter of Recommendation on behalf of Michael Bickelmeyer.

Michael has been employed by U. S. Security Associates since September of 2006. He has been a direct report to me for the last year. During this time I have come to respect Michael not only as an employee, but as a friend.

In the work environment, Michael is very diligent in his duties. He is one of the most responsible employees I have. When Michael is scheduled to work, I never have to worry about him showing up. He is always on time and ready to answer his duties when needed. Michael shows true diligence in his work ethic as well. He performs his duties when asked and always out performs our expectations or the expectations of our clients.

Michael is one of a few employees I can put at any site, at any time, and to perform any duty, and never have to worry about the job being carried out. He is extremely responsible and trustworthy.

The clients who have utilized Michael's services all comment on his friendly demeanor and his willingness to satisfy their needs. He is highly respected by the clients and their customers as well.

As a friend, Michael will go out of his way to help another person. Be it stranger or acquaintance, if they are in need and Michael can help, he will. Michael treats everyone no matter the race, religion, or sex with the same compassion and friendship.

I think Michael will be a great asset to your school as well as a great student. Michael has my highest recommendation to your school.

Respectfully yours,

Larry A. Szczepanski

