



To: Whom it may concern

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Dear Sir/ Madam,

Reference letter for WONG Wai Lam for the application of participation in the 2nd Hong Kong Laureate Forum

It is my pleasure to recommend Wong Wai Lam for joining the 2nd Hong Kong Laureate Forum.

I have known Wai Lam since 2022 during her study in BSc (Hons) Occupational Therapy in Department of Rehabilitation Sciences, The Polytechnic University of Hong Kong. She was a bright student with a CGPA 3.33 which is about the top Q1 (25% percentile) of the class, particularly she got a A and A- in the subjects Clinical Sciences in Psychiatric Conditions, and Clinical Sciences for Medical & Neurological conditions respectively. She is now in the 3rd year of the study and expected to graduate in June 2026.

Apart from her good academic result, she has participated actively in various extra-curricular activities such as the 'We Care We Share' project sponsored by the Keswick Foundation, in promoting community rehabilitation in the rural areas in mainland China. She is dedicated to promoting occupational therapy and eager to leverage her knowledge in innovations and new developments in life and medical sciences. Recently, she has reached out for presentation at the 8th Asia Pacific Occupational Therapy Congress 2024, and the Community Rehabilitation Network 30th Anniversary cum Hong Kong Society for Rehabilitation 65th Anniversary Conference 2025. She is now working under my supervision for her Capstone project titled 'Identification of cognitive impairment during food preparation task in older adults through AI-assisted video capture detection'.

I am pleased to have the opportunity of providing recommendation to Wai Lam for her application to the 2nd Hong Kong Laureate Forum. If I can provide additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at rsnkfong@polyu.edu.hk.

Yours Sincerely,

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