Letter of Recommendation for Dr Andrij Baumketner

Dr Andrij Baumketner spent several time with our group of computational physics at the Department of Computational Science. Faculty of Science and the Graduate School of Natural Science and Technology. Kanazawa University. Japan while he was employed by the JST and Kanazawa University from October 2000 to March 2002. While he was with us, he took part in our project of molecular association researches, in which he got mostly involved in the protein folding computation with various molecular based effective models. Our main interest at that time was to construct the most effective model for the protein folding mechanism as well as computationally better algorithms for such a particular problem. Along these purposes he worked very hard in good collaboration with us through these years. By his outstanding contribution we could reach to several interesting and important results, some of which were published in international journals as several original papers. I can say that he was one of my best students and coworkers ever. He is a nice young guy not only because of his talent in researching ability, but also his personal character with warm friendship and positive mind for the life.

With best regards

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