

Application Related Information

Application: Application Not Verified
Grad Program Applying To: MPA

Iteration Name: 202410_GR_G
Program Name: MPA

Recommendation Information

Recommended By: Matt Robles
Recommenders Institution: Steilacoom HS
Waive Access to Recommendation Ltrs: I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.

Recommendation Form Submitted: ✓

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Recommendation Type: General

Recommendation Entity ID: 1024000110132377

Recommenders Title: Instructor/Coach

Contact Name: Samuel Miller

Recommendation Waiver Choice: I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.

Recommendation Status: Received

Recommender Assessment: I recommend this applicant without reservation.

Recommender Form: MPA Letter of Recommendation/Form

Recommendation Owner: Josephine Bernier

Recommender Form Questions

How long have you known applicant:	8 years	Applicant ability as self-directed learner:	Sam is a high level self-directed learner.
Time since last contact with applicant:	Within last week.	Applicant as productive member of group:	Outstanding. Has worked well in teams since the day I have met him.
Relationship with Applicant:	Former student/player	Applicant most significant strengths:	He his extremely reliable and accountable.
Ability to complete rigourous grad program:	Outstanding	Responsibility/reliability:	Outstanding
Communication Skills - Oral:	Outstanding	Communication skills - written:	Outstanding
Service Orientation-sensitivity/empathy:	Outstanding	Ability to work independently:	Outstanding
Ability to handle stress:	Outstanding	Ability to think critically:	Outstanding
Ability to analyze/problem solve:	Outstanding	Ability to think creatively:	Outstanding
Openness to feedback:	Outstanding	Potential for leadership:	Outstanding
Ability to work in a team:	Outstanding	Personal/professional reflection:	Outstanding

Description Information

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Other Information

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To whom it may concern:

My name is Matt Robles and I am an instructor on campus at Steilacoom High School in Steilacoom, WA along with currently being the Head Boys Basketball Coach. I am writing this letter on behalf of Sam Miller. Having the opportunity to get to know Sam over the last eight years has been a tremendous honor and privilege. Sam was part of our DECA program (when I was the program advisor) at my previous school, Peninsula High School. DECA is a program designed to teach leadership and entrepreneurship skills through business and marketing activities, and he was born for programs like this. His natural leadership ability has shown time and time again as he participated in that program while Sam was in high school. Watching him grow and mature in to the young man he is today has been an absolute pleasure to witness. It has also giving me a great understanding of what type of person he is: a caring, giving, smart, hard-working, selfless and tough-minded individual. He was exactly what we were looking for as a member of the boys' basketball program at Peninsula High School during my time there. And he continues to do demonstrate these leadership capabilities to this day as a young adult. He is someone that represented the Peninsula community with great pride and led his peers on and off the court. He comes from a great family and has the foundation and work ethic to be a great fit for any university or program that is lucky enough to have him.

I am not a man of many words but I hope you take this succinct letter as my strong recommendation for Sam Miller to be a part of your university. I recommend he be included into your program or organization and let him blossom into the incredible leader I know he will become. I am looking forward to watch him continually grow, be the 'life-long learner' he has set out to be, and the young man I am proud to know as he continues his journey to fulfill his hopes and dreams.

I cannot be more proud to have coached and taught Sam while he was in high school, then watch him graduate college and enter the work force and be a successful young man. He is an absolute 'star' in the making and I know you will share the same feeling after you get to know him.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Respectfully,

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