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To whom it may concern:

This letter is to confirm that Carlos Fabian Florez was accepted as a non-credit student in Dallas at the University of Texas Southwestern campus last fall from August to December 2007. While he was here, he took 2 classes I taught that fall: Introduction to Epidemiology (3 semester credit hours) and Thesis Preparation (2 semester credit hours). The total semester credits is 5 hours and the total class time spent over the entire semester is 75 hours (5 hours over 15 weeks).

His work in these classes has prepared him to approach research for highway safety in Colombia with an epidemiological perspective. I know that with continued work and collaboration with myself and other professors at the UT Houston Health Science Center, his research will impact Colombia's highway safety, and perhaps other arenas of injury prevention.

If you have any other questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

Bahman S. Roudsari, MD MPH PhD