

June 26, 2006

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Re: Letter of recommendation Chris LaGrand

To Whom it May Concern:

It has been my pleasure to work with Chris LaGrand for nearly 6 years at Sun Microsystems, Inc.

During that time, Chris managed Sun's broadcast public relations program and was instrumental in securing television air time for high level Sun executives including myself on top tier national and international outlets including CNBC and the BBC.

For the past two years and until his departure from Sun, Chris served as executive producer and anchor of Sun News Today, a ground breaking online news program he created in 2004. Chris traveled the world and produced compelling feature stories which aired on Sun's website. The segments highlighted how innovative Sun technologies helped customers meet the daily challenges of network computing. These videos were also key components at Sun's global customer briefing centers and tradeshow and were a valuable tool for our sales force.

In short, Chris is a multi-talented professional who is a strong writer, deadline oriented and brings credibility on camera. He's a team player and capable of working with colleagues across multiple departments within an organization. Chris has excellent people skills and served the company well while interfacing with key customers around the world.

Chris' diverse broadcast background, indepth knowledge of video production and creative marketing skills would make him an asset to any organization and I highly recommend hiring him.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Jonathan Schwartz". The signature is written in a cursive style and includes a horizontal line extending to the right.

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