

**To whomsoever it may concern**

**Subject: Recommendation letter for Vyjayanti Vasudevan**

Dear Sir / Madam,

My name is Nihar Vartak and I'm one of the co-founders of Asteria Aerospace Limited. Asteria operates in the robotics space with design & development as well as production of unmanned aerial vehicles or drones as they are popularly known. The company was founded in 2011 and has grown from a team of 10 people in 2016 to a strength of over 300 people making it one of the fastest growing drone startups in Southeast Asia.

I'm writing to introduce Ms. Vyjayanti Vasudevan, who had the opportunity to complete internship at Asteria this past winter (December 2023 – Jan 2024) and offer a reflection of her interaction with my team.

Vyjayanti as a 11th grader was hugely impressive in the knowledge, she brought from day 1 and showed her keen aptitude to turn theory into practice from the start. She performed her tasks with maturity beyond her years and the team could evidently see her great degree of enthusiasm for practical applications along with her passion for robotics. Her unique strength is seeking both academic and practical excellence in a variety of fields like Biosciences, Biostatistics and Robotics. My team's biggest observation of her was this is someone who down the road would not just be satisfied with academic success but would relentlessly pursue developments till they are deployed and commercialised. I look forward to seeing her impact in her chosen field of Bioengineering/Biosciences with a multi-pronged approach.

I strongly believe that Vyjayanti will be a great contributor and asset to whichever field she chooses and team/institution she joins in her future.

Sincerely,



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