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To Whom It May Concern:

I am very happy to recommend Ryan Hardt to be a student volunteer at ICSE 2012. Ryan is a Ph.D. candidate who is performing his research under my supervision. Ryan completed his MS in Computer Science with me also. Ryan's research involves a new approach to software build systems that we believe will make build refactoring easier. Being a student volunteer at ICSE would be very valuable to his research because he will meet other software engineering students and will be able to share his research ideas and interests with them. The exposure to advanced software engineering research at the conference as a whole will expand his intellectual horizons beyond what is possible from simply reading papers.

Ryan has been a teaching assistant and lecturer in our department for several years now. He is extremely organized and systematic. He is one of the best TAs I have ever had and he is also able to run a course independently. He is a native speaker of English and has a very standard American accent. He is a helpful and thoughtful person. He will be a fine volunteer at ICSE.

Sincerely,

Ethan V. Munson
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