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To whom it may concern,

It is my pleasure to recommend Sean McQuillan in his pursuit of a career in the broadcast, film, and media areas. I've had the privilege of working as Sean's supervisor since the start of his fall 2023 semester during his work on ACC Network broadcasts with Pitt Studios.

One quality about Sean that's become clear during the six months I've known him is that he does not waste time. Many first-year students use their first semester of college to test the waters, try things out, and not load too much onto their plate. Sean, however, dove right in and has truly made the most of his college experience right from the start. In addition to his work here at Pitt Studios and the ACC Network, Sean is heavily involved at WPTS Radio (Pitt's student station), he's a member of the Pitt Club Volleyball team, and he's building invaluable television experience working on Pitt's student morning news show, *Pitt to the Point*.

Sean has never been one to decline an opportunity to learn or pursue a new task. Early in this academic year, we had a last-minute need for someone to work as an Associate Director on one of our Pitt Volleyball broadcasts on ACC Network Extra and the ESPN App. Knowing that Sean had a strong volleyball background, we threw him into the position, and he did a really good job, especially for a college freshman in his first semester.

We've really enjoyed having Sean on our Pitt Studios team this academic year, and we're also excited to see him reach his full potential in his time as a student. Through his television and broadcasting experiences in high school and now college as well, Sean has set himself up well for a career in this business.

In conclusion, I am pleased to recommend Sean McQuillan in his future work endeavors and would happily welcome any questions regarding my experiences with Sean here at the University of Pittsburgh.

Sincerely,

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