

Friday, 21stth July, 2023

To whom it may concern,

Academic reference for Salma Mohammed

It is my pleasure to warmly and strongly recommend Salma Mohammed for MSc programmes in mental health.

I was Salma's supervisor for her final year project on the consequences for well-being of adverse experiences in 'cross-sex' friendships. In this capacity I also served as Salma's Academic Advisor in her final year.

Salma was always engaged, conscientious, warm, and insightful in supervision meetings. She worked hard on her project and took feedback well. I am conscious in writing this reference that Salma would probably have emerged with a first-class degree classification had she got a first-class mark in her dissertation. But her work was strong, her attitude fantastic, and just not quite reflected in the final mark. I think Salma learned a lot from the experience and gained confidence in statistics and the construction of arguments and will in future show similarly excellent performance in her dissertation/research work as she has in her module work.

Salma also did extremely well in her placement year and showed great resilience in dealing with some very difficult situations working with school students in a counselling setting. She's empathic and professional in her work, has an excellent interpersonal style, works well with others, and is committed to making a positive difference in people's lives.

It is my belief that she will not only succeed in her postgraduate studies but make a positive difference to the cohort of an MSc climate in her dedication, warmth, and collegiality.

Yours Sincerely,



Robbie Sutton, PhD
Professor of Social Psychology

School of Psychology
University of Kent
Canterbury, CT2 7NP
Email r.sutton@kent.ac.uk