Name and year in school: Destiny Kennedy, Senior at University of South Carolina

Home address and phone: 8100 Garners Ferry Road Apt 1113 (803)397-8639

School address and phone: 800 Sumter St, Columbia, SC 29208 (803) 777-4105

College major: Broadcast Journalism

College honors, offices, and activities: Overall hours 100, National Association of Black Journalism

High school attended and any honors, offices, and activities: Dreher Highschool, Drama Club, Cheerleading, Chorus.

Accomplishments, experiences, or information: I am a certified nursing assistant and have been since I was 18 years old. I have my Associates degree in Paralegal Studies. Outside of school I work as an acting coach and mentor to kids ages 5 to 18 at the DeAbreu Agency.

My name is Destiny Kennedy, and I am a senior at the University of South Carolina. I transferred at the beginning of 2020 from Midlands Technical Collage with my Associates in Paralegal Studies. At UofSC I am majoring in Broadcast Journalism and minoring in Film and media. I am set to graduate Spring of 2023. As you can imagine I have acquired student loan debt over the years. I have also had to pay out of pocket with the help of my mother. My mother works two jobs to help me financially with school. This scholarship would take a lot of stress off me and her. It would give me the opportunity to take a break from work and focus on my studies. As a senior I am entering into the broadcast senior semester this Fall, which is from 9 am to 5 pm. That is a job in itself. It will be extremely difficult to juggle that and work. With this being my third career change I really want to do well. I believe that the third time is a charm because I absolutely love broadcast. I love that I get to tell stories and create how the viewer sees it through footage. My goal is to become a multifaceted journalist. I would love an internship that will give me an opportunity to be creative and hands on. I want to be to be cross trained in as much as possible. I could see myself being an anchor, producer, field reporter, and working on the graphics/content side of things. I enjoy our broadcast program at UofSC because they give us the opportunity to all those jobs. This scholarship will help set me up for success as my time at UofSC comes to an end.

Thank you.

Destiny Kennedy

Two references: Ericka DeAbreu (803)237-4583, James Cunningham (803)476-2746

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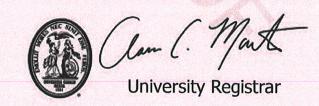
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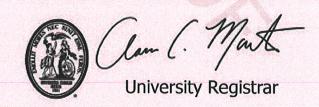
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Letter of Recommendation

Date: March 10, 2022

Dear Pete Poore, RTDNAC Scholarship Chairman,

My name is Ericka DeAbreu and I am proud to offer my recommendation of Destiny Kennedy to who I have personally known for 10 years and has been employed for 4 years at the DeAbreu Agency.

During my relationship with Destiny, I have experienced an individual who shows up earlier than asked, works hard, and carries themselves in a polite, respectable manner, in addition, Destiny is a kind person who has always presented themselves with levelheadedness and grace.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you should require any further information.

Best,

Ericka DeAbreu

Date: March 10, 2022

(803) 237-4583

Ericka@deabreumodeling.com

Letter of recommendation

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to recommend Destiny Kennedy. I have known her for 8 years as her mentor in the medical field as a nursing assistant.

During the certified nursing assistant program Destiny was always asking questions to improve her skills. During the program she was always the first one in and the last one out.

Among the students that I have mentored Destiny never failed to deliver. An example was during clinicals a fellow classmate wanted to give up and Destiny took the time to not only complete her assigned duties, but help the other student finish out her duties.

Destiny is a joy to work with and I wouldn't hesitate to collaborate with her again.

Should you have any further questions about her, feel free to reach me at (803)476-2746.

Thanks,

James Cunningham, CNA (803)476-2746
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