



October 6, 2025

To Whom It May Concern:

I am delighted to provide this letter of recommendation for Danilo Soto in support of his application to your university. He is an extraordinary young man whose perseverance, character, and insight will make him a valuable addition to any academic community.

Danny's determination and resilience have made him a standout member of our community. Despite facing a number of challenges in his personal life, including those that come with being an individual with autism, Danny has demonstrated an impressive ability to persevere and grow. Navigating the complexities of autism is difficult for anyone, but Danny has faced these challenges with courage, maturity, and a remarkable sense of self-awareness. His journey toward understanding his own identity and strengths is not only inspiring—it speaks to a deep inner strength that cannot be taught, only earned through experience and reflection.

Danny is not afraid to try something new, recognize that it may not be the right fit, and begin again with renewed purpose. Rather than seeing missteps as failures, Danny views them as opportunities for learning and growth. This mindset has made him more thoughtful, more confident, and more resilient. It has also allowed him to develop a clear sense of direction and an honest understanding of who he is and who he wants to become.

Resilience is the word that comes to mind when I think of Danny. His ability to bounce back from setbacks, reflect on his experiences, and continue moving forward is one of his defining characteristics. He is eager to learn, open to new experiences, and deeply committed to his personal and academic growth. Your university would be fortunate to have him—not only for his individual potential but for the many gifts he will bring to your community.

I give Danilo Soto my highest recommendation. I am excited to see all that he will accomplish in the years ahead.

Warm regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Melissa Rosenberg".

Melissa Rosenberg