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To whom it may concern,

The University of Ottawa has collaborated in the past with Mr. Felix Weekes of the IC-Children and Youth (ICCYOUTH) program in providing support through an in-school mentorship program aimed at assisting children and youth at risk on their journey towards school and community successful integration.

The Seal/Sela research group at the School of Human Kinetics has recently been working with Mr. Weekes to help, through research initiatives, in the adaptation of a mentorship/social integration program in conjunction with the Odawa indigenous program. In this matter we have already started discussions leading to the development of targeted applied research initiatives, involving indigenous youths aimed at the adaptation and implementation of such program focused on indigenous culture.

Do not hesitate to contact me should you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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