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To Whom it May Concern:

I am writing this letter in support of the University of Saskatchewan's Space Design Team (USST). As representatives of both the College of Engineering and the University of Saskatchewan, the USST has served as proud ambassadors at past international competitions and within the local community.

With a team consisting of more than thirty student and alumni-members, the USST has representatives from across multiple disciplines including: engineering, physics, computer science, finance and accounting. The team is united by a common passion for the development of next generation space technologies. The USST has gained international recognition for their participation at the NASA Space Elevator Competitions and the 2nd Annual Japan Space Elevator Technology and Engineering Competition. Current projects underway are the High Altitude Balloon Launch and preparing for their participation in the 2014 University Rover Challenge in Utah.

While committed to the development of space technologies, the USST has served as a model of interdisciplinary collaboration and showcases the unlimited potential of uniting talents from across the several university departments with one common goal. Team members gain valuable knowledge and experience through their participation with while embracing the opportunity to share their excitement of space, science and engineering with numerous elementary and high school students across Saskatoon.

I am confident that the USST will bring home another great achievement in the 2014 University Rover Challenge and continue to serve as proud representatives of the college. Please join me in celebrating the University of Saskatchewan's Space Design Team's ongoing success.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'G. Kipouros'.

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