MEMORANDUM

TO: Alex Shigenaga

International Programs and Global Engagement

FROM: Jinsong Ouyang, Ph.D.

Graduate Coordinator

Department of Computer Science

SUBJECT: Optional Practical Training for

The above named student is an international graduate student pursuing a Master of Science degree in Software Engineering at California State University, Sacramento. As of now, he has completed the course work for his degree program and is working on his master's project which he plans to complete in . He is interested in obtaining practical experience to enhance his degree and would, therefore, like to apply for an optional practical training permit in the United States.

I endorse his application for such a permit. This type of internship will greatly complement and enhance the formal education he is receiving in our program and will help establish his future career goals.