## Letters of Recommendation for Ark Dutt

Recommendation from Amber Samdahl Director of Design & Innovation at PBS Wisconsin

December 20, 2024

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## Recommendation from Russ Wirtz

Principal Software Engineer at NinjaTrader

December 17, 2024

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## Recommendation from Rebekah Novak Software Project Manager at WCER

October 1, 2024

I have the pleasure of working with Ark Dutt during his time as a student developer on the software development team at the Wisconsin Center for Education Research (WCER). Ark demonstrates a thorough and meticulous approach to his work, carefully considering every detail. His work tackling complex development tasks, especially on our older application, is commendable.

Ark has a commitment to quality. While he takes his time to complete tasks, this is a testament to his desire to deliver clean code. During his time on the team, Ark has shown a willingness to learn and grow. With guidance, he has improved his communication and collaboration skills.

I recommend Ark for any development role where attention to detail and a methodical approach are valued. He would be an asset to any team.