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**To Whom It May Concern:**

This letter is to confirm that **Chenchen Zheng** successfully completed an independent software development project through the **CS Marketplace program at the University of Wisconsin–Madison** from **June 2, 2026, through August 25, 2026**.

Chenchen worked under the mentorship of **Professor Jiwei Zhao** and **Professor Yang Lu** on a project titled **Submission Studio: An AI-Assisted LaTeX Submission Preparation System**. The project focused on developing a macOS-first desktop application that helps researchers transform LaTeX manuscripts into submission-ready packages for different academic conferences and journals while addressing venue-specific formatting and submission requirements.

Chenchen independently carried out the design and development of the system. She built an end-to-end local workflow that allows users to import a LaTeX project, select a target publication venue, perform AI-assisted and rule-based conversion, compile the resulting manuscript, review venue-specific requirements, and export the converted source files and submission artifacts.

A key component of the project was a **human-in-the-loop verification workflow** that combines automated processing with structured review. The system provides requirement-aware previews and checks that distinguish automatically verified items from issues requiring human attention. Chenchen also addressed technical challenges involving LaTeX compilation, citations and references, document layout, anonymity requirements, page limits, metadata, and venue-specific packaging.

The project was originally planned as a **15-week CS Marketplace project**. Because development progressed ahead of schedule, Chenchen completed the planned project work earlier than anticipated. She concluded the project with a **final presentation on August 25, 2026**, attended by CS Marketplace representatives and her project mentors.

This letter is provided at Chencheng Zheng's request as formal documentation of her participation in and successful completion of the CS Marketplace project.

**Sincerely,**

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