

**Letter of Recommendation
for
Ober Delgado**

I am happy to write a letter of recommendation for Ober Delgado, who has been a student in my English 2010 writing class this semester at Salt Lake Community College (SLCC).

Ober has distinguished himself in the class by doing excellent work on thirteen writing assignments during the sixteen-week course. In addition, Ober entered and was selected to deliver a speech during the April 9, 2012, Social Justice competition held in conjunction with SLCC. I attended his performance. He gave an outstanding Power Point presentation and generated more questions during his question and answer period than any of my other six students. He chose to write about streamlining general education classes by placing the teaching of them back to the high schools and allowing students to pay only for the classes which benefit their majors, thus helping them secure degrees more efficiently. He has a point in that European countries like Germany and France already do this.

Ober wants to major in public relations. He has already garnered much experience to do so. In his home country, he was a disc jockey for a national radio station and was asked to write copy for radio and television programming, having come to the attention of producers by his exceptional work as a disc jockey. This speaks well for Ober. In addition, he served a mission for the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints in the United States. This has given him much public speaking experience as well. When Ober gave an additional presentation in my classroom, he was relaxed and confident. His background experience was obvious as he mastered the presentation before his classmates. He speaks English fluently.

Ober's story coming to America is a poignant one. He tried many avenues before he won the Visa lottery in his home country. He even paid \$1500 up front, not knowing if the money would go to waste or give him that priceless Green Card, a ticket to the land of his dreams.

I want Ober to succeed; he has come so far--and by himself. It must be something within his spirit which motivates him. He has certainly demonstrated his optimistic capacities, getting as far as he has. He will be graduated from SLCC with his Associate's degree this spring. I am hoping you will give him an additional chance to create a successful life here in America.