

March 4, 2008

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To Whom It May Concern

Dear Sir/Madam:

I am an international student in lawful F-1 status since (Month-Year) at the State University of New York at Plattsburgh (SUNY Plattsburgh). The city of Plattsburgh is located 500 km north of New York City and 100 km south of Montréal. The college sponsors many field trips to Montréal to visit museums, universities, and monuments, as well as to attend a variety of social activities. In addition, because Montréal is very close to Plattsburgh, some of the classes at SUNY Plattsburgh require students to conduct field assignments and group projects there.

As a student at Plattsburgh, I would like to experience as much as I can before I go back to my home country. I would like to visit Montreal and participate in all class activities in order to receive good grades that will help me to complete my degree. Therefore, I am applying for a multiple-entry Canadian tourist visa to allow me to visit places like Montréal, Québec and other cities in Canada as many times as I can until (the expiration date of your I-20 (item # 5 on your I-20) which is the expected completion date of my degree.

I have attached to this letter my tourist visa application (form IMM 5257), bank statement, enrollment verification letter from SUNY Plattsburgh, valid passport, valid I-20 and an unofficial copy of my transcripts.

Please give favorable consideration to my tourist visa application.

Thank You,

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