

Dorian Jordan (MJ)

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Summary

New license Professional barber with three years of experience. Skilled in styling long beards with straight razor to give crispy and symmetrical lineups. Able to give clients outstanding barber services. Obtaining and navigating new barbering techniques by networking with other professional barbers.

Education

A&M Barber Academy

April 2021 August 2021

Houston Barber School

January 2022 - September 2022

Experience

Houston Barber School, Student Barber

June 2019 - December 2021

- Consulted with customers about cuts and hairstyles to fit their desired image
- Forced myself to cut all types of hair to diversify my hair cutting skills
- sanitized and maintained haircutting station and equipment

Buor Live barber battle, Student barber

July 2022

- Competed in the fast fade
- Competed in Best Artistic Design
- Engaged with different barbers
- Learned different techniques when cutting faster

A&M Barber Academy, Student

January 2018 - May 2018

- studied the basics of cutting and styling shorter hair
- Cleaned the shop and fellow barbers' stations
- Shadowed experienced barbers when meeting with clients
- Acquired knowledge on cutting hair, sanitation, and proper business etiquette

Volunteer Work

- Houston Barber School block party hair cutting event

- Free haircuts for the homeless

Certifications/awards

- Certificate of Barbering, September 2022
- 3rd place award for Best Artist design in barber battle, July 2022
- Barber license, November 2022

Skills

- Firm leadership
- Teamwork
- Hairstyle maintenance
- Excellent Clipper and scissor usage
- Exceptional client retention
- Advanced Interpersonal Communication.
- Supreme Public Speaking & Articulation
- Respectfully Communicating with Difficult People
- Above Average Mediation and Conflict Resolution.
- Striking Graphic Design & Presentation prep.
- Remarkable Event Planning & Project Coordination.
- Mature Financial Management.
- Strong Moral Compass & Ethical Reasoning.

Character References

With great enthusiasm, I recommend Dorian Jordan as an asset to any employer. As the President of the National Men of Honor Association, I had the privilege of working side by side with Dorian.

Dorian is truly a man with an exceptional work ethic and commitment to do what is right at all times. Dorian has great character and is a role model for everyone involved with our association. Dorian has never arrived late to any commitment or meeting and I've seen him go the extra mile countless times — Therefore, I can first hand attest to his punctuality and reliability.

Please feel free to connect with me if you have any further questions. I'd be happy to discuss my glowing recommendation for Dorian Jordan.

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Dorian Jordan took my English class spring of 2018, but his reputation as a thinking person had preceded him. He had been a fascinating force in my colleague's English class, and so I heard all about compelling questions that Dorian had raised in my friend's class and in-office hours, points that he had made in papers, and about Dorian's compelling ambitions. Word was, Dorian stood out. As I have gotten to know Dorian myself, I can say that he lives up to the hype.

Part of Dorian's compelling forcefulness comes from his energy: he not only seems to be everywhere on campus, bringing singular sunshine and eagerness to engage or to shake hands or to make an observation or kick off a conversation, but he also seems to have endless creative energy for projects. Dorian was one of the original driving forces behind a student playwriting collaboration on campus, for instance. He was one of the genuinely charismatic actors in the group. His wit and charisma persuaded everyone involved that improv acting was sometimes electrifying and worthwhile. The playwriting club asked him to come to an organizing meeting of the executive board to advise us on the process of forming an official club because he had already done so on his own. He showed up to that meeting with a full-fledged presentation, complete with an analysis of why the organization needed to articulate a far-reaching vision, as well as specifics about each person's role in that process. He has energy and initiative.

Dorian has also been the driving force behind a number of other projects that I happen to know about including JagStream, which Dorian invented and enlisted students to join, in order to produce artful videography on campus and the Men of Honor Association, which works to instill young men and women with the skills they need to be positive role models and responsible young adults.

Dorian is also a compelling intellect, and his intellect has the flavor of a public speaker. He took my composition class, and I worked with him to channel his larger than life personality and intellect into a focused academic format. But unlike when I meet with most first-year college students, I had the sense of working with him that I was not dealing with a novice thinker. I kept having the sense that this was a person who thinks. Thinking is something that already belongs to him. Eventually, it came out that he spends hours and hours of every week educating himself by listening to or watching TED Talks or other videos of speakers presenting on substantive topics. He has trained his ear and his personality and his mind through an intense engagement with public speaking.

So I recommend Dorian. He is exceptional. He is larger than life. He emits irresistible rays of sunshine. He is an electrifying personality on campus. And he is a thinking person, with actual insight. As far as I am concerned, he has all of the ingredients for greatness.

Sincerely,

Nadya Pittendrigh Ph.D Director of English
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I am writing to validate the academic performance and outstanding work ethic of Mr. Dorian Jordan. I had the privilege of teaching Dorian at The University of Houston-Victoria.

As a student in my Fundamentals of Public Speaking class, he was very participative and often provided excellent answers and salient points in our class discussions. He was quite forward looking and had an enlightened perspective about a myriad of communication and media issues. He really cared about investing himself in his studies and improving the quality of life for those around him.

Perhaps the greatest thing about Dorian was the fact that he always exhibited immense standards of critical thinking during our classroom activities and he consistently provided his classmates with an outstanding example to follow. His oral presentations and written analysis of

communication concepts were extraordinary. Many students often commented how they learned quite a bit from his examples.

It seems clear that Dorian is quite serious about his academic commitments as well as his fellow students. I have no doubt that he will be quite successful in life and will be a tremendous asset to any employer, institution, or community that would have him.

Sincerely, Woodrow Wilson Wagner II

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