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RE: Mimoon AbuAta

Dear Sir or Madam:

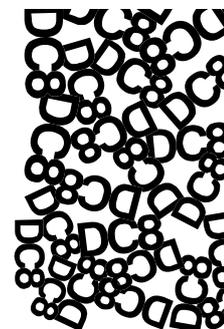
This letter is to confirm the work experience of Mimoon AbuAta during his period working for Mirvac Design in Australia from January 2007 to September 2008.

During this period I was the Practice Director of Mirvac Design and responsible for all staffing and project outputs. A copy of my short form CV is attached for your reference.

Mimoon joined Mirvac Design in January 2007 and was employed as a Graduate of Architecture. As a Graduate, Mimoon was required to perform a wide range of tasks, which were seen as important to him gaining the experience required of an Architect. The philosophy of Mirvac Design, and also of my current practice, DC8 Studio, is that we see it vitally important that Graduates are given the best opportunity to experience and learn the skills required of them for registration as an Architect.

I can confirm the Mimoon performed the following tasks during his tenure at Mirvac Design:

Date	Project	Duties	Role
Jan 07 – Aug 07	Mariner's Peninsula Stage 1 – 101 Apartments.	Construction Documentation including detailing and scheduling. Coordination of consultants.	Participant
Jan 07 – Aug 07	Mariner's Peninsula Stage 2 – 70 Apartments	Masterplanning Studies. Concept Designs	Participant
Jan 07 – Aug 07	Mariner's Reach Stage 3 – 4 Beachfront houses	Management and delivery of all design development and documentation of houses including time and cost management	Executive
Aug 07 – Jan 08	The Pier, Newstead. 99 Super Luxury Apartments	Design Development of external fabric, material selections and preliminary construction detailing. Client and Marketing meetings to present and receive feedback on design	Participant Participant



		development progression. Liason with construction team during DD	Executive
Aug 07 – Jan 08	The Park, Newstead. Apartments	Concept Designs for 9 story tower. Exploration of various apartment planning typologies. Coordination of external consultants. Design Development of Basement construction.	Participant Participant Executive Executive.
Aug 07 – Jan 08	Waterfront Sales Office	Construction documentation packages for Sales Office. Product Design for custom interior fittings.	Executive Executive
Dec 2007	Dubai Residential Tower. Mina Rashid	Concept Design of 1 of 4 towers in a major residential, cultural and commercial precinct. Participation in Master Planning workshops and review with Design Directors. Preparation and coordination of Design Documents including supervision of 3d visualization production.	Executive. Participant. Executive.

Overall Mimoon's performance within the practice was of the highest standard and Mimoon would always strive for the best results possible from whatever task he was performing. I was particularly struck by Mimoon's ability to cross the breadth of the skill base required to be a good architect. Mimoon's concept design work shows a wonderful understanding of the need to respect and enhance the genius loci, or spirit of place, of a site. It was a pleasure to observe his ethical approach to design and his resilience when questioned strongly about his chosen direction. More so however, it was satisfying to see that Mimoon had the ability to take feedback on board and respond positively to it. Importantly too, Mimoon stood out for his thorough approach to the delivery and resolution of a design during the documentation phase of a project, ensuring a quality outcome was achieved in this critical phase also.

I hope that Mimoon has continued to expand his skills and knowledge in his time since leaving Australia and I am certain that he will make a very fine architect. I have extended an invitation to Mimoon to come and visit our new studio should he return sometime to Australia and I look forward to the time when we may collaborate on another project in the future.

Should you have any further queries I would be welcome to answer them and invite you to contact me either via email or phone. My direct mobile number is +61 430 883 289 and my email address is riccardo@dc8studio.com.

Yours Sincerely,

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Director