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To Whom It May Concern:

I am pleased to recommend **DR. JULIUS G. GATMAITAN**, who is applying a travel grant for the International Atopic Dermatitis Summit Seoul 2023. Julius' strong interest in research is apparent through his works. In fact, amongst his notable achievements based on his curriculum vitae were the following:

1. First Prize. 7th Philippine Dermatological Society Quiz Bee at Wack-Wack Golf & Country Club. August 30, 2017
2. Presidential Awardee: Communications Facilitator for the Journal of the Philippine Dermatological Society (JPDS). Garden Ballroom, EDSA Shangri-La Hotel. November 28, 2018.
3. Presented three (3) papers as e-poster at the 5th World Congress of Dermoscopy held at Thessaloniki Concert Hall Convention and Cultural Center Thessaloniki, Greece last June 14-16, 2018.
4. Presented five (5) papers as e-posters at the World Congress of Dermatology and the International League of Dermatological Societies and eventually granted a scholarship at the 24th World Congress of Dermatology held at Milano Convention Centre, Milan, Italy last June 10-15, 2019
5. His paper entitled "The efficacy and safety of Makabuhay (*Tinospora rumpphi*) 25% cream vs hydrocortisone 1% cream in the management of mosquito bite reactions: a randomized, double blind controlled trial" won second Place at the prestigious Research Experimental Category, during Philippine Dermatological Society Annual Research Forum last November 6, 2019.
6. He presented 3 papers as oral presentation at the joint convention of PDS and ASPCR and eventually becoming an Asian Society for Pigment Cell Research Scholarship Awardee held at EDSA Shangri-La Hotel last November 6. 2019.

He is a dedicated learner, a promising clinician, researcher, teacher and social mobilizer. His commitment and concern for the welfare of the beneficiaries of one's services is highly commendable. He communicates effectively, efficiently, and respectfully in the manner of a confident and experienced physician. I therefore support his decision to apply for this opportunity and hope that you regard his application favorably.

All the best,

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