



To Whom It May Concern:

I joined the ICF Vancouver Chapter Coach Giving Leadership Program to become more connected locally with my community. Before this opportunity, my coaching practice focused on international clients and I was excited to bring my work closer to home.

I was matched with a client at a local nonprofit in Vancouver. My client was a seasoned professional with a commitment to her growth and learning. She came to our meetings prepared and actively engaged in the homework and challenges that I offered. She inspired me with her willingness to experiment with new managerial skills as well as her desire to dive deep and embrace healing and new behaviors. She gifted me with an appreciation of her journey in addition to new understanding of the non-profit sector and opportunities in Vancouver.

At the completion of our Coach Giving engagement, my client requested that we continue to work together and she became a paying client. We are still working together and I am also looking at opportunities to volunteer at her nonprofit.

This experience expanded the type of clients that I work with as well as connected me in new ways to my community. It was a powerful experience that would not have happened without the support of this program and its Director, Dr. Sunaina Sharma and her team of volunteers. I am deeply grateful for this ICF Vancouver Chapter Coach Giving Leadership Program and proud that is a part of my community.

Warmly,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Natasha Shulman". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Natasha" and last name "Shulman" clearly legible.

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