



Study Abroad & Exchange Programs Academic Recommendation Form

Student Name: _____ **Application Deadline:** _____
Program: _____ **Term Applying For:** _____

U.S. Public Law 90-247 permits a student access to certain educational records, including letters of recommendation. Section 438(a)(2)(B) allows you to waive your right to access to specific records. If you choose to waive your right of access to this letter of recommendation, you must sign below. If you sign, the letter becomes confidential and you will not be entitled to read it. If you do not sign, you maintain your right to read the letter.

I understand that by signing this form, I am choosing to waive my right of access to this recommendation form.

_____ Date
 _____ Student Signature

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE ACADEMIC REFERENCE:

Name & Title: _____
Institution or Department: _____
Email & Telephone : _____

To the Recommender/Referee: The student named above is applying for the study abroad indicated. Please evaluate the student based on classroom participation, test/quizzes, assigned work projects, and personal contact outside of the classroom. All programs have application deadlines; therefore, your prompt response is greatly appreciated.

Please assess the applicant’s personality and characteristics according to the criteria below:

	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Very Good	Superior	Not Able to Judge
Verbal Communication Skills						
Written Communication Skills						
Self-reliance and independence						
Flexibility; Adaptability						
Group Participation						
Motivation and Seriousness of Purpose						

Please answer the following prompts: (Attach a separate sheet if needed)

1. How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

(OVER)

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2. Please indicate your evaluation of the applicant based on a) academic suitability for study abroad; b) maturity and social stability needed to make necessary adjustments; and c) strengths and weaknesses.

Based on your experiences and interactions with this applicant, how likely are you to recommend the applicant for a study abroad program:

- Without reservations
 With minor reservations
 With major reservations
 I do not recommend the applicant at this time

Signature of Recommendor/Referee

Date

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