FULBRIGHT STUDENT PROGRAM

**APPLICATION FOR STUDY IN THE UNITED STATES**

**CONFIDENTIAL LETTER OF REFERENCE**

This letter of reference must be written by a teacher under whom the applicant has studied or pursued research in the proposed field of study or by someone who has supervised the applicant in work related to the proposed field of study. This letter must be in English. If not in English, then an accurate translation must be forwarded to the Fulbright Program Office.

NAME OF APPLICANT:

NAME OF REFEREE: TITLE / POSITION

INSTITUTION OR BUSINESS

E-MAIL ADDRESS

1. HOW LONG HAVE YOU KNOWN THE APPLICANT?
2. IN WHAT CAPACITY HAVE YOU KNOWN THE APPLICANT?

Teacher or Professor

Employer or Job Supervisor

Research Adviser

Other (Please specify)

1. IN THIS RATING CHART, PLEASE EVALUATE THE APPLICANT IN COMPARISON WITH OTHER STUDENTS WHOM YOU HAVE KNOWN DURING YOUR PROFESSIONAL CAREER.

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|  | Excellent | Very Good | Average | Below Average | Not Applicable |
| Intellectual Ability |  |  |  |  |  |
| Knowledge of Field |  |  |  |  |  |
| Work Habits |  |  |  |  |  |
| Motivation to Pursue Graduate Study |  |  |  |  |  |
| Seriousness of Purpose |  |  |  |  |  |
| Potential For Significant Future Contribution in Field |  |  |  |  |  |
| Resourcefulness and Initiative |  |  |  |  |  |
| Emotional Maturity |  |  |  |  |  |
| Adaptability to New Situations |  |  |  |  |  |
| Leadership Qualities |  |  |  |  |  |
| Teaching Potential |  |  |  |  |  |

NAME (print):

SIGNATURE: DATE: / /

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| 1. **Please evaluate the applicant’s performance and ability to successfully pursue and complete a program of study in the proposed field.**

Your statement will be of significant importance to U.S. universities during the applicant’s evaluation process, so we ask that it be as detailed and thorough as possible. We would appreciate an honest and responsible assessment of the applicant’s academic abilities. Please include an evaluation of their personal and intellectual qualities, reliability as a researcher, and ability to work and collaborate in group settings |
| NAME (print): SIGNATURE: DATE: / / *PLEASE RETURN DIRECTLY TO THE FULBRIGHT PROGRAM OFFICE IN THE APPLICANTS COUNTRY***NOTE: The Fulbright Program cannot guarantee this letter's confidentiality once it becomes part of a university's records.** |