

Recommendation Form for Applicant  
For Graduate Admissions

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Name of applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
Last (Surname) First Middle  
Degree sought \_\_\_\_\_ Department \_\_\_\_\_ College \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

If you agree to waive your right under the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 to review specific and composite letter of recommendation, please sign here.

Applicant's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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Please fill out the form below or use a separate sheet for your answers.

1. How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_ In what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_
2. The Admissions Committee will be very grateful for your estimate of the applicant's preparation, aptitude, and creativity for independent work at the graduate level. Your comparison of the applicant with other students who have done graduate work at Rochester or your school would be particularly valuable.
3. Please comment on the applicant's motivation, maturity, self-confidence, and strength of commitment as it relates to the chosen field of study.
4. Among the students at a similar level whom you have known in recent years, how would you rate this student?  
 Among the very best you have taught     Top 5%     Top 10%     Top Quarter     Average

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Name of recommender (please print) \_\_\_\_\_

Position, profession, or occupation \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Professional address \_\_\_\_\_