

## Letter of Recommendation form

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Recommendation for \_\_\_\_\_

Referee \_\_\_\_\_

Institution/address \_\_\_\_\_

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Referees should be full, associate, assistant professors, lecturers or equivalent. One of the referees should have supervised the applicant.

Please give answers to all of the following points. If there is not enough space in the boxes provided, please add any further remarks at the end of your report.

#### 1. How long have you known the applicant?

>3 years    2-3 year    1-2 years    6-12 months    < 6 months

#### 2. On what kind of encounter do you base your assessment?

MSc thesis or equivalent    BSc thesis    Internship    Seminar    Other:

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#### 3. Is the applicant generally apt to work in academia?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

Specifications, if any:

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**4. Does the applicant's academic work so far indicate outstanding academic performance in future?**

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

Specifications, if any:

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**5. Please rate the overall skills of the applicant!**

a) Do you have the impression that the applicant is generally motivated?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

b) Does the applicant have a solid biological knowledge?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

c) Does the applicant have a broad general knowledge/interest?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

d) Does the applicant have good methodological knowledge/skills?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

e) Does the applicant have good knowledge/skills in statistics?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

f) Is the applicant willing to enhance her/his scientific/methodological knowledge/skills?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

g) Is the applicant skilled in scientific writing?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

h) Is the applicant skilled to present her/his research to others?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

i) Does the applicant have organisational/planning skills?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

j) Is the applicant able to work independently?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

k) Is the applicant able to work in a team?

Absolutely    Very much    Likely    More or less    No    I do not know

