

# Postgraduate Referee Form



**The applicant must send this form electronically to each of the referees nominated on the application form.**

## Applicant

Family name

First name

## Referee

Name

Position/title

University/Company

Phone

Address

Email

1. How long have you known the applicant?  Years  Months

2. Briefly describe the extent of your knowledge of the applicant's work including publications/papers/other relevant research.

3. Please rate the applicant's performance in the areas named below using your present knowledge of the applicant.

	No opportunity to observe	Below average	Average	Above average	Good	Very good	Excellent
(i) Knowledge of own discipline	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
(ii) Ability to express ideas	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
(iii) Command of research techniques	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
(iv) Critical and/or analytical ability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
(v) Initiative and motivation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
(vi) Ability to plan	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
(vii) Perseverance in pursuing aims	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
(viii) Teaching or tutoring ability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
(ix) Aptitude for research	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

4. Please comment on the reasons for the grading in section 3 and any other matters relevant to the applicant, including academic integrity, in the box below. In particular, we would like to know whether you think the applicant can complete a research degree in the minimum time required.

Referee's signature

Date

**The referee is requested to complete and sign this report and either:**

**EMAIL** the report to [scholarships@lincoln.ac.nz](mailto:scholarships@lincoln.ac.nz)

Note: Please save the form and attach it to your email.

**OR PRINT** and sign this report and post to:

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Lincoln 7647, Christchurch, New Zealand**