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	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
(ii)	Ability to express ideas	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
(iii)	Command of research techniques	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
(iv)	Critical and/or analytical ability	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
(v)	Initiative and motivation	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
(vi)	Ability to plan	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
(vii)	Perseverance in pursuing aims	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
(viii)	Teaching or tutoring ability	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
(ix)	Aptitude for research	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

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.

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Referee's signature	 	Date	 		

Please email the completed form to mylinc@lincoln.ac.nz