

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

SS#: \_\_\_\_\_

**GRADUATE STUDIES AND RESEARCH  
LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION**

Federal legislation guarantees you a right of access to the letters of recommendation that you have sent to the Department of Biology as part of your application materials. You are not required to waive this right, but you may do so if you wish. Please sign below if you wish to waive this right.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**NOTE TO RESPONDENT:**

The Admissions Committee of the Dept. of Biology at Georgia State University would appreciate your opinion of the applicant named above. Please rate the candidate using the following criteria:

1= Top 1%, 2= Top 5%, 3= Top 10%, 4= Top 25%, 5= Top 50%, 6= Bottom 50%, 7= Don't know

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Initiative	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Experimental Skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Intellectual Ability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Organizational Skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Analytical Ability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Interpersonal Skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Perseverance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Oral Communication Skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Resourcefulness	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	Writing Skills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

In judging the applicant, what groups of students did you compare him/her to?

All students.  Only students I have taught.  Undergraduates.  Graduate students.  Other \_\_\_\_\_.

How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_

In what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

Please provide further information that you feel would aid in our evaluation of this candidate. Use additional pages if more space is needed.

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**Name of Respondent** \_\_\_\_\_ **Position of Respondent** \_\_\_\_\_

**Field of Specialty / Institution** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature of Respondent** \_\_\_\_\_

**Telephone #** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail Address** \_\_\_\_\_

Please seal this letter in an envelope, sign over the flap, and give to the applicant to be included in the self-managed application package.