## Academic Reference Form



To be completed by the applicant					
Name of Applicant					
Name of Referee					
To be completed by the individual providing the reference  1. How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant?					
2. Please indicate the applicant's ability and academic competence in comparison with other individuals whom you have known at similar stages in their academic careers.					
	Below average	Average	Above average	Inadequate opportunity to observe	
Knowledge and area of specialisation					
Motivation and seriousness of purpose					
Ability to plan and carry out research / independent study					
Ability to express thoughts in speech and writing					
Emotional stability and maturity					
Self-reliance and independence					
<ul> <li>3. Please comment the applicant in terms of the following:</li> <li>Academic suitability for study at an institution abroad;</li> <li>Personal suitability for living abroad;</li> <li>How study abroad will be of benefit, both academically and personally;</li> <li>Weaknesses;</li> <li>Linguistic preparation, if applicable;</li> <li>Any other factors you believe may affect a successful experience on study abroad.</li> </ul>					
Signature of the individual pro	oviding the reference	Date			
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Office address and telephone					

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