



**MASTER OF ARTS IN CHRISTIAN APOLOGETICS**

***Reference: Pastor***

**THIS PORTION TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT.**

Please provide a stamped envelope addressed to the Office of Graduate Admissions, Biola University (full address on back) to the person completing the reference.

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LAST NAME OF APPLICANT (PLEASE PRINT) FIRST MIDDLE/MAIDEN

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ADDRESS ANTICIPATED PROGRAM OF STUDY

**NOTE:** This form is to be filled out by someone who is not a member of your immediate family.

The Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (Buckley Amendment), permits students access to certain credentials in their files. Because of the importance of preserving the confidentiality of a reference, the Act permits an applicant to waive his/her right of access to the reference. By signing below, the applicant willingly waives his/her right of access to see this recommendation, knowing that this waiver is NOT required as a condition for admission.

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APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE DATE

**TO THE PASTOR:**

The individual named above is applying for admission to the School of Professional Studies at Biola University. Please note the provisions of the Family Education Rights and Privacy Act as indicated above. Ours is a Christian institution and our aim is to train only those students who are qualified spiritually and academically. Please be frank and accurate. Thank you for your help.

1. In view of your knowledge of the applicant, how do you assess his or her abilities and character in the following categories as compared to his or her peers?

	NOT OBSERVED	VERY WEAK	FAIR	GOOD	OUT- STANDING
Intellectual ability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to work with others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Initiative	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Creativity and imagination	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Spiritual maturity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Knowledge of Scripture	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Christian Service	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Interpersonal skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Self-confidence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Oral communication skills in English	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Quality of work	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ability to analyze problems and formulate solutions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leadership skills	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Motivation for proposed program of study	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Potential for career advancement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Aptitude for chosen profession	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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