

RECOMMENDATION FOR GRADUATE PROGRAMS IN KINESIOLOGY

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SOUTHERN NAZARENE UNIVERSITY

Graduate Programs in Kinesiology

6729 Northwest 39th Expressway

Bethany, OK 73008

PART I: TO BE COMPLETED BY APPLICANT

APPLICANT'S NAME: _____

DEGREE/PROGRAM: ____ Master of Arts in Sports Management and Administration

PART II: TO BE COMPLETED BY THE RECOMMENDER

To the Recommender: In considering an applicant, particular emphasis is placed on the comments from people with whom the applicant is personally acquainted. We appreciate the difficulty of furnishing meaningful and candid appraisals, and we are very grateful for your contribution to our admission process. We typically find that a recommendation that presents a balanced view of an applicant's abilities and other attributes is most helpful. This form is intended to present information about the applicant. Please supplement it in whatever way you feel is appropriate.

Recommender's Name: _____

Position or Title: _____ **At:** _____

Address: _____

Work Phone: _____

How long have you known the applicant? _____

In what capacity? _____

(please complete both sides of form)

RATINGS OF ABILITIES AND KNOWLEDGE

Please list the three (3) areas of greatest strength you believe the applicant has to contribute to being successful in the Graduate program.

Please list the three (3) areas of greatest weakness that you believe could preclude the applicant from succeeding?

Please list the three (3) characteristics that seem most typical of this applicant.

Use the following rating scale to indicate your assessment of the applicant's management of abilities, skills, and knowledge.

- 9-10 Exceptional abilities and/or potential
- 7-8 High abilities and/or potential
- 5-6 Moderate to average abilities and/or potential
- 3-4 Below average abilities and/or potential
- 0-2 Very poor abilities and/or potential
- NA Not aware of abilities in described area

1. _____ Moral reasoning abilities and commitment to Christian ethics and value system
2. _____ Social adjustment
3. _____ Emotional stability
4. _____ Ability to analyze and critically assess relevant solutions to problem situations
5. _____ Ability to take initiative and effectively get things accomplished
6. _____ Personal motivation level
7. _____ Ability to motivate other individuals
8. _____ Written communication skills
9. _____ Oral communication skills, both in groups and with individuals
10. _____ Non-verbal communication skills
11. _____ Overall assessment of abilities
12. _____ Prediction of graduate success
13. _____ Accountability/reliability in work/school setting
14. _____ Professionalism
15. _____ Caring qualities
16. _____ Commitment/ability to meet goals/deadlines

The following statements relate to students interested in pursuing a graduate degree:

- I recommend that this student be admitted to graduate study.
- I recommend with some reservation that this student be admitted to graduate study.
- I do not recommend that this student be admitted to graduate study.

Signature

Date