

Summer Study Abroad

Letter of Reference

This form should be completed by a person familiar with your academic work. Letters from friends or relatives cannot be accepted.

This section to be completed by applicant:

Name: _____

Last
First
Middle
T Number or SSN

Program I am applying for: _____

Email Address: _____ Phone: _____

Reference requested from: _____

Name
Relationship to Applicant

Under federal law, students are permitted access to certain education records. However, recommendation letters may have a greater effect when written in confidence. If you waive your right to inspect the information requested by this form, please sign below:

X _____ Date: _____

1. How long have you known the applicant? _____

2. Please indicate the applicant's competence in the following areas in comparison with other individuals whom you have known at similar stages in their academic careers.

	Below Average	Average	Above Average	Very Good	Outstanding	Inadequate Opportunity to Observe	Additional Comments
Intellectually Curious							
Socially Mature							
Emotionally Mature							
Self-Reliant							
Self-Motivated							
Self-Assured							
Articulate							
Perceptive							
Adaptable							
Cooperative							
Well-mannered							

3. The student named above is an applicant for a Southern Utah University study abroad program. The program involves a full schedule of academic work in a foreign setting. To benefit from this experience, a student must be highly motivated, emotionally mature, and able to adapt easily to people with different cultural and social backgrounds. All participants have strengths and weaknesses relevant to their participation in study abroad programs. We would appreciate your thoughtful and candid appraisal of this applicant. Your remarks will be seen by faculty and staff specifically responsible for counseling the student regarding this program. Please mail this form to the address shown below or return to applicant in a sealed envelope. Attach a separate sheet if you need more space. We greatly appreciate your cooperation.

Strengths:

Weaknesses:

Other Comments:

Referee Signature

Signature

Date

Email Address

Phone

Please return form to:
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Southern Utah University
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Cedar City, UT 84720
Fax: (435) 586-1996