

Semester Exchange Parental Letter of Reference

(if under 21 years old at time of application)

This section to be completed by applicant:

Name _____
Last
First
Middle
T Number or SSN

Email Address _____ Phone _____

Program I am applying for: _____
University
Semester
Year

Reference requested from: _____
Name
Title or Position

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

_____ 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							
Self-reliant							
Emotionally Mature							
Self-Motivated							
Self-Assured							
Articulate							
Perceptive							
Adaptable							
Cooperative							
Well-mannered							
Poised							

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 coop-

Strengths:

Weaknesses:

Other Comments:

Referee Signature

Signature

Date

Address: _____

Phone: _____

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