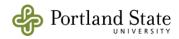
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Letter of Reference

To be completed by the applicant:

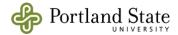
	Name	Date						
	This recommendation will become part of your admissions file. It will be used only for admissions considerations and will not be disclosed to any unauthorized individual without your consent. If you are enrolled in the B.S.W. Online Program at Portland State University, you will be accorded access to its contents unless you voluntarily waive your right of access. Please check one of the boxes and sign the statement below: I have read the information above and I hereby: Waive Do not waive my right of access to this document.							
	Signature	Date						
To be completed by the reference: (Reminder: Application deadline is March 1st)								
Re	ference Name:	_(Please print)						

The above named is applying for admission to the Baccalaureate Social Work Online Program at Portland State University. Your assessment of the candidate will assist the Baccalaureate Social Work Admissions Committee in making admission decisions. Under the 1974 Family Education Rights and Privacy Act, the applicant named above will have access to this recommendation unless he or she has waived that right.

- 1. How long and in what context have you known the applicant?
- 2. Please rate the applicant relative to other students or employees whom you have known in the same field in recent years by placing an "x" on the point that best represents where the candidate lies on the continuum with 5 being 'exceptional' and 1 being 'poor'. We are particularly interested in references who can speak to the applicant's capacity and potential to work effectively with underrepresented groups.

1 0 1		Exceptional				Poor
	Not Observed	5	4	3	2	1
Academic Performance		-	•	•	•	•
Commitment to Learning		-	•	•	•	•
Initiative/Creativity		-	•	•	•	-
Communication Skills: Oral		-	•	•	•	•
Communication Skills: Written		-	•	•	•	-
Technology related skills/abilities (email, upload/download, record videos, navigate online information systems)		-	•	•	•	•
Commitment to Social Justice/ Social Change		-	•	•	•	•
Critical Thinking Ability		-	•	•	•	-
Interpersonal Skills		-	•	•	•	
Respect for Diverse Populations		-	•	•	•	-
Leadership Ability		-	•	•	•	-
Teamwork Ability		-	•	•	•	•

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3. We believe that such personal qualities as intelligence, maturity, emotional stability, sensitivity, resourcefulness, initiative, follow-through, sound judgment, and a respect for others' diversity are important for successful professional practice. Please assess the applicant's academic and/or professional promise within this context by attaching a separate letter with this reference form.

4. Summary E	valuation (please check only one)					
	I strongly recommend this applicant for admission and believe that he/she has the capability to perform at a superior level.					
	I recommend this applicant for admission and believe his/her performance will be comparable to that of most upper division students.					
	I think that the applicant's qualifications are marginal, but if admitted, the applicant would greatly benefit study in this program.					
I do not recommend this applicant for admission to the Baccalaureate Social Work Online Program.						
Signature	Date					
Name	Degree					
Position	Employer					
Business Adda	ress (Street & No.)					
City	StateZip Code					
May we call yo	ou for additional information?YesNo					
Phone	Email address					
Please return	this form and your letter directly to the applicant in a sealed envelope.					
Please sign th	he envelope on the back of the sealed flap.					

Thank you for your cooperation.