



**INDIAN INSTITUTE OF SCIENCE
EDUCATION AND RESEARCH (IISER) –KOLKATA**

Integrated Ph.D. Program in Biological, Chemical, Earth, Mathematical and Physical Sciences.

Recommendation Letter

This part to be completed by the applicant

Name _____
Family name (surname) First name Middle name

Applying for admission to the Ph.D. program in _____

This part to be completed by the recommender

Name Title or position

Address

Tel Fax e-mail

The person named above is applying for admission to a Ph.D. program at IISER, Kolkata. The Admissions Committee would appreciate your assessment of this applicant's potential. Your assessment will be kept confidential. Please complete the recommendation form given below and enclose it in an envelope.

The selection committee realizes that considerable time and effort may be involved in preparing this evaluation and greatly appreciates your help.

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Please rank the student along the listed dimensions. Feel free to check "Insufficient Information" if you cannot make a judgment.

	Top 1%	5%	10%	20%	50%	Below 50%	Insufficient Information
Intellectual ability							
Breadth of general knowledge							
Depth of knowledge in undergraduate area							
Motivation and initiative							
Maturity and stability							
Ability to work independently							
Ability to work with others							
Ability to speak and write							
Creativity							
Clarity of goals for research work							
Overall potential research work							

How long have you known this applicant, and in what capacity?

In making this evaluation, what group of students are you using as a comparison?

Please describe the particular strengths and weaknesses of the applicant. Also describe any special talents or experience.

Additional information you would care to provide:

Recommender's signature

Date

Please seal and sign the envelope.