

RESIDENCE LIFE STAFF RECOMMENDATION FOR CANDIDATE

Applicant- Please print name

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Applicant Digital Signature

This recommendation must be completed by a Residence Life staff member. It can be completed by any current Resident Assistant (RA), Residence Director (RD), Graduate Assistant (GA), Area Coordinator (AC) or Central Office staff. Though applicants will not have access to this form, they will have the opportunity for feedback on the contents of all application materials through a feedback interview if you are not hired for an RA position.

How do you know the applicant?

Current RA Former RA Current GA/RD/AC Former GA/RA/AC

Other Residential Life Staff Member (please explain): _____



How long have you know applicant and what observable interactions have you had with him/her?

NOTE: Depending upon your familiarity with the candidate, please complete as much of the following information as appropriate. Please be as specific as possible.

RA candidates are expected to exhibit the following qualities:

- 1) COMMUNICATION (i.e. articulate; verbal and non verbal communication clear and effective; specific in expressing ideas, feelings and positions; insight into how to interact with others; assertive; listens; doesn't monopolize conversations):

- 2) LEADERSHIP (i.e. potential to be a strong leader; commands respect from peers; gains influence; ability to motivate others; ability to take charge of situations):

- 3) ORGANIZATIONAL SKILLS/AVAILABILITY (i.e. dependable; punctual; ability to manage time; ability to carry through on commitments; responsible):

4) PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS (i.e. friendly; sense of humor; energetic; enthusiastic; maturity; self concept; emotionally stable; warm and personable):

5) TEAM WORK (i.e. group work; individual work; initiative; task management; delegation)

CANDIDATE STRENGTHS:

CANDIDATE AREAS FOR IMPROVEMENT/RESERVATIONS:

RECOMMENDATION: (PLEASE CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLWING):

_____ I RECOMMEND THIS APPLICANT

_____ I DO NOT RECOMMEND THIS APPLICANT

Recommender- Please print name

Email or phone number

Recommender Digital Signature

Date

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO:

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RA Selection Committee

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