

**REFERENCE FOR U.C. STUDENTS APPLYING TO
THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE GRADUATE PROGRAM**

Applicant: _____

Faculty Member: _____ Date: _____

Program Student is Applying to (Circle): M.S. Ph.D.

How well do you know the student:

Very well Fairly well A little bit Barely

How many courses has the student had with you:

Undergraduate (number): _____

Graduate (number): _____

On average, what grade did the student receive in your course (s):

A+ A A- B+ B B- C+ C Below C

QUESTIONS FOR PH.D. APPLICANTS

1. In the Ph.D. Program, what level of performance do you expect of this student?

Very high Strong Average Marginal Poor

2. If this student were admitted to the program, and was in your area, would you be willing to be the student's dissertation advisor? (Note: this reference will be saved)

Definitely Probably Probably not Not a chance

3. Given the student's conceptual abilities, how likely is it that he/she will pass the comprehensive and proficiency examinations?

Very likely Likely Could go either way Will fail

4. Given what you know about the student's work habits and career goals, how would you estimate his/her professional promise?

Very high High Average Below Average

5. What are the student's chances of completing the program?

Very high High Average Below Average

--Please add any relevant comments to the bottom of page 2--

QUESTIONS FOR M.S. APPLICANTS

1. In the M.S. program, what level of performance do you expect of this student?
Very high Strong Average Marginal Poor
2. If this student were to complete the Masters Degree and apply for the Ph.D. program, what do you think his/her chances of being admitted would be?
Very high High Moderate Not likely
3. Is this the kind of student that you would “go out on a limb” for to support their admission to the Masters program?
Definitely Probably Maybe Definitely not
4. How likely is it that this student will complete the M.S. program?
Very likely Likely Could go either way

Please add any other comments relevant to this student’s application:

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