



SCHOLARSHIP REFERENCE FORM

Name of scholarship applicant:

Name of reference:

Position/title:

Organization/university:

Phone:

Email:

Instructions to scholarship applicant:

Provide each of your references a link to the Scholarship Reference Form, asking them to complete the form and email it by the deadline. Unless they are quite familiar with our study plans, consider providing them a copy of your personal statement of career goals.

Instructions to references:

This scholarship is intended to support graduate study and research for those reaching a high standard of intellectual achievement and professional service. The Manitoba Library Association relies to a considerable extent upon the assessment of references. The Scholarship Committee is interested in having your appraisal of the applicant's academic ability, personality, and their suitability for the proposed program of study and qualifications for this profession.

1. In what capacity have you known the scholarship applicant?

2. How long have you known the applicant?

3. In comparison to others whom you have known at a similar stage of their studies and career, how would you rank this applicant? (select one)

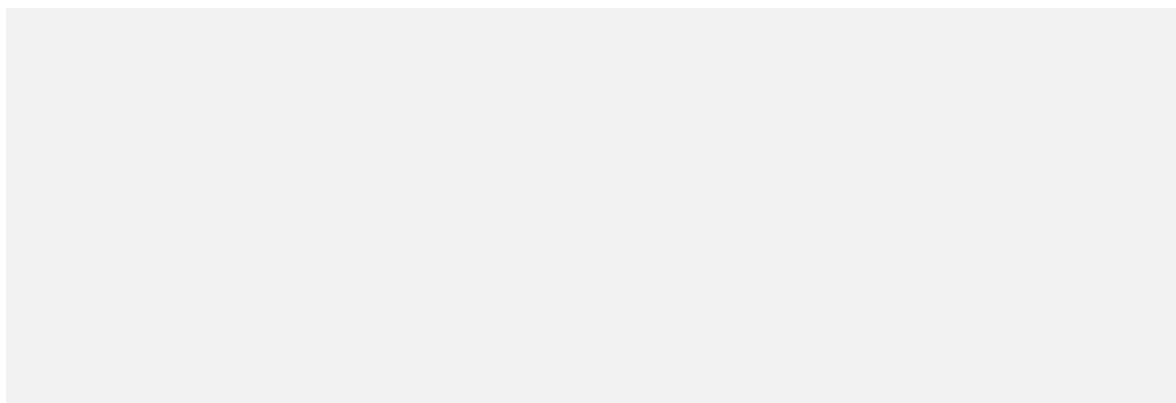
- Among the best 2%
- Among the best 5%
- Among the best 10%
- Among the best 20%
- Among the best 40%
- Among the best 50%
- Among the lowest 50%

4. On a scale of 1 to 5, with 1 being 'Strongly disagree', 3 being neutral and 5 being 'Strongly agree, rate the applicants qualities in the areas listed:

Academic ability 1
Originality 1
Leadership 1
Creativity 1
Research skills 1
Perseverance 1
Judgement 1
Interpersonal relations 1
All-round ability 1

n/a = not applicable
1 = Strongly disagree
2 = Disagree
3 = Neutral
4 = Agree
5 = Strongly Agree

5. Further comments:



Signature of Reference

Date

Deadline for complete applications varies from year to year.

Please check this years' deadline on the MLA website:
<https://mla.mb.ca/scholarships-and-awards/scholarships/>

**Send completed form via email to:
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Scholarships and Awards Committee
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