

**DAVIES-JACKSON SCHOLARSHIP
ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE
APPLICANT RECOMMENDATION FORM**

THIS SECTION IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT.

Please share this form with an individual acquainted with your academic work. Please instruct your referee to send this form to: A. Graham Down, Director, Davies-Jackson Scholarship Program, c/o The Council of Independent Colleges, One Dupont Circle, NW, Suite 320, Washington, DC 20036. Applications and recommendations must be received by November 2, 2009.

Last Name _____ First _____ Middle _____

Institution _____ State _____

Major _____ Proposed Subject of Study _____

Name of Referee _____

Title _____ Institution _____

TO THE REFEREE: We would appreciate your opinion of the applicant's readiness for post-baccalaureate study. Please evaluate the applicant utilizing the chart below and the spaces provided on both sides of this form to compare him/her with others of whom you have known at similar stages in their careers. Please note that there is no standard right of access to references in the United Kingdom.

Please place an "X" in the appropriate box for each personality characteristic.

Personality Characteristics	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Poor	Lack of Information
Motivation and perseverance toward goals						
Leadership ability						
Level of maturity						
Self-awareness						
Self-discipline						
Dependability						
Ability to work with differences in people (e.g. race, age, class, culture)						

Please use the space below to comment on your rating of the applicant's personality characteristics.

(Please complete reverse side)

TO THE REFEREE: Please describe the intellectual attributes of the applicant that make him/her an exceptional candidate for this scholarship, including remarks on strengths and weaknesses, creativity, initiative, and aptitude for advanced study. How long and in what capacity have you known the applicant? How does the applicant compare to students who have pursued post-baccalaureate study in recent years? Any other relevant information you care to include is welcome.

Signature

Date

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