Pastoral Recommendation



Pastor: Please return this form directly to PBI via email [dan70@comcast.net](mailto:dan70@comcast.net)

NOTE: Do Not Return to The Applicant.

**To the Applicant:**

This recommendation form should be completed by your pastor and mailed directly by him/her to the PBI admissions office. If an immediate family member is the pastor of your home church, then an elder, deacon or other church officer must act as the pastoral reference for you. Please sign the following waiver prior to giving this form to your pastor or church leader. I hereby waive my right to reviewthis confidential recommendation which becomes a part of my admissions file.

Print your name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Signa true: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**To the Pastor**

The above-named applicant is applying for admission to Pathway Bible Institute. Serious consideration will be given to your comments; therefore, your cooperation in completing this form as candidly and prayerfully as possible will be greatly appreciated. All information on this form will be held in confidence.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Church Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Are you related to the applicant:  Yes  No

How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Has the applicant demonstrated a personal commitment to Jesus?  Attends regularly, gets involved.

* Yes  No  Attends regularly, seldom participates.

What type of spiritual influence is applicant on peers?  Attends irregularly, seldom participates.

* Positive  Neutral  Negative  Attends irregularly, no participation

Has the applicant lived a consistent moral life to your knowledge?  Yes  No

In what form of Christian service has the applicant been a participant? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Is there anything about the applicant’s life, past or present, which should be called to our attention\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Are there family conditions which may hinder the applicant’s college work or effectiveness in full-time ministry?

# Please Rate the Applicant in the Following Areas: (If you are unsure, please leave blank)

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| Overall spiritual condition |  Deeply spiritual |  Above average |  |  Average |
| Knowledge of Scriptures |  Outstanding |  Well versed |  |  Average |
| Passion for souls |  Burdened |  Average |  |  Casual |
| Spiritual growth |  Remarkable |  Progressive |  |  Slow |
| Response to authority |  Very open |  Respectful |  |  Resistant |
| Initiative |  Strongly motivated |  Motivated |  |  Requires direction |
| Reliability |  Conscientious |  Dependable |  |  Inconsistent |
| Emotional stability |  Very mature |  Stable |  |  Unstable |
| Reaction to difficulties |  Victorious |  Accepting |  |  Struggles |
| Overall attitude |  Very respectful |  Above average |  |  Passive |
| Leadership |  Excellent leader |  Gifted |  |  Limited |
| Perseverance |  Very strong |  Strong |  |  Waivers |

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| **Overall Evaluation of the Applicant:**   Excellent  Above Average |  Average  Questionable |
| **I Recommend this Applicant to** **PBI**   Without Reservation   With Reservation |  Unable to Recommend |

Additional Comments:

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_