

# JOINT PhD in EDUCATIONAL STUDIES

## REFEREE ASSESSMENT REPORT

**TO THE APPLICANT:** Please complete this section before sending this form to the Referee.

**Surname:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Given Name(s):** \_\_\_\_\_  
*First Middle*

**Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
*Apartment Number and Street*

\_\_\_\_\_ *City/Town Prov/State Postal/Zip Code Country*

**Preferred Home University:**  Brock  Lakehead  Windsor

**Field of Study:**  Educational Leadership and Policy Studies  
 Social/Cultural/Political Contexts of Education  
 Cognition and Learning

**Name and Position of Referee:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REFEREE:** The information in this report will be considered confidential. Please return completed assessment report to either (1) the applicant for inclusion with the application in a sealed envelope with your signature across the seal or (2) directly to the Office of the Secretariat of the Joint PhD in Educational Studies Program by mail, or email from your institutional email address.

1. I have known this applicant as:

an undergraduate  graduate student  other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

Length of time? \_\_\_\_\_ In what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

2. In comparison with other students at the applicant's level, how would you rank this applicant?

*The applicant was in the top:*  5%  10%  25%

3. I have read this applicant's research plan:

Yes  No

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4. Please rank the applicant on the following:

<i>Place checkmark (✓) in appropriate column:</i>	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Below Average	No Basis for Judgment
A. Academic Preparedness					
B. Ability to Communicate	Orally				
	Academic Writing				
C. Creativity and Capacity for Independent Thinking					
D. Industry and Reliability					
E. Initiative and Seriousness of Purpose					
F. Intellectual Ability					
G. Research Competence/Potential					

5. Some gifted individuals have mediocre scholastic records. Do you believe that the applicant's academic record is an accurate indicator of his/her academic ability?  Yes  No  
*(If answer is no, please explain briefly):*

6. Recommendation for Admission to Doctoral Studies  
 Highly Recommended  Recommended  Recommended with reservations  Not Recommended

Please attach a separate page describing the applicant's suitability for admission to this program, and his/her potential for doctoral studies. It is highly recommended that reference letters be submitted on official institutional letterhead.

**Referee's Name and Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Academic Position and University:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tel:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Fax:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

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