

**East Texas A&M University**  
**MS in Sports Science and Data Analytics**  
**Recommendation Form**

Applicant's Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant's First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ CWID: \_\_\_\_\_

**TO THE PERSON COMPLETING THIS EVALUATION:** This recommendation will only be used for admission purposes; it will not be made a part of the student's educational record, and no reference will be made to it for educational purposes after a decision is final on the applicant's admissibility.

**NAME OF REFERENCE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **POSITION/TITLE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ORGANIZATION:** \_\_\_\_\_ **TELEPHONE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

How long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_ In what capacity? \_\_\_\_\_

May we contact you regarding this applicant? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Please summarize the applicant's strengths and weaknesses in relation to pursuing the MS in Sports Science and Data Analytics.

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Given the academic demands of MS in Sports Science and Data Analytics, do you believe this individual will succeed in this program? Please explain why or why not? Please provide any additional comments you feel would be helpful in evaluating the student.

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Please rank the applicant in relation to where you think he/she ranks compared to others with whom you have worked by placing a check in the % box under which you would rank this applicant.

	<i>Top 5%</i>	Top 15%	Top 25%	Top 50%	Lower 50%	Not known
Overall intellectual capabilities and critical thinking						
Academic Initiative						
Academic Independence						
Problem solving abilities						
Motivation and diligence						
Accepts constructive criticism/feedback						
Professional behavior and appearance						
Rapport with faculty/supervisors						
Rapport with fellow students and/or peers						
Oral communication skills						
Written communication skills						
Organization and time management						
Demonstrates honesty and integrity						
Overall Maturity						

**Overall evaluation (Please circle one):**

\_\_\_ Strongly Recommend    \_\_\_ Recommend    \_\_\_ Recommend with Reservations    \_\_\_ Do not Recommend

Reference's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please submit the form directly to the Graduate School by mail or email.

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