German Research School
for Simulation Sciences

Reference Form

☐ for the Master's program
☐ for the doctoral program

The Master's and the doctoral program of the German Research School for Simulation Sciences are open to a limited number of extremely well-qualified students with a substantial background in their proposed field of study. The German Research School for Simulation Sciences is dedicated to advanced research and education in the applications and methods of computer simulation in science and engineering. It combines the specific strengths of its founders, RWTH Aachen University and Forschungszentrum Jülich, in the fields of science, engineering, and high-performance computing. Application areas include materials science, mechanical engineering, physics, chemistry, geo and life sciences, mathematics, and computer science.

Applicant's section (to be completed by the applicant)

Applicant's name _____ _____ _____

last / family name | first name | middle name

I authorize the preparation of this evaluation and understand that the material will be kept confidential both from me and from the public.

Signature _____ Date _____

Evaluator's section (to be completed by the evaluator and mailed directly to the address listed below)

Please rate the applicant in the section below. Indicate your basis for comparison:

☐ graduation seniors ☐ first-year graduate students ☐ all students I have known ☐ other _____

	upper 1-2%	upper 10% but not upper 1-2%	upper 25% but not upper 10%	upper half but not upper 25%	lower half	no basis for judgement
apparent intellectual ability	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
potential in the field	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
oral expression	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
written expression	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
working with others	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
emotional maturity	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
imagination and creativity	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
promise as a teacher	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐

Evaluator's name _____ Address _____

Position _____

Institution _____

Signature _____ Date _____

The admissions committee needs your opinion of the candidate's ability to carry on advanced studies and to achieve a successful professional career. Compare this applicant with others who recently attended or are applying to comparable graduate programs (reference letter). Please use the back of this form or attach another sheet to this document.

Please mail the completed form and the reference letter to admission@grs-sim.de or send it to:
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