



## Recommendation Letter for Admission to the PhD Program of the Cologne Graduate School of Economics (CGS-E)

**Please note: all fields are required**

**APPLICANT:**

Name of Applicant:

**RECOMMENDER:**

Name of Recommender:

E-Mail Address (only one!):

Title:

Company/Organization:

Address Line 1:

Address Line 2:

City:

State/Province:  ZIP/ Postal Code:

Country:

Telephone Number:

How long have you known the applicant?

In what capacity have you known the applicant?

**Please rate the applicant on the following dimensions, comparing him or her with other students you have known.**

**Skills and Aptitudes**

Analytical skills

Quantitative skills

Oral/written abilities

Creativity

**Character Traits**

Intellectual curiosity

Maturity/reliability/dependability

Motivation/drive/industriousness

Initiative/resourcefulness

Self-discipline/focus

**What is your overall assessment of the applicant for graduate study?**



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## Letter of Recommendation

In your letter, please let us know how well the applicant's studies to date equip him or her to follow the chosen program of study at CGS-E. You might wish to comment on the applicant's writing skills, analytical skills, presentation skills, quantitative skills (including strengths and weaknesses). Please summarize your personal impression of the applicant briefly and give us any additional information that you consider relevant for our decision. If you think the grades or scores on standardized tests are misleading about the applicant's promise for graduate study, please indicate why.