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Confidential Report of Referee

MASTER OF EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY
MASTER OF EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY/PHD
DOCTOR OF EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

Please provide the names and contact details of at least two referees, one of whom must be an academic referee.

Name:	<input type="text"/>	Name:	<input type="text"/>
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SECTION 1: To be completed by the applicant before forwarding this form to the referee.

First Name: Surname:

Title of course you are applying for:

Master of Educational Psychology Master of Educational Psychology/PhD Doctor of Educational Psychology

Anticipated Research Topic:

Please indicate whether you completed any of the following within previous courses:

- A a research thesis of words (indicate word length)
 B a research project of words (indicate word length)
 C no research thesis or research project

SECTION 2: Notes for the Referee. Please read before commencing completing Section 3.

1. You have been nominated as referee by an applicant for the course indicated above. If you agree to be a referee, please complete this form and return it to the Education Student Centre using the contact details below.

DO NOT RETURN THIS FORM TO THE APPLICANT.

2. All applicants for the Master of Educational Psychology, Master of Educational Psychology/PhD and Doctor of Educational Psychology courses are required to nominate at least two referees, one of whom must be an academic referee, who are prepared to support their application.
3. Referees' comments are taken into account when assessing an application. MGSE is particularly interested in your opinion of the applicant's strengths and weaknesses, qualifications, experience, and research ability. MGSE is also interested in the potential of the applicant, including the suitability for the practice of psychology.
4. The Master of Educational Psychology course is a two-year full-time (or equivalent part-time) course. Candidates are required to undertake nine coursework subjects and four practicum subjects and complete a project of approximately 10,000–12,000 words in length, in order to meet the professional registration requirements as an Educational Psychologist. The Doctor of Educational Psychology course is a three-year full-time (or equivalent part-time) course. Candidates are required to undertake ten coursework subjects and five practicum subjects, prepare and satisfactorily defend a thesis proposal, and complete a doctoral thesis of approximately 45,000 words in length, which constitutes a significant piece of research and makes a contribution to theory and practice in educational psychology, in order to meet the professional registration requirements as an Educational Psychologist.

Referee's Details

Referee's name:	<input type="text"/>	Present Position:	<input type="text"/>
Postal Address:	<input type="text"/>		
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Business Number:	<input type="text"/>	Facsimile Number:	<input type="text"/>
Email Address:	<input type="text"/>		

SECTION 3

1. Were you the applicant's: Supervisor Thesis/Project Examiner Other
2. How do you rate the applicant's academic ability against the cohort of candidates in the course undertaken?
 Top 5% Top 10% Top 15% Top 20% Top 50% Top 75% Bottom 25%
3. What is the applicant's capacity to communicate in English?
A Written Excellent Very Good Reasonable Poor
B Oral Excellent Very Good Reasonable Poor
4. If you have read a research project by the applicant, how do you rate it?
 Excellent Very Good Reasonable Poor
5. How would you rate your support for the applicant as a suitable candidate for the practice of psychology?
 Unreserved Very Strong Strong Reserved None
6. Please provide any comments on the applicant which you believe are relevant to the pursuit of candidature for higher degree studies on an additional sheet of paper.

Signature:

Date:

Please return your report to the Education Student Centre using the contact details below.

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