Academic Recommendation

**Osijek Doctoral Colloquium (ODC)**

**Part I – To Be Completed by the Applicant**

Print your name below and have this form completed by your faculty advisor, a professor, or an   
acquaintance with an advanced degree who knows you well.

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| Name of candidate (first and last): |  |  |

**Commitment for Respecting Confidentiality:**

**This recommendation will be treated as confidential by Program staff, ODC Steering committee and mentors. It will be used solely for decision on the application for admission.**

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| Signature of applicant: |  | Date: |

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**Part II – To be completed by a Professor or Academic Acquaintance**

The above person is applying for admission to Osijek Doctoral Colloquium. A full and candid report is   
essential if fair consideration is to be given to the applicant. This completed form is for the admissions process only and does not become a part of the person’s file.

How long have you known the applicant?

How well and under what circumstances have you known the applicant?

Please mark with an “X” in the column that fits best your opinion about the applicant:

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| 1. **Academic ratings** | **Below average** | **Average** | | | **Above average** | **Outstanding** | | **N/A** |
| Written expression |  |  | | |  |  | |  |
| Verbal expression |  |  | | |  |  | |  |
| Scholarship |  |  | | |  |  | |  |
| Creative qualities |  |  | | |  |  | |  |
| ‍English language skills |  |  | | |  |  | |  |
| Growth potential |  |  | | |  |  | |  |
| 1. **Character and personality ratings** | **Below average** | | **Average** | **Above average** | | **Truly outstanding** | **N/A** | |
| Integrity |  | |  |  | |  |  | |
| Leadership |  | |  |  | |  |  | |
| Concern for Others |  | |  |  | |  |  | |
| Diligence |  | |  |  | |  |  | |
| Personal Initiative |  | |  |  | |  |  | |
| Reaction to Setbacks |  | |  |  | |  |  | |

**Other helpful comments:**

If necessary, please attach a summary appraisal of the candidate, assessing the academic and personal qualities and his/her promise as a doctoral student. We are interested in events and circumstances which will give us added insight into the strengths and weaknesses of the candidate (photocopied reports are acceptable).

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| **Summary**  **recommendation** | **Not  Recommended** | **Strongly  Recommended** |
| **For academic promise** |  |  |
| **For character and personal promise** |  |  |

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**Personal information:**

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| **Your Name** |  | |
| **Position** |  | |
| **College/University** |  | |
| **City** |  | **Zip code:** |
| **State** |  | |
| **Signature** |  | |
| **Date** |  | |