

PEPPERDINE UNIVERSITY

School of Law

Geoffrey H. Palmer Center for Entrepreneurship & the Law

RECOMMENDATION FORM

APPLICANT'S NAME:

To the applicant:

The Family Education Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 and other laws, regulations, or policies entitle you to have access to letters of recommendation in your permanent files. You may waive this right of access, in which case letters of recommendation will be considered confidential and will not be available to you. If you wish to waive your right to access to this recommendation letter, please sign your name below. The signing of this statement is optional.

Waiver: I waive my rights to review this letter of recommendation, in support of my application to Pepperdine School of Law's Geoffrey H. Palmer Center for Entrepreneurship & the Law.

Applicant's signature: X

Date:

To the individual making the recommendation:

When considering applicants to Pepperdine School of Law's Geoffrey H. Palmer Center for Entrepreneurship & the Law, we place particular emphasis on the recommendation. A recommendation that presents a balanced view of an applicant's abilities is most helpful to the Palmer Center and to the applicant. Specific comments about significant attributes, both positive and negative, are more useful than general statements. Feel free to supplement this form with additional information that you think is important.

Please note that if the applicant has signed the above waiver, the recommendation is confidential; otherwise, the applicant may have access to it once enrolled in the program.

Please mail the completed form to the Geoffrey H. Palmer Center for Entrepreneurship & the Law, Pepperdine University School of Law, 24255 Pacific Coast Highway, Malibu, California 90263.

(please print or type)

Name: Dr.
 Mr.
 Ms.

Position/Title:

Company/Organization:

Address:

City/State/Postal code/Country:

Daytime telephone:

1. How long have you known the applicant: _____ year(s)

2. Under what circumstances have you known the applicant?

3. What do you consider the applicant's most outstanding abilities?

4. What are the applicant's major liabilities or weaknesses?

5. What is the applicant's leadership potential?

6. How would you rate the applicant's oral communication skills?

7. How would you rate the applicant's written communication skills?

8. What do you believe to be the applicant's ability to think analytically and creatively?

9. How would you describe the applicant's commitment to the University's mission?

Please mark the appropriate box.

10. In comparison with other candidates that you have known, how would you rate the applicant?

	Inadequate Opportunity To Observe	Below Average Lower 1/3	Average Middle 1/3	Good Top 1/3	Outstanding Top 10%	Truly Exceptional Top 2%
Intellectual capacity						
Ability to work well with others						
Maturity						
Management/leadership ability						
Imagination/creativity						

11. Do you recommend this applicant to be admitted to Pepperdine University Law School's Palmer Center?

- Strongly recommend Recommend with some reservations
 Recommend Do not recommend

Signature: X

Date: