

**Section 1**

**Applicant's Details (to be completed by the applicant)**

Applicant's Name

Proposed Area of Research

Faculty

**Section 2**

**Reference Details (to be completed by the referee)**

We welcome references in other accessible formats such as audio files, braille, captioned videos

The above has applied for admission to De Montfort University (DMU) as a research student – we would be grateful for your opinion on the applicant's suitability for the proposed research. It will be helpful if your statement below provides information where appropriate on:

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| <p>1. Intellectual Qualities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. previous examination performance</li> <li>b. present performance</li> <li>c. promise for the future, including an assessment of any examination results pending evidence of research ability and/or research potential</li> <li>d. previous examination performance</li> <li>e. present performance</li> <li>f. promise for the future, including an assessment of any examination results pending</li> <li>g. evidence of research ability and/or research potential</li> </ul> | <p>2. Work Experience including</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. previous performance</li> <li>b. aptitude and suitability relevance to present application</li> </ul> | <p>3. Personal Qualities</p> |
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Please indicate your connection with the applicant (e.g. work supervisor, tutor etc.)

*(Please continue on a separate sheet if required)*

**Section 3**

**Referee's Details**

Signed		Name (in capitals)	
Telephone Number		Email Address	
Position		Date	
Official Stamp			

**The completed reference form should be returned from a valid institution/organisation email address to [PGRscholarships@dmu.ac.uk](mailto:PGRscholarships@dmu.ac.uk)**

The reference must contain the full contact details of the referee, be dated within the last two years and provided via one of the formats listed:

- Return this completed form to [PGRscholarships@dmu.ac.uk](mailto:PGRscholarships@dmu.ac.uk) from a valid institutional address;
- Send a signed and dated reference on headed paper from your institution/organisation.