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**Referee Report: Professional Training in Psychology**

This referee’s report can be used to support an application for professional training in Clinical / Counseling psychology in the Psychology Departments at the **University of the Western Cape** or **Stellenbosch University**. The completed form needs to be returned to each of the institutions where the candidate has made an application.

**Instructions to applicants:**

1. Complete Section A of this form.
2. Forward the form to **two** referees, asking them to complete Section B and to send the form on to the institution(s) where you have applied.

**Instructions to referees:**

1. Complete Section B of this form.
2. Kindly give us your candid and considered views on the applicant. All information is confidential.
3. Please forward a copy of the completed form to each of the institutions where the candidate has made an application.

**Section A** (to be completed by applicant)

Candidate’s name:

Indicate which institutions you have applied to for admission to the Masters programme in Clinical/Counselling Psychology:

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| University of the Western Cape |  |
| Stellenbosch University |  |

**Section B** (to be completed by referee)

1. Referee’s details:

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| Title and name of referee:  Position:  Address:  Contact numbers:  Email:  In what capacity and for how long have you known the candidate? |

1. **Academic skills:**

Please provide an indication of the candidate’s academic skills by completing the table below.

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|  | **Insufficient knowledge of the candidate (cannot comment)** | **Poor** | **Adequate** | **Above Average** | **Outstanding** |
| Intellectual ability |  |  |  |  |  |
| Verbal communication |  |  |  |  |  |
| Written communication |  |  |  |  |  |
| Self-discipline |  |  |  |  |  |
| Initiative |  |  |  |  |  |
| Reliability |  |  |  |  |  |
| Research skills |  |  |  |  |  |

1. **Interpersonal skills and personal characteristics:**

Please provide relevant qualitative information about the candidate under the following headings:

1. Capacity to establish and maintain effective relationships with others (inter-personal skills) and communicate empathy and warmth:
2. Self-knowledge and insight:
3. Ability to manage work-related stress:
4. Assertiveness and self-confidence:

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1. Ability to work in a team or group:
2. Response to criticism or opposing views:
3. Socio-political awareness and commitment to social justice:
4. Community involvement:
5. Comment on your sense of the applicant’s abilities or interpersonal capabilities that may need to be further developed before they are ready to be trained as a clinical / counselling psychologist:

Comment on your impression of the candidate’s suitability for training as a Clinical/Counselling Psychologist:

1. Any additional comments:

Please return the completed form directly to the relevant institution(s) before:

**No late applications will be considered.**

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