

Ecumenical Doctor of Ministry Letter of Recommendation

Catholic Theological Union - Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago - McCormick Theological Seminary

Applicant Information

Name: First _____ Last/Family _____

I agree that the recommendation I am requesting be held in confidence by officials at Catholic Theological Union, Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago, and McCormick Theological Seminary, and I hereby waive any rights to examine it. [please check one] Yes No

SIGNATURE _____

Recommender's Responses

The Ecumenical Doctor of Ministry Degree requires candidates to exhibit advanced academic skills, especially the ability to think and analyze critically and to theologize contextually. They are also expected to work collaboratively with a diverse group of peers and be highly productive in a well defined program. Please rate the applicant, indicating in what percentile you would place the candidate among those you would consider seeking such an advanced degree:

Overall Academic Ability
top 1% _____
top 5% _____
top 10% _____
top 20% _____
other percentile _____
not able to comment _____

Ability to Respect Diversity
top 1% _____
top 5% _____
top 10% _____
top 20% _____
other percentile _____
not able to comment _____

Critical Thinking and Analytical Skills
top 1% _____
top 5% _____
top 10% _____
top 20% _____
other percentile _____
not able to comment _____

Ability to Theologize Contextually
top 1% _____
top 5% _____
top 10% _____
top 20% _____
other percentile _____
not able to comment _____

Ability to Work Collaboratively
top 1% _____
top 5% _____
top 10% _____
top 20% _____
other percentile _____
not able to comment _____

Ability to Meet Deadlines
top 1% _____
top 5% _____
top 10% _____
top 20% _____
other percentile _____
not able to comment _____

Signed _____

Position _____

Address _____

Letter of Recommendation - Part II

Besides filling out the rating of the applicant on the previous page, you are invited to offer further reflections in narrative form both on the applicant's academic skills as well as their pastoral gifts and ministerial commitment either on this page, or attached page[s].

Please return these forms to: Director, The Ecumenical Doctor of Ministry Program
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