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REFERENCE TO SUPPORT APPLICANT to:

Master of Divinity or Bachelor of Theology (Ordination) Degree

THIS PORTION IS TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT

*A **pastoral reference** is required in order to support an application for admission to the Master of Divinity program and the Bachelor of Theology (Ordination Track). This reference form must be sent directly to the Manager of Recruitment and Admissions at Acadia Divinity College by the pastor providing the reference. Those providing references must be over 21 years of age, should have known the applicant for a minimum of two years, and cannot be related to the applicant.*

Name of applicant:

Program applying to: Master of Divinity Bachelor of Theology

Previous Degrees (with dates and awarding institutions):

THE FOLLOWING IS TO BE FILLED OUT BY THE REFEREE

The Admissions Committee would appreciate a confidential statement from you concerning the applicant named above, evaluating his/her ability to undertake study at this School and estimating his/her potential as a Christian leader.

This form will be kept confidential, will be used only for admission purposes, and will not become part of the student's school record.

How long have you known the applicant?

To what degree do you expect the applicant to achieve his/her goals?

Has he/she any outstanding special interests or abilities?



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Does the applicant have any physical needs/limitations of which we ought to be aware?

What is your estimate of the applicant's spiritual influence on his/her associates?

In what areas does the applicant have weaknesses that will need attention?

Have you any reason for lack of confidence in this applicant?

What are the applicant's greatest strengths?

In your opinion, is the applicant clearly suitable for theological study and/or Christian service?



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DESCRIPTION	Much Above Average	Above Average	Average	Below Average	Much Below Average	Comments:
Intellectual ability						
Breadth of general						
Expression/speaking ability						
Theological insight						
Organizational ability						
Desire to serve God						
Willingness to oppose						
Moral stability						
Integrity						
Spiritual maturity						
Kindness and generosity						
Potential as a leader						
Perseverance						
Effectiveness in working with others						
Past performance as a leader						

Please indicate whether you recommendation is given:

With reluctance Without enthusiasm Fairly strongly Strongly Enthusiastically

Signature: _____

Name: _____

Position: _____

Date: _____

Address: _____

PLEASE SEND VIA MAIL:

Acadia Divinity College
Attention: Admissions
15 University Ave
Wolfville, NS B4P 2R6
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OR VIA EMAIL OR FAX:

Email: catherine.cole@acadiu.ca
Fax: (902) 585-2233 (Attention: Admissions)

If you have any questions regarding completing this form, please call 902-585-2220 or email: catherine.cole@acadiu.ca