FOREIGN MENTOR RECOMMENDATION FORM

Student’s Name: ____________________________

Major/College: ________________________________

Title of Project: ________________________________

This form must be completed by the Foreign Mentor and, with letter of recommendation, may be attached to the original application in a sealed envelope or sent directly to the Hamel Center, 209 Hood House. Email (with attachments) may be sent to undergrad.research@unh.edu. These applications are considered by a rolling review process, and decisions will be made promptly once all application materials have been received by the Hamel Center.

Foreign Mentor’s Name: ____________________________

Foreign Mentor’s Institutional Affiliation: ____________________________

Foreign Mentor’s Phone Number: ____________________________ Email Address: ____________________________

To the Foreign Mentor: Please respond to the questions below, noting the following criteria for review. (Please attach this form to a separate sheet).

Criteria for Review of Application:
A. sufficient knowledge of resources and contacts at the research site
B. evidence of adequate qualifications, preparation, and experience for project
C. clarity of research question, objectives, and purpose
D. manageability of project in the time period allowed
E. manageability of project in light of possible cultural/language barriers
F. emotional and intellectual maturity of student
G. ability of the student to be a good representative of the U.S. abroad

To the best of your ability, please address the following questions in your Letter of Recommendation:
1. Evaluate your experience supervising the student in coursework or research.
2. How well prepared is the student to undertake this project while studying abroad and in the time period proposed?
3. What kind of assistance/guidance will you be able to give the student during the research period?
4. All things considered, including the student’s capability, is this a safe and feasible project?

I have reviewed the student’s application (cover sheet, proposal, budget), and I agree to mentor this project, if funded.

Signature ____________________________ Date ______________

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