Church Endorsement



Name of Ap	olicant:								
If the student is related to the pastor, another church officer should complete the form. The applicant named above is applying for a grant from the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.). This evaluation is a required element of the application and must be completed and mailed no later than June 15 in order for the student to be considered for an award. MDiv students must be under care of a PCUSA Presbytery. If the student is not, or will not be under care by June 15, please advise the student about seeking enrollment as an Inquirer in the Presbytery.									
Alternate Endorsers Alternate endorsers for this element of the application include: Campus minister or Supervised Ministry Supervisor									
Confidentiality Policy It is the policy of the Financial Aid for Service to hold evaluations by an academic advisor in grant and scholarship applications to be confidential documents, viewed only by staff and the reading committee.									
To be completed by the pastor or clerk of session.									
Is the applicant a member of the congregation? \square Yes \square No									
How well do you know the student?									
How long have you known the student?									
Rate the Student's Preparedness for Ministry									
Not At All	Somewhat	Meets Expectations	Exceeds Expectations	Outstanding					
					Aware of others				
					Biblically literate				
					Strong spiritual practices and disciplines				
					Clear understanding of Reformed Tradition				
					Mediates & modulates bad/problematic situation				
					Effective communication skills				
					Collegial: "Work together"				
					Enthusiasm for ministry				

through practice of spiritual disciplines, discernment of a call to ministry, and the gifts the student brings to congregational leadership. Based on your knowledge of the student, please tell the Presbyterian Study Grant reading committee why you recommend this student for award.							
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The Presbyterian Study Grant Reading Committee will be directed to evaluate the student based on their readiness for ministry