Letter of Recommendation to The University of Maine at Augusta Honors Program

This section to be filled in by applicant. (**Please PRINT or TYPE**) ID#_____

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last name first name middle name UMA degree program

OPTIONAL: (This waiver is not required as a condition for admission to or receipt of financial aid or any other services and benefits from the University.) All rights of access to this letter of recommendation conferred by the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (P.L. 93-380) as amended, or otherwise, are hereby voluntarily waived.

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signature date

To be completed by recommender and returned directly to the Honors Program, The University of Maine at Augusta, 46 University Drive, Augusta, Maine 04330

Honors courses at UMA consist of seminars (in which students are expected to actively challenge and be challenged), regular courses (in which honors students contract to do extra work), and independent study. Considering the applicant's maturity, talent and motivation, what is your estimate of his or her greatest strengths and weaknesses? Please state the nature and extent of your acquaintance with the applicant. If you prefer to write a personal letter rather than use this form, please feel free to do so, and attach this form to your letter. Thank you for your frank and candid observations.

(Please use reverse side if necessary)

Summary Evaluation: In comparison with a representative group of students who have had approximately the same amount of experience and education, how do you rate the applicant in:

	Below average	Average	Good	Very Good	Truly Outstanding	Exceptional	Unable to Judge
Academic Ability							
Motivation							
Oral Communication							
Written Communication							
Critical Thinking Skills							
Maturity							

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Signature Title

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