

**Recommendation Form for Nutrition Blended BMS Admission**  
**Food Science and Nutrition Department, California Polytechnic University**  
 Please email this form to [FSN@calpoly.edu](mailto:FSN@calpoly.edu) before March 1<sup>st</sup>, September 1<sup>st</sup>, or December 1<sup>st</sup>

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Portion to be completed by student before bringing the form to Faculty and/or sending to external reviewer:

**RECOMMENDATION ON BEHALF OF**

**Applicant Name:**

*Last*

*First*

*MI*

**Email:**

**Applicant's Student ID:**

I agree to waive my right to have access to the information provided on this form: Y  N

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**1. Knowledge of the Applicant**

Approximately how long have you known the applicant? \_\_\_\_\_ Years

How well do you feel you know the applicant? Casually Well Very Well

What was the nature of your contacts with the applicant? Teacher in One Class Teacher in More Than One Class  
 Research Advisor Other (specify)

**2. Relative Rating of the Applicant.** Please rate the applicant in the areas indicated below by comparing him or her to the rest of the Junior students

	Top 1-2%	Top 5%	Top 10%	Top 25%	2nd 25%	3rd 25%	Last 25%	Unable To Rate
Overall knowledge								
Ability to grasp new concepts								
Originality, intellectual creativity								
Mathematical and logical thought								
Written expression								
Oral expression								
Laboratory skills (if applicable)								
Perseverance toward goals								
Potential as a teacher (if applicable)								
Potential in research (if applicable)								
Ability to get along with others								
Ability to analyze problems and formulate solutions								

**3. Some gifted individuals demonstrate comparatively low achievement in scholastic records. In your opinion, is the applicant's scholastic record, as you know it, an accurate index of his or her scholastic ability? Yes No Don't Know** If your answer is "No", please explain briefly.

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4. Do you have any information related to character and temperament or to any impairment that should be considered by an admissions committee or should be taken into account in planning the student's graduate work?

5. Please express your views on any of the items 1-4 and on any other relevant abilities about which you have knowledge (e.g., ability to organize and express ideas clearly, orally and in writing; accomplishments in thesis or published works). If you wish to submit a letter of recommendation on your own letterhead, please attach to this form.

**6. Recommender Summary**

Recommend enthusiastically

Recommend with confidence

Recommend

Recommend with reservation

Not recommended

Your Name:

Title:

Department:

Organization:

Email:

Zip Code:

Country:

Date:

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