

**FORM B: SUPERVISOR RECOMMENDATION for:**

Student Name	
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TO BE COMPLETED BY YOUR PROPOSED SUPERVISOR (Submitted applications without this completed section will not be accepted)

Name:			
School / Department:			
Phone:		Email:	
Qualification / Awarding Body			
Primary Degree(s)		Date of Award	
Post-graduate Degree(s)		Date of Award	
Research Experience ( <i>Higher Education / Industry</i> ):			
Other relevant Experience ( <i>incl. Duration</i> )			
Are you happy to recommend this student for a GRO bursary?		Yes	No
Are you willing to supervise this student should they receive a GRO bursary? Yes No			
Number of post-graduate research students supervised to date (if any).	Masters		
	PhD:		
Please give details of above, including year of funding, sources and year of completion/ proposed year of completion.			
<u>Relevant Publications</u> Identify refereed publications. Include date of publication.			

Signature  
(Supervisor)

Date

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In providing your recommendation and statement of support for the above student please provide a written recommendation giving details regarding the:

- (i) Applicants academic career;
- (ii) Observations on the characteristics and achievements of the applicant in relation to their potential for a research career;
- (iii) Why they have decided to work with the applicant;
- (iv) Any specific training needs that the applicant will require during the research;
- (v) The relevance of their current research to the applicant;
- (vi) The benefits to be gained by working with the applicant;
- (vii) Any factors that might affect the student's research progress;
- (viii) Any additional information that illustrates the suitability of the candidate for a research career;
- (ix) Any evidence of any relevant achievement by the applicant.
- (x) Please provide the contact details of three independent external referee(s) who may be asked by the GRO office to assess the viability of the research topic. Is there anyone you wish not to be involved in an independent external assessment? GRO Office reserves right to nominate the external assessor (i.e. if a perceived Conflict of Interest exists).

**Signature**  
(Supervisor)

**Date**

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