



COUNSELOR NOMINATION

NYU Abu Dhabi Counselor Nomination Form

A. NOMINATOR INFORMATION:

[MR. / MRS. / MS. / DR.]

INDICATE HONORIFIC LAST NAME FIRST NAME TITLE

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E-MAIL COUNTRY CODE / AREA CODE / TELEPHONE

HIGH SCHOOL STREET

CITY STATE/PROVINCE ZIP/POSTAL CODE

COUNTRY PRINCIPAL HONORIFIC PRINCIPAL LAST NAME PRINCIPAL FIRST NAME

B. STUDENT INFORMATION:

LAST NAME (Please write name exactly as it appears on passport) FIRST NAME FEMALE MALE PLEASE INDICATE

BIRTH DATE [MM/DD/YYYY] PASSPORT NUMBER COUNTRY ISSUING PASSPORT

COUNTRY OF BIRTH COUNTRY OF CITIZENSHIP COUNTRY OF LEGAL RESIDENCE

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C. PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION:

Mother/Guardian (If guardian, please indicate your relationship to the student.)

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LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	RELATIONSHIP	COUNTRY CODE / AREA CODE / TELEPHONE

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E-MAIL	STREET

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CITY	STATE/PROVINCE	ZIP/POSTAL CODE	COUNTRY

Father/Guardian (If guardian, please indicate your relationship to the student.)

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LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	RELATIONSHIP	COUNTRY CODE / AREA CODE / TELEPHONE

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D. EVALUATION:

1. How well do you know the student being nominated? For what length of time have you known him or her?

2. What are the first three characteristics that come to mind when thinking about this student?

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3. Reflecting on other top graduates you have worked with over the past five years, please rate the student within this group in the following areas on a scale from 1 to 5: **"1" being the best you have seen, "5" indicating that the student is less strong** in this area than other students who had top academic rankings.

Overall Intelligence <i>Capacity for understanding and problem solving in an academic environment.</i>	1	2	3	4	5
Emotional Intelligence <i>Ability to understand and process people and world events.</i>	1	2	3	4	5
Ability to Lead <i>Natural ability to lead a group; willingness of others to follow.</i>	1	2	3	4	5
Ambition <i>Has a clear set of goals and is developing the tools to achieve them.</i>	1	2	3	4	5
Adventurous Spirit <i>Willingness to take calculated risks: thoughtful about taking risks but not afraid to try something new.</i>	1	2	3	4	5
Initiative <i>A self-starter, thinks ahead, solves problems, takes action to improve situations.</i>	1	2	3	4	5
Adaptability <i>Ability to accommodate and be sensitive to others while maintaining a positive leadership attitude.</i>	1	2	3	4	5
Helps Create Sense of Community <i>Ability to include others; leadership skills do not cause the student to isolate him/herself.</i>	1	2	3	4	5
Maturity <i>Capacity to self-reflect and bring about personal change.</i>	1	2	3	4	5
Global Citizen <i>Understands responsibilities and opportunities of a global community and where he/she fits.</i>	1	2	3	4	5





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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

4. In 500 words or fewer, please describe why this student is an exceptionally good fit for admission to NYU Abu Dhabi, an institution with an unblinking commitment to admit students who fit comfortably in the top 1 percent of the talent pool worldwide. In what ways is this student an unusually promising pioneer, adventurer, explorer, researcher, idea maker, change maker—someone with that extra drive intellectually and socially yet also with a passionate concern for our common destiny?

5. What, if any, concerns do you have about this student in relation to NYU Abu Dhabi?

6. Information from the Nominee: Please ask each of your nominees to prepare the following assignment and submit it to you digitally. Please then cut and paste the student's original work into the form below.

To the Student: Please look at the UAE Interact Web site (<http://www.uaeinteract.com>). In 500 words or fewer (one page single-spaced), propose a research project that you would like to undertake as an NYUAD student to gain a deeper understanding of one particular topic of interest to you in the UAE. Pose a research question (in one sentence) and describe how you would go about gathering information to answer your question. Speak to what you imagine obstacles might be in pursuing your research and any ethical dimensions of the research to which you would need to be attentive.

E. NEXT STEPS:

1. Nominate a maximum of two students according to the following deadlines.

First Nomination Deadline: Friday, September 25, 2009

Please submit your nomination(s) electronically on or before Friday, September 25, 2009, for those nominees you think should have the opportunity to visit Abu Dhabi before the November 1 Early Decision application deadline.

Second Nomination Deadline: Sunday, October 25, 2009

You may also submit nominations electronically for other prospective Early Decision applicants or Regular Decision January 1 applicants on or before Sunday, October 25. Please note that NYU Abu Dhabi Admissions will ensure that every qualified applicant for Early Decision or Regular Decision has the opportunity to visit Abu Dhabi before having to make the decision to accept admission to NYU Abu Dhabi.

Final Nomination Deadline: Tuesday, December 1, 2009

The final deadline for submitting nominations is Tuesday, December 1. Students nominated by this date will be considered only for Regular Decision admissions.

2. Include with your nomination a scanned copy of the student's current (2008-2009) transcript.

In a highly competitive process, NYU Abu Dhabi Admissions will select from among all nominated students a group of 30-40 to attend the NYU Abu Dhabi Candidate Weekend held in Abu Dhabi on October 22-25, 2009. Nominees selected to travel will be provided with economy class airfare from the international airport closest to their school location, accommodation, meals, and a \$200 allowance toward travel expenses (visa, passport, and ground transportation in the student's home country). The allowance will be paid to the students on site in Abu Dhabi.

Nominees not selected to travel will be encouraged to apply Early Decision or Regular Decision, and qualified candidates will still have the opportunity to be funded to travel to Abu Dhabi at a later date. Of course, other outstanding students are welcome to apply to NYU Abu Dhabi by the November 1, 2009, Early Decision deadline. All qualified Early Decision applicants will be funded to travel to Abu Dhabi for a Candidate Weekend on November 26-29. Additional Candidate Weekends for qualified students applying for Regular Decision will be held on January 28-31, 2010; February 18-21, 2010; and March 11-14, 2010.

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