

**Foreign Language and Area Studies Fellowship
Language Instructor Recommendation**

Section to Be Completed by the Applicant

Instruction to the applicant: Complete the top portion of this form and give to your language recommender.

Applicant Name: _____ UFID: _____

Recommender's Name: _____ Recommender's Title: _____

Recommender's Department and Institution: _____

Check one:

- I waive my right to inspect this recommendation.
- I do not waive my right to inspect this recommendation.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

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Section to Be Completed by the Language Recommender

Instruction to the recommender: The student whose name appears above is applying for a Foreign Language and Area Studies (FLAS) Fellowship for Academic Year and/or Summer. These fellowships provide tuition and stipend for studying a modern foreign language in combination with area studies, international studies, or international aspects of professional studies related to Latin America and/or the Caribbean. To help the selection committee in assessing the student's candidacy, please complete the following:

If this evaluation is not based primarily on courses taught to the applicant, please indicate how your evaluation was determined (e.g., by proficiency test, supervision of fieldwork/research, internship, daily contact, etc.):

Please provide the following information on language courses you have taught to the applicant.

Course Title/ Language Level	When was the course taken?	Grade

Please rate the applicant on the following language skills in comparison with others whom you have known at similar stages in their careers.

		Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent	Fluent
Speaking and Listening						
	Listening Comprehension	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Pronunciation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Vocabulary Control	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reading						
	Reading Comprehension	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Knowledge of Vocabulary	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Reading Speed	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Writing						
	Ability to write in the foreign language	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Grasp of Grammar	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Control of Sentence Structure	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please indicate any special linguistics strengths or weaknesses.

Please write a statement evaluating the applicant's general aptitude to learn the proposed foreign language. Comment on the applicant's strengths and weaknesses considering his/her potential for high academic achievement as well as significance of language and area studies on his/her training and career goals. You may type the text below or prepare the statement in a separate document. Please submit this form and statement as one PDF file via the linked received from Submittable by the application deadline.