Reference Form
FOCUS 2022: Northern Ireland
Cohran Center for Vocational Reflection

Student Name: ____________________________

Reference Name: ____________________________  Furman Dept.: _________________________________
or
Organization: ________________________________

Reference

Please provide your honest responses to the following questions. This information will help the committee in our selection process.

Part I

Please answer the questions below.

1. How long have you known the student/applicant?

2. How do you know the student/applicant?

3. Has the student explained the basic purpose of this FOCUS program to you?  ____ Yes   ____ No

4. If you were leading an international travel program, would you have any major reservations about having this student in your travel group?  ____Yes   ____No

   Comments (if needed):

Part II

Please attach (or email) a letter of recommendation that addresses at least three (3) of the following four prompts regarding your experiences with, and/or observation of, the student/applicant.

1. The applicant’s appreciation and respect for diversity, including diverse opinions and views
2. The applicant’s strengths in group or team situations
3. The applicant’s critical and/or creative thinking skills
4. The applicant’s maturity level and sense of responsibility
Part III

Overall, would you recommend this applicant/student to be a responsible and engaging part of an intensive international travel program to Northern Ireland?

____ Yes, with enthusiasm!

____ Yes, with some confidence.

____ Maybe, but with some reservations or question.

____ No, I would not.

____ I'm not sure, because I do not have enough information.

Please provide additional comments below, if needed:

Reference Signature:

Reference Title and/or Organization:

Reference Phone Number:

Reference E-mail Address:

*Please submit this letter directly to the Cothran Center by **Friday, October 15, 2021.** You can mail the document to Relyn Rollins, Cothran Center, JBD Library, Furman University, Greenville, SC 29613 or e-mail to rolyn.rollins@furman.edu by the deadline.*