

NOMINATION Form



Admission in Fall 2009

Nominating Faculty Member

We invite you to nominate a promising transdisciplinary student to apply to the Claremont National Scholars Program.

- We ask that you complete this nomination form as well as provide your own written comments. To preserve confidentiality of your recommendation, please enclose this form and your comments in a sealed envelope and affix your signature to the sealed flap. You can return the envelope to your candidate for submission with his/her entire application package to the Admissions Office at Claremont Graduate University.
- The entire application packet is available to your students online at: www.cgu.edu/scholars
- The Scholarship Committee appreciates your nomination and judicious evaluation of the following candidate.

Candidate Information:

Candidate First Name: _____

Candidate Last Name: _____

The candidate has received or will receive his/her degree(s) from the following university/universities:

How long have you known the candidate? _____

In what capacity? _____

NOMINATION Form (cont'd)

For the Nominating Faculty Member:

Name: _____

Title: _____

Institution: _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone Number: (_____) _____ Email: _____

If you would like to receive additional Nomination Forms, we invite you to contact us at scholars@cgu.edu

I strongly recommend recommend recommend with reservations do not recommend
this candidate for admission and scholarship consideration.

I would would not be willing to respond to additional questions by telephone.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

*Enclose in a sealed envelope, and **sign the back of the envelope across the sealed flap**. Return the sealed envelope to the candidate so that he/she may submit it with the rest of his/her application. Applications **must be postmarked by December 1, 2008**.*

STATEMENT about the Candidate

Nominating Faculty Member,

Please use separate sheets to make important comments concerning this candidate to include:

- Why are you nominating this candidate to be considered as a Claremont National Scholar?
- How does the candidate's past research and experience, as well as future goals, align with the goals of the scholarship and the pursuit of transdisciplinary study?
- What is your estimate of the candidate's promise as a graduate student?
- What are the candidate's strengths, weaknesses, and potential for independent study and research?
- Please include notations of accomplishments and motivations, intellectual independence, and ability to organize and express ideas clearly in writing and orally.
- In your opinion, are there factors that may not be reflected on the candidate's scholastic or employment records, including aspects of character and personality that bear on his/her ability to succeed in graduate studies and subsequent career or profession?