

Application Related Information

Application: Application Incomplete
Grad Program Applying To: MPA

Iteration Name: 202410_GR_G
Program Name: MPA

Recommendation Information

Recommended By: Greg Wakefield
Recommenders Institution: AAA Moving & Storage
Waive Access to Recommendation Ltrs: I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.
Recommendation Form Submitted: ✓

Recommenders Title:

Contact Name: Nico Coffman

Recommendation Waiver Choice: I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.

Recommendation Status: Received

Received Date: 06/30/2023 05:51 PM

Recommender Assessment: I recommend this applicant.

Recommendation Type: General

Recommender Form: MPA Letter of Recommendation/Form

Recommendation Entity ID: 1024000110137559

Recommendation Owner: Shalimar Pedersen

Recommender Form Questions

How long have you known applicant:
34

Applicant ability as self-directed learner: I have no reason to believe that he isn't capable of being self-directed learner.

Time since last contact with applicant:
2 days

Applicant as productive member of group: I believe this is one of his strengths. I believe he is willing to participate, learn from and listen to others in a group setting.

Relationship with Applicant: Grandfatherh

Applicant most significant strengths: I believe he demonstrates a tenacity to provide for his son as a single parent. This goes to his character.

Ability to complete rigorous grad program: Unable to Judge

Responsibility/reliability: Above Average

Communication Skills - Oral: Above Average

Communication skills - written: Unable to Judge

Service Orientation-sensitivity/empathy: Very Good

Ability to work independently: Above Average

Ability to handle stress: Above Average

Ability to think critically: Above Average

Ability to analyze/problem solve: Very Good

Ability to think creatively: Excellent

Openness to feedback: Very Good

Potential for leadership: Below Average

Ability to work in a team: Excellent

Personal/professional reflection: Excellent

Description Information

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Form URL: <https://evergreenstatecollege.radius>

Other Information

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Greg Wakefield, LOR, Nico Coffman

Any letter of recommendation necessarily incorporates a person's biases and expectations.

It is difficult to write one for a relative because of the family dynamics that are involved in the relationship.

When talking about Nico, I will tell you that he has struggled but he has been able to overcome issues in his family relationships and life. He is dedicated to his son and makes daily sacrifices so he is there for his son, Harbor.

As a business owner with operations in Alaska and Washington State one of the main things I look for in an employee is character. At AAA we hire for character and train skills. I believe Nico has the character to accomplish a graduate program if Evergreen is willing to provide the opportunity and training skills.

I cannot judge his academic ability because I have not been with him during his academic journey at Evergreen. As a holder of a Bachelors from St. John's University, a Masters of Public Administration from WSU, a MBA from the University of WA and a former instructor at the University of Alaska, Anchorage, I have an appreciation what it takes to succeed in a Graduate Program.

I believe he can succeed if offered an opportunity because of his character.

Evergreen needs to judge his academic ability.