
Application Related Information

Application: Application Incomplete
Grad Program Applying To: MPA

Iteration Name: 202510_GR_G
Program Name: MPA

Recommendation Information

Recommended By: Tamara Gaston
Recommenders Institution: Aging Long-Term Support Administration
Waive Access to Recommendation Ltrs: I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.
Recommendation Form Submitted: ✓

Recommenders Title: Tribal Affairs Administrator
Contact Name: Jillian Morris
Recommendation Waiver Choice: I choose to waive my right to review this recommendation.
Recommendation Status: Received

Received Date: 02/09/2024 04:46 PM
Recommendation Type: General
Recommendation Entity ID: 1024000117501369

Recommender Assessment: I recommend this applicant.
Recommender Form: MPA Letter of Recommendation/Form
Recommendation Owner: Josephine Bernier

Recommender Form Questions

How long have you known applicant:	Two years	Applicant ability as self-directed learner:	Jillian currently works in a role that is self-directed and decision making oriented.
Time since last contact with applicant:	16 hours ago	Applicant as productive member of group:	She is driven individual, I believe she will be productive.
Relationship with Applicant:	Her supervisor	Applicant most significant strengths:	She is a logical and rational thinker. She pays attention to details in our policies and researches the laws that may have an impact on tribes. These skills will help her excel in this program.
Ability to complete rigorous grad program:	Very Good	Responsibility/reliability:	Very Good
Communication Skills - Oral:	Outstanding	Communication skills - written:	Outstanding
Service Orientation-sensitivity/empathy:	Outstanding	Ability to work independently:	Very Good
Ability to handle stress:	Very Good	Ability to think critically:	Excellent
Ability to analyze/problem solve:	Excellent	Ability to think creatively:	Excellent
Openness to feedback:	Outstanding	Potential for leadership:	Outstanding
Ability to work in a team:	Outstanding	Personal/professional reflection:	Outstanding

Description Information

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Other Information

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Dear MPA Program Admissions Officer,

I fully support and recommend Jillian Morris for the master's program of public administration. Currently, Jillian is employed through a grant with state service as a Tribal Initiative Program Manager. In her role she provides feedback on tribal related topics.

Jillian's position plays an incredibly supportive role in government-to-government relationship and acknowledging tribe's sovereign laws. While working in this position, she is committed to fostering the development of community resources and long-term care programs that results in an increased use and access to services that improves the overall well-being for our tribal elders and individuals with a disability.

Jillian's position is a high-level position that requires professionalism, autonomy of work and accountability. Jillian holds herself to these standards, which has created great relationships amongst the tribes we work with as well as with her peers.

As her supervisor, I have seen her continued desire to learn and strive to support the tribes we serve today. She continues to research and bring added information, ideas, and partners within the work we do. Jillian is a great fit for this program, and it will help the future endeavors she is looking to do.

If you would like to further discuss Jillian Morris and her capacity as a student in this program, please feel free to contact me, (425) 902-2477 or by email at Tamara7810@dshs.wa.gov.

Thank you,

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