Recommendation Form ISSS - **iLEAD Student Mentor**

The Office of International Student & Scholar Services (ISSS) is looking for current Vanderbilt University undergraduate and graduate students to work as iLEAD Student mentors for the 2017-2018 academic year. These students will be responsible for mentoring a group of 8-15 new international students as they adjust to life in the U.S. and at Vanderbilt. They will assist with International Student Orientation in August and will also be part of an official Vanderbilt student organization that works to develop and implement relevant and engaging programming for new students. Accepted students will receive training on leadership skill development, group facilitation and mentoring, psychological and counseling resources, and and will better understand the unique challenges that international students face. There is no financial compensation for these positions at this time; however, iLEAD will be given an annual programming budget.

STUDENT'S NAME:	
RECOMMENDER'S NAME:	
TITLE/POSITION:	
RELATIONSHIP TO STUDENT:	
LENGTH OF TIME KNOWN STUDENT:	
EMAIL:	
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Please rate the student on each of the following skills and attributes.

	Poor	Fair	Neutral	Good	Excellent	No Basis for Judgement
Cultural sensitivity						
Personal integrity						
Ability to work with peers						
Ability to work with superiors						
Verbal communication skills						
Written communication skills						
Overall leadership ability						
Dependability						
Time management						

A primary responsibility of an iLEAD mentor is to help international students adjust to life in a new environment. How do you feel this applicant would function in that role?

Based on your observations, do you have any concerns over this student's ability to partner with and mentor students of diverse language, cultural, and ideological backgrounds? Please explain.

Please provide any additional information or comments about this student that would help the review panel in making their selection.

Please indicate your overall endorsement of this student.

Highly Recommended
Recommended
Recommended with Reservation

Not Recommended