

Instructions for Recommenders



Dear recommender,

One of your students has named you as a contact person for a letter of recommendation for his/her application for a scholarship at the [NHR Graduate School](#).

The NHR Graduate School is the joint graduate school of the nine [NHR centres](#). It brings together talented scientists from many different fields to leverage high-performance computing in different research areas.

Fellows of the NHR Graduate School are receiving a three-year full-time scholarship at one of the renowned NHR centres and have access to the National High-Performance Computing Alliance.

Please send your letter of recommendation no later than **September 15, 2024**, via [email](#).

The *Letter of Recommendation* is important for the decision to award a scholarship to the NHR Graduate School. We therefore ask for a frank, specific, personal letter that details the potential, the strengths, and the weaknesses of the applicant.

The letter should also give some information on your relationship with the applicant and how highly you rank the applicant among his/her peers. Please also give some information about the applicant's personality and motivation to pursue a Ph.D. in the field of High-Performance Computing.

Finally, please write a clear conclusion as to whether you think the candidate has the potential to succeed in a top graduate school in this field.

If you have any further questions, please contact us via [email](#).

Kind regards,

Your team of the NHR Graduate School