

Global Ventures

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Dear Friend:

_____ has made application to serve in overseas missionary work with Global Ventures of The Christian & Missionary Alliance. We have been given permission to ask you for a personal reference and a candid evaluation.

For the sake of the overseas work, Global Ventures team members, and the missionaries, it is extremely important that we have an accurate appraisal of this student. This program requires young men and women who are spiritually and personally mature and who are willing to engage in self-sacrificing service to others.

The people of other countries need to see the very best examples of our Christian youth. The summer will be both difficult and demanding, and for the right person it will be life-changing. For these very reasons, we are careful to identify the type of person who will both contribute well and benefit much from the experience.

For these reasons, we ask that you use great care in answering this questionnaire. We do appreciate your willingness to complete the reference form and send it back to us as soon as possible so it can be processed with the student's application. Please feel free to complete the form and send it as an email attachment to us or print and complete the form in which case you will need to send it to us via regular mail.

Our email address is global-ventures@cmalliance.org

Thank you for your time and interest.

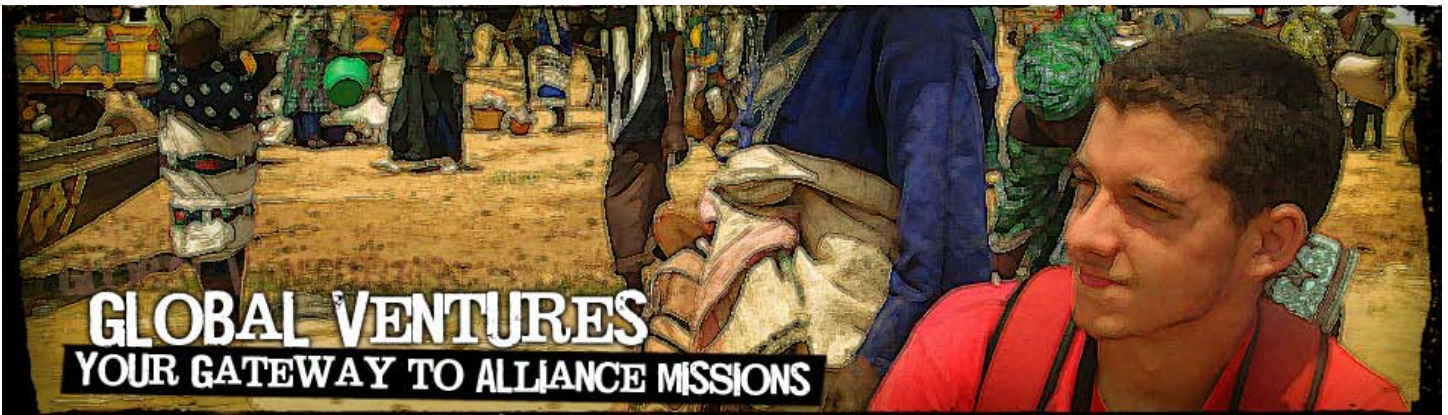
Sincerely,

Richard A. Byham, D.Min.

Director for Global Ventures

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Enclosures



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Name of Applicant _____

Name of College _____

In each row, select the option that best describes the student:

MENTAL ACUTENESS	Deficient	Limited Capacity	Average	Above Average	Surpassing
SERIOUSNESS OF PURPOSE	Purposeless	Vacillating	Potential	Limited	Purposeful
INDUSTRY	Seldom works even under pressure	Needs constant pressure	Needs occasional prodding	Prepares assigned work regularly	Seeks additional work
PERSEVERANCE	Completes few undertakings	Complete tasks if supervised	Usually follows through	Determined, seldom distracted	Complete task regardless of difficulty
INITIATIVE	Seldom initiates	Conforms	Varies with conditions	Self-reliant	Creative
INFLUENCE	Negative	Retiring but cooperative	Varying	Contributing	Judgment respected, Makes things go
CONCERN FOR OTHERS	Antisocial	Indifferent	Self-centered	Somewhat socially concerned	Deeply and generally concerned
RELIABILITY	Unreliable	Somewhat reliable	Usually reliable	Reliable	Assumes much responsibility
INTEGRITY	Not dependable	Questionable at times	Generally honest	Reliable, dependable	Consistently trustworthy
EMOTIONAL STABILITY	Hyperemotional	Excitable	Well-balanced	Exceptionally stable	Apathetic
	Unresponsive	Usually well-balanced			
PERSONALITY & TACT	Rejected by others	Tolerated	Accepted	Well-liked	Sought out

COOPERATION	Unwilling	Indifferent	When convenient	Usually willing	Outstanding
MANNERS	Poor	Fair	Average	Very good	Excellent
CAREFULNESS IN DRESS	Poor	Fair	Average	Very good	Excellent
JUDGMENT AND COMMON SENSE	Poor	Fair	Average	Very good	Excellent
REFINEMENT	Poor	Fair	Average	Very good	Excellent
SENSE OF HUMOR	Poor	Fair	Average	Very good	Excellent

1. How long have you known the applicant?

In what capacity or connection?

2. Has the applicant given evidence of being converted?

3. Has the applicant expressed a desire to devote his/her life to the service of Christ?

4. Would you judge the applicant's spiritual attitude to be deep-rooted or merely conventional?

5. Does the applicant appear to have a purpose in life?

6. How is the applicant regarded in the home, church and community?

7. What kind of spiritual training has the applicant had at home?

8. Does the applicant possess qualities and ability for leadership?

9. Is the applicant discreet in conduct with the opposite sex?

10. Has the applicant any personal, domestic or social handicaps that would put him/her at a disadvantage?

11. Is the applicant careful in meeting financial obligations?

12. Has the applicant any special talents? If so, what?

13. Do you recommend that the applicant be accepted as a member of Global Ventures?

Please check the words that describe the applicant's character:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Mature | <input type="checkbox"/> Conceited | <input type="checkbox"/> Aggressive | <input type="checkbox"/> Thoughtful |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Timid | <input type="checkbox"/> Faultfinding | <input type="checkbox"/> Economical | <input type="checkbox"/> Changeable |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Selfish | <input type="checkbox"/> Strongwilled | <input type="checkbox"/> Extravagant | <input type="checkbox"/> Spiritually-minded |

Any further comments:

Name

Relationship to applicant

Address

Phone Number

Email Address

PLEASE EMAIL THE COMPLETED REFERENCE TO:
global-ventures@cmalliance.org
For questions please call (719) 265-2037

