

Letter of Recommendation Release Form

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) prohibit an educational institution from releasing confidential, non-directory information about a student without the student's consent. A student may waive this right for faculty and staff when written letters of recommendation are requested.

Completion of this form authorizes an individual to use a student's education record as appropriate to provide requested information. This authorization to provide a recommendation is valid for (1) year from the date of the signature below.

| Student's Name: | MaineStreet ID: |
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| (Printed Name) | Municotreet ID. |
| Name of individual authorized to release Academic Information: | |
| I give the individual listed above permission to write a letter of recommendation to: (Name of person, business, institution or service) I give my permission to include the following non-directory information in this letter of recommendation: | |
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| I understand that, under FERPA, I have a right to review a copy of education records upon request unless I choose to waive that right. With that understanding, I make the following decision: | |
| ☐ I waive my right to review a copy of this recommendation. | |
| ☐ I do NOT waive my right to review a copy of this recommendation. | |
| Student Signature: | Date: |

Return completed form to the Faculty/Staff member for retention in the academic department for a period of one year.