

## PSYCHOLOGY ADVISING CENTER PEER ADVISOR APPLICATION

Please type or print neatly:

Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
First M.I. Last

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street

\_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_  
City ST Zip

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Work/Cell

Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_ Expected Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Month/Year

Cumulative GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Psychology Major Status (circle one): Pre/Intermediate/Full

1. List in chronological order all colleges/universities you have attended, including the University of Utah, regardless of the length of your attendance:

<i>Name of Institution</i>	<i>Location</i>	<i>Dates of Attendance</i>	<i>Degree &amp; Date Earned/Expected</i>
_____	_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____	_____ to _____	_____
_____	_____	_____ to _____	_____

2. Please indicate the semester in which you took or plan to take:

PSY 3000: \_\_\_\_\_ PSY 3010: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Please indicate what you have been doing (e.g. employment, school, military, mission) and where you have been for the last three years. Be specific; account for all months.

<i>From:</i>	<i>To:</i>	<i>Employer/Activity:</i>	<i>City, ST:</i>
_____	_____	_____	_____
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**In less than 2 pages, please submit the answers to following questions/statements with your application.**

4. Why are you interested in the Peer Advisor position?
5. What experience, if any, do you have with the Psychology Advising Center?
6. Please indicate the reasons you believe you would be an effective advisor.
7. How much time are you available to commit to the PAC each week? Besides the times when you are in class, are there times you know you will NOT be available?
8. Please tell us about your involvement in the campus community:
9. Please give the name, address, and phone number of the individual providing your recommendation:
10. How do you know this individual?

***I certify that all of my application information is complete  
and accurate to the best of my knowledge.***

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

***Attach DARS or unofficial transcript, and return by 4 p.m., March 8, 2010, to:***

*Psychology Advising Center  
University of Utah  
380 South 1530 East, Room 507  
Salt Lake City, UT 84112*

PSYCHOLOGY ADVISING CENTER  
Peer Advisor Recommendation

Please type or print clearly. This form is required with the submission of your application. Your Recommender may submit a written letter with your application as well but it is not required.

Applicant's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of person completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_

**To the applicant:** Under the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974, students are entitled to review their records, including letters of recommendation. However, those writing recommendations and those assessing recommendations may attach more significance to them if it is known that the recommendations will remain confidential. You have the option to either waive your right to the access of this recommendation, or to decline to do so. Please choose to either waive or retain your right below and sign your name.

I waive my right to access this completed recommendation.

I do **not** waive my right to access this completed recommendation.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**To the recommender:** We appreciate your evaluation of the applicant's suitability as a Peer Advisor. If accepted, the applicant will be responsible for advising undergraduate students about the psychology major and minor. When making comments please take into consideration the student's communication skills, maturity, responsibility, and leadership skills.

**You may attach a letter if you wish, but please DO complete and return this form.**

1. I have known the applicant for \_\_\_\_\_ years, \_\_\_\_\_ months.

2. I know the applicant:    slightly    fairly well    very well.

3. In what capacity have you known the applicant?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

4. Please comment (either on the following lines or on a separate page) on the applicant's academic/co-curricular achievements and your judgment of his/her character and personality relevant to working in the Psychology Advising Center.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

5. The following characteristics have been determined to be helpful for Peer Advisors.  
Please rate the applicant on these characteristics relative to other students you have known:

Characteristic	Lower 50%	Upper 50%	Upper 25%	Upper 10%	Upper 5%	No basis for judgment
Academic Ability						
Desire to Achieve						
Clarity of Oral Expression						
Listening Skills						
Social Awareness and Concern						
Comfort with Difference						
Maturity						
Ability to Work with Others						
Leadership Skills						
Ability to Motivate Others						
Independence & Initiative						
Commitment & Determination						
Potential for Success						
Carefulness in Work						
Awareness of Own Limitations						
Ability to Learn Quickly						

6. Overall, this student's capabilities would rank him/her in the:

- Top 50% of undergraduate students I have known.
- Top 25% of undergraduate students I have known.
- Top 10% of undergraduate students I have known.
- Top 5% of undergraduate students I have known.

7. Please indicate the strength of your overall endorsement of the applicant:

- Not Recommended    Recommended    Recommended    Highly Recommended  
with Reservations

Printed name of person completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Institution/Affiliation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return completed recommendation in a sealed and signed envelope  
by March 8, 2010, to:**

University of Utah • Psychology Advising Center •  
380 S 1530 E, 507 BEH S • Salt Lake City, UT 84112-0251  
Fax: 801-581-5841