



# Seoul National University

## Form 3. Recommendation (Graduate)

- Please type or print in English or Korean. This form is two pages in length.

### To be completed by the applicant

Applicant's Name: Alidor MBAYANDJAMBE MASHEKE

Current attending/Last attended School: Master's Degree

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Desired Dept/Program: TEMEP /Doctoral Program

1. This recommendation will be treated confidentially by SNU's faculty and staff members.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	Date
2. After the submission period, any rights to this recommendation belong to SNU.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	
3. The recommender confirms that all information provided is true and takes full responsibility for any falsity in the submitted materials.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Agree	15/6/2025

### To be completed by the recommender

- We appreciate your candid evaluation of the named applicant and their potential for success in the proposed field of study. Your recommendation is a vital part of the admissions process and will be carefully considered during the evaluation of the candidate's application.

Name: Dr. HO Tuong Vinh E-mail: vinhht@vnu.edu.vn

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How long have you known the applicant and in what context? : I have known Mr. Alidor Mbayandjambe Masheke since the beginning of his Master's studies at the University of Vietnam (IFI, Hanoi). Over the past two years, I have taught him in several graduate-level courses such as Pattern Recognition, Project Management, and supervised his applied research projects, including his TPE. Our collaboration extended into deep learning research combining computer vision and explainability. I have had numerous opportunities to observe his academic development, intellectual maturity, and commitment to interdisciplinary research.

Please rate the applicant by checking the appropriate box. Relative to other students you have known, how do you rate this applicant in terms of:

	Below average	Average	Good	Excellent	Top few ever encountered	No basis for judgment
Academic achievement				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Academic motivation					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Future academic potential				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Leadership / Influence					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Concern for others				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Emotional maturity					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Written expression				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Oral expression				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Creativity/Originality				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Respect for differences					<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

1. **Academic / intellectual evaluation:** Please comment on the nature and quality of the applicant's academic performance and potential. We are especially interested in your evaluation of the applicant's academic achievement, motivation, originality of thought, creativity, intellectual depth or breath, and academic promise.

Alidor has been under my supervision since his first year of the Master's program. I advised his TPE project (a Master R&D project, which led to a paper at ANT25: "Enhancing Printed Lingala Script Recognition Using Deep Learning." Alidor combines theoretical insight with practical execution, and he is motivated, organized, and able to work independently. His abilities in explainable AI, vision-language fusion, and multimodal learning have grown steadily, and he impresses me with his clear thinking and research promise. I am certain he will excel in a demanding PhD program.

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2. **Personal / interpersonal evaluation:** What are your impressions of the applicant as a person? How is he or she viewed by professors (teachers)? How does the applicant interact with others? What are the applicant's major strengths and weaknesses?

Alidor is a highly respectful and thoughtful student who has always demonstrated a strong sense of responsibility and humility. He is well regarded by professors at IFI-Vietnam for his diligence, integrity, and intellectual curiosity. Among his peers, he is known for being collaborative and generous in sharing knowledge. In multicultural and multidisciplinary research environments, Alidor has shown excellent adaptability and emotional intelligence. One of his greatest personal strengths is his ability to listen attentively, reflect critically, and respond constructively.

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3. **Additional comments:** Is there anything else we should know about this applicant?

I strongly and wholeheartedly support Mr. Alidor Mbayandjambe Masheke's application to the GDTL program, as his outstanding technical skills, academic depth, intellectual curiosity, global perspective, and ethical mindset ensure he will thrive at Seoul National University and drive cutting-edge research in AI and digital transformation.

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Date 16 June 2025

Signature 