

## Vector Scholarship in Artificial Intelligence (VSAI) 2019-20 Referee Report

Candidates seeking nomination for a VSAI from the master's program to which they have completed an application must complete the CANDIDATE INFORMATION and the INSTRUCTIONS FOR REFEREES sections (shaded) **before** emailing the form to their two referees for completion.

### CANDIDATE INFORMATION

Candidate name (last name, first name) \_\_\_\_\_

Intended program of study (e.g. MSc, Computer Science in AI): \_\_\_\_\_

University (must be in Ontario): \_\_\_\_\_

Expected program start date (month/year): \_\_\_\_\_

### INSTRUCTIONS FOR REFEREES

Please complete the Referee Information section, and Parts A and B **before** submitting the completed form directly to \_\_\_\_\_ (master's program contact name) at :

\_\_\_\_\_ (contact's email address),

no later than \_\_\_\_\_ (yy-mm-dd).

**Note that Failure to submit a completed report by the deadline will disqualify the candidate.**

### REFEREE INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

University/Organization: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

I have known the candidate for \_\_\_\_ years and \_\_\_\_ months in my capacity as \_\_\_\_\_ (supervisor, advisor, professor, etc.)

My assessment of the candidate is based on my experience with \_\_\_\_\_ (#students) at a similar level over \_\_\_\_ years.

**PART A.** Please select the category that best describes the candidate's performance on each item listed in relation to all others at a similar stage that you have assessed.

Characteristic/Attribute	Top 2%	Top 5%	Top 10%	Top 15%	Top 25%	Top 50%	Lower 50%	Unable to judge
Timely and satisfactory completion of projects								
Original and creative thinking and problem solving								
Appropriate academic preparation and relevant experience for master's AI-related study								
Industriousness and motivation								
Communication skills (written)								
Communication skills (oral)								
Critical thinking and knowledge application								

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (yy-mm-dd)

**PART B.** *In the space allotted below, please provide details about the candidate's performance that support the ratings assessed in Part A. Use specific examples when possible to support your assessment. (Use 12pt font)*

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (yy-mm-dd)