APPLICATION FOR EUROPEAN AMGEN SCHOLARSHIP 2026 (LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION)

DETAILS OF REFEREE

Title: | First name and middle initials: | Surname:

Email address:

Title of current post:

Institution name:

Signature: | Date:

DETAILS OF STUDENT (APPLICANT)

Title: | First name and middle initials: | Surname:

RECOMMENDATION

In what capacity have you known the student?

How long have you known the student?

Please compare the applicant with students in the same field and with similar experience. ***Please mark a rating.***	**Truly exceptional** (Top 5%)	**Outstanding** (Top 10%)	**Above Average** (Top 25%)	**Average** (Middle)	**Below Average** (Lower 50%)	**Inadequate Opportunity to Observe**
Overall academic performance						
Ability to analyze a problem logically and formulate a solution						
Ability to follow through, complete projects, and meet deadlines						
Ability to work with others and within groups						

English language skills (please select one): Native speaker ☐ Fluent ☐ Average ☐ Proficiency not known ☐

On the second page please answer the questions regarding the applicant, attaching a separate sheet if needed.
Should you wish to do so, these questions may instead be answered in a letter of recommendation format.

1. Please address the applicant's academic and research performance based upon your previous experience with the applicant.

2. At what intellectual level do you hold the applicant in reference to his/her peers? How would you speak to the maturity level of the applicant?

3. How would you rate the applicant's potential to successfully conduct and complete an independent research project?

4. To your knowledge, what is the applicant's commitment to a career in science? Can you say anything to what his/her academic goals are?

5. Any additional comments about the applicant.

Return this form according to the instructions below by noon GMT on 1st February 2026.
PLEASE ENSURE YOU SUBMIT THE FORM TO THE CORRECT AMGEN SCHOLAR HOST SITE:

University of Cambridge	*Karolinska Institutet*	*Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München*
amgenscholars@admin.cam.ac.uk	Primarily to be uploaded by the applicant. If confidential e-mail to: amgenscholars@ki.se	Primarily to be uploaded by the applicant. If confidential e-mail to: amgenscholars@lmu-misu.de

Institute Pasteur	*ETH Zurich*
Pleas upload the letter (pdf) using the link provided in the e-mail	To be uploaded by the applicant. If confidential e-mail to: amgenscholars@akd.ethz.ch

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