



Louise Zung-Nyi Loh Memorial Scholarship

Recommendation Form: 2025-2026

DIRECTIONS FOR APPLICANTS

Complete the Student Section of this form and provide it to individuals who are able to comment on your academic specialization in East Asian studies in your present and future program of study.

DEADLINE: Friday, March 7, 2025

STUDENT SECTION: To be completed by applicant (please type or print)

Name: _____
(LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE/MAIDEN)

Home Department or Major(s): _____

East Asian studies focus: _____

Courses that you have taken taught by the recommender:

1. Course #: _____ Course Title: _____

Semester Taken: _____ Grade: _____

2. Course #: _____ Course Title: _____

Semester Taken: _____ Grade: _____

3. Course #: _____ Course Title: _____

Semester Taken: _____ Grade: _____

STUDENT SECTION: To be completed by applicant (please type or print)

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, (P.L.93-380), allows a candidate for admission, employment, or receipt of honors to waive his/her right of access to confidential letters or statements written in his/her behalf if the recommendation is used solely for the purpose of admission, employment, or the receipt of honors and if the candidate, upon request, is notified of the names of all persons making such recommendations on his/her behalf. The University does not require that you make such a waiver as a condition for admission or award of scholarships. However, under the legislation you have the option of signing such a waiver as follows:

I hereby waive my right of access to this recommendation and any appropriate attachments which have been written by:

Name of Recommender:

_____ on behalf of my application for award of a Louise Zung-Nyi Loh Memorial Scholarship. This waiver is effective insofar as the recommendation is used solely for the purpose of award of this scholarship.

Applicant name: _____
(LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE/MAIDEN)

Applicant Signature (digital or print): _____ Date: _____



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TO BE COMPLETED BY RECOMMENDER (please type or print)

The student named on this form has applied for a Louise Zung-Nyi Loh Memorial Scholarship from the East Asian Studies Center at The Ohio State University. This scholarship is presented annually to OSU students (graduate or undergraduate) who have an academic specialization in East Asian studies in their present and future program of study. **Please complete this personal reference form and return it with your letter of reference via email to easc@osu.edu, no later than Friday, March 7, 2025.** Please send from your official university/business email account (submissions from Gmail, Yahoo, or other publicly accessible accounts cannot be accepted).

How strongly do you recommend the student for a fellowship?

- I strongly recommend the applicant
- I recommend the applicant with reservations
- I recommend the applicant
- I do not recommend the applicant

Summary Evaluation: In comparison with a representative group of students in the same field who have had approximately the same amount of experience and training, how do you rate the applicant in general scholarly ability?

- Outstanding (highest 5%)
 - Very good (next highest 10%)
 - Good (in upper 25%)
 - Average (in upper 50%)
 - Below average
- Please indicate the educational level of the representative group with whom the applicant is compared:
- Advanced graduate students
 - First-year graduate students
 - College juniors and seniors
 - College freshmen and sophomores

Some gifted individuals have mediocre scholastic records. Is the applicant's scholastic record, as you know it, an accurate index of his or her scholastic ability? Yes No

If no, please explain briefly:

Letter of Reference: In a separate, typed letter, please address the following questions: What is your view of the applicant's proposed program? Give views on such matters as his/her accomplishments, intellectual independence, research interests, capacity for analytical thinking, ability to work with others, ability to organize and express ideas clearly (orally or in writing), drive, and motivation.

Recommender name: _____
(LAST) (FIRST) (MIDDLE/MAIDEN)

Title: _____ Institution: _____

Address: _____ Email: _____

Signature (digital or print): _____ Date: _____