**NSF REU Exercise 2024 --- Recommendation Form**

**Application Deadline: March 15, 2024**

***To be completed by the Applicant***

Applicant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Last First M.I.

College or University: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

***To be completed by the Recommender***

Name and Position/Title: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Department: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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

How long have you known the applicant and in what capacity?

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Using “X” in the boxes below, please rate the applicant in the following areas:

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| **Area** | **Excellent** | **Very Good** | **Average** | **Below Average** | **No knowledge** |
| Academic Achievement |  |  |  |  |  |
| Research Ability  and Potential |  |  |  |  |  |
| Intelligence, Quick Learning |  |  |  |  |  |
| Hardworking, Independency |  |  |  |  |  |
| Responsibility, Maturity |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ability to Work in a Team |  |  |  |  |  |

On a separate sheet, please tell us in narrative form why you endorse this student for the REU- EXERCISE Summer research Program. Be sure to address what you know about the student's academic achievement and professional experience; participation in extra-curricular activities; and work in and out of class. Please address what you think is important to know about this student, including more details on the ratings provided above. We are particularly interested in the candidate’s motivation, hardworking, intelligence, and research potential. We welcome any information that will help us to gauge this student's potential to benefit from the REU summer research program at Salisbury University.