

**INDEPENDENT STUDENT RESEARCH GRANTS**  
**ADVISOR'S/MENTOR'S CERTIFICATION FORM and REFERENCE LETTER**  
Mount Allison University

**In cases of co-advising/mentoring, both advisors/mentors must independently complete, sign, and submit **this form** / reference letter.**  
*(Handwritten submissions will not be accepted)*

Advisor's Name:

Student Applicant's Name:

Project Title:

I certify that:

- The student has prepared the one-page research proposal largely on his/her own.
- I have read the one-page research proposal.
- I have discussed the feasibility, viability, and suitability of the proposed research project with the student and am satisfied that s/he has the skills, abilities, and motivation to complete the project.
- I have agreed to advise/mentor this student in completing this research project.
- I am available and willing to provide the necessary and timely mentorship for this student.

**Please refer to the evaluation criteria when providing your assessment of the student, the proposal, and the advisory / training environment you are providing to the student (10% of the evaluation is based on the mentoring you propose and training environment offered). Up to one additional page may be attached.**

Advisor's Signature:

Date:

**Submit the completed pdf via email to [research@mta.ca](mailto:research@mta.ca)**