



Swansea University
Prifysgol Abertawe

Reference Form for Admission to Postgraduate Study



SECTION 1: TO BE COMPLETED BY THE APPLICANT

APPLICANT DETAILS:

Student number/Application (on-track) number, if known: 2228623 01 01

Surname/Family Name: Cahyana Title: Ms

Forenames/First Names: Cahyana Date of Birth: 11/07/1978

PROPOSED STUDY:

Taught Programme:

Course Title: _____

Tick Qualification Aim: MA ☐ MSc ☐ LL.M ☐ PG Diploma ☐ PG Certificate ☐ MRes ☐

Research Programme:

Proposed Title of Research or Topic/Area of Interest: EPSRC Centre for Doctoral Training in Enhancing Human Interactions a

Tick Qualification Aim: MPhil ☐ PhD ☒ EngD/DProf ☐ MD ☐ MA/MSc/LLM by Research ☐

SECTION 2: TO BE COMPLETED BY ACADEMIC REFEREES

On completion, this form should be returned directly to: Postgraduate Admissions Office, Swansea University, Singleton Park, Swansea SA2 8PP, email: postgraduate.admissions@swansea.ac.uk

The above-named has applied to this University for admission as a postgraduate student. We would be grateful if you would give, in Section 3 overleaf, a general statement about the applicant's ability and suitability for the programme stated above, and answer the questions below. We thank you in advance for your assistance.

Please supply the following details and complete Section 3 overleaf

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

Ms Cahyana is my former student in the Department of Electrical Engineering, Hasanuddin University, Makassar, INDONESIA. I knew her since 1998 when she was enrolled as an undergraduate student. I supervised her undergraduate project when she completed her first degree in 2002.

2. Have you taught the applicant yourself and, if so, what subject and for how long?

She took all of my classes, mostly in Automatic Control and Linear Systems, 1998-2002

3. If the applicant has not yet graduated, what class or grade do you expect them to obtain? _____

4. Non-Swansea academic staff only: Would the applicant be eligible to proceed to postgraduate study in your University?

SECTION 3: TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL REFEREES

Please give your written reference here (or attach a statement on official headed paper) to enable us to evaluate the applicant's suitability for postgraduate study.

This reference is no longer confidential and could be seen by the applicant during the application process.

(Please see ATTACHED Letter of Recommendation)

Please continue on separate sheet of paper if necessary.

If the applicant's first language is not English, please comment of his/her level of English Language proficiency by placing a tick in the relevant boxes below:

	EXCELLENT	GOOD	FAIR	POOR
WRITING		✓		
LISTENING COMPREHENSION		✓		
SPEAKING			✓	
READING	✓			

Name of referee (in capitals): DR. IR. RHIZA S. SADJAD, MSEE.

Signature: 

Position held: Senior Lecturer

Date: March 1, 2022

Organisation/Institution Name and Address:

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December 26, 2021

LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION

To Whom It May Concern:

Ms. Cahyana, S.T., M.Kom, has asked that I prepare this official Letter of Recommendation to support her intention to continue her study to pursue an advance degree in your university. I do so with great enthusiasm.

In 2002, Ms. Cahyana completed her first degree in the Department of Electrical Engineering, Hasanuddin University, Makassar, INDONESIA, where I myself have been with since 1983. Ms. Cahyana was one of my best students. She took all of my classes, mostly in Automatic Control and Linear Systems area, and as I remember it, she was almost always among the top 10% students in my classes. As a laboratory assistant in our Basic Electrical Engineering Laboratory, Ms. Cahyana was among a very few students who were trusted to supervise her fellow students to do experiments to strengthen their fundamental knowledge and skills in Electrical Engineering. With this experience, she apparently had chosen teaching as a career. She might have chosen a job in industry, so this clearly showed the quality Ms. Cahyana has in her personality as well as her strong motivation to seek knowledge. This also shows how much she values education.

Ms. Cahyana had her study program in our Department very well planned, and had her undergraduate final project well in mind. I supervised her undergraduate final project, which was a unique project related to the development of the state-owned electrical power company's on-line billing system. This was a very sophisticated programming work, and Ms. Cahyana has demonstrated that she has all the skills needed to complete the project successfully in a relatively very short time, with a good collaboration with her partner. She came to see me regularly to show the progress of her work, and in all these encounters she showed her openness to suggestions and an eagerness to engage in professional discussions that could enhance her understanding of the subject she is interested in. I see in her the many qualities of both an excellent engineer and an enthusiastic researcher.

Five years after her graduation, Ms. Cahyana told me that she had received a Masters Degree in Computer Science from the University of Indonesia, the most prominent university in our country, with a GPA of **3.52** out of **4.00**. I was not surprised at all, for all qualities she had in her and her very strong motivation, she really deserved it. Until recently, Ms. Cahyana has continuously developed her career in education - especially the vocational education - as a lecturer in several prominent higher institutions in our country. I have been so thoroughly impressed by Ms. Cahyana's technical competence in her field, and that she showed a strong motivation to continue her study, I wholeheartedly recommend her for any opportunity to pursue a higher degree program in her field.

Should you wish any further information, please feel free to contact me, and I will gladly respond to your inquiries.

With kindest regards,

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