**2025 IAF EMERGING SPACE LEADERS (ESL) GRANT PROGRAMME**

**Reference Letter**

**To the referee:** Please fill in the following form and comment on how long you have known the applicant and in which capacity, as well as on his/her strengths and why you would recommend him/her for the 2025 IAF Emerging Space Leaders Grant Programme (<https://www.iafastro.org/activities/next-generation/emerging-space-leaders-grant-programme/>) held during the 2025 International Astronautical Congress (<https://www.iac2025.org/>) in Sydney, Australia.

Please indicate in as much detail as possible on the benefits that will accrue from the applicant attending IAC 2025, especially in relation to the development of space activities in your country. Please also indicate, if possible, the ability of the applicant’s institution to provide full or partial support (in relation to visa applications, out of pocket expenses, vaccinations, travel insurance, other bureaucratic requirements) to ensure that the applicant’s experience in attending the IAC 2025 is as positive as possible.

Please send the signed form to your applicant by **14 February 2025**. He/she will then need to upload the form on his/her application.

Please note that all recommendations must be **hand signed**.

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| **APPLICANT’S PERSONAL INFORMATION** | |
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