**Local 2 Global Recommendation Form (WILPF US Members ONLY)**

**Part 1: Assessment**

Instructions: References must know the applicant for at least two years through participation in WILPF US as general members, or in a WILPF US local branch, or on a WILPF US National Issues Committee in order to attest to how their work relates to the UN Program and the 2018 CSW theme, “Challenges and opportunities in achieving gender equality and the empowerment of rural women and girls.” We realize that it may be difficult to assign a number to skills and strengths, but please attempt to rate the applicant in the following areas to the best of your knowledge according to the scale provided.

Scale:

1: One of the best I have ever known 2: Top one-third 3: Middle one-third

4: Bottom one-third NA: No opportunity to judge

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| **Communication Skills** | **1** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **NA** |
| Speaks clearly and accurately |  |  |  |  |  |
| Writes clearly and accurately |  |  |  |  |  |
| Clear reasoning ability |  |  |  |  |  |
| Listening skills |  |  |  |  |  |
| Self-confidence |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Job Skills** | **1** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **NA** |
| Organizational ability |  |  |  |  |  |
| Quickness in learning a new skill |  |  |  |  |  |
| Professionalism |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ability to work independently |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ability to follow through on a task |  |  |  |  |  |
| Common sense and good judgment |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Interpersonal Skills** | **1** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **NA** |
| Willingness to accept instruction |  |  |  |  |  |
| Flexibility and willingness to adapt to change |  |  |  |  |  |
| Patience with others |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maturity when working with/for others |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ability to change behavior to accommodate others |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ability to work with people of different backgrounds |  |  |  |  |  |

**Part 2: Recommendation Letter**

In an attached document, please answer the following questions:

In your opinion, does the applicant have a genuine interest in the 2018 Practicum in Advocacy?

Specifically, what outstanding abilities or characteristics do they possess relative to their potential to thrive in this program, and what do you think this applicant would uniquely contribute to the program?

How do you see the applicant using the information and experiences they acquire through interaction with the students in the 2018 Practicum in Advocacy and their overall experiences at the CSW in the WILPF US work you know them through, whether it is as a member at-large, or as a WILPF US branch member; do you see this experience as being directly relevant to any work they are doing as a member of one or more WILPF US National Issues Committee?

Please provide specific examples when possible. You may attach document if you need more space.