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**2010 TITLE VIII SHORT-TERM TRAVEL GRANT
FOR RESEARCH IN CENTRAL ASIA, THE CAUCASUS, AND THE BALKANS
LETTER OF RECOMMENDATION**

Applicant's Name

Applicant's Institution

Project Title

*The applicant listed above is applying for funding through the NCEEER Short-Term Travel Grant Program for Research in Central Asia, the Caucasus, and the Balkans. Please provide a clear assessment and evaluation of the proposed project, ability of the scholar or researcher to conduct the study, feasibility of project completion, importance of the project to the field, and any other additional information you would consider helpful to the review and selection process. **If you are writing more than one letter of recommendation for applicants to this competition, it would be useful for the NCEEER peer review consideration if you could please rank order the proposals according to your evaluation of their fundability.***

*Submit this form along with your letter. **Please note that all letters of recommendation must include a physical or digital (electronic) signature.** You have three options for submitting your letter: 1) Upload the letter directly into our on-line application system (follow the instructions you will receive via e-mail once the applicant has submitted his/her application); 2) E-mail the letter to reference@nceeer.org with the subject line, "Letter of Recommendation for [Applicant Last Name]"; 3) Mail or fax the letter to the address/fax number listed at the top of this form; if mailing the letter, please enclose it in a sealed envelope with your signature written across the flap. **All letters of recommendation must be received by DECEMBER 15, 2009 OR APRIL 15, 2010.***

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