

Center for Business and Technology Incubation  
Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College

**2010 YOUNG ENTREPRENEURIAL SCHOLARS  
(YES!) CAMP - MADISON  
RECOMMENDATION FORM**

**Recommendation Form for Student Applicant**

Completed for: \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation completed by (name and title): \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address and work number: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to student and length of time you have known him/her: \_\_\_\_\_

The student named above has applied to participate in the 2010 A-B Tech Young Entrepreneurial Scholars (YES!) Camp, which is aimed at helping students gain an understanding of entrepreneurship as a viable career option, generate business ideas, meet and learn from successful entrepreneurs and develop leadership abilities and skills.

Participation is limited to 16 students who will be selected on the basis of interest in business, academic achievement, involvement and leadership, application and recommendations. Your appraisal of the student will help us in the selection of qualified applicants for this program. Please note this program is limited to rising high school sophomores, juniors and seniors.

Please return this recommendation to the following by May 30, 2010:

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Asheville-Buncombe Technical Community College  
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As part of the Young Entrepreneurial Scholars (YES!) Camp, business professionals and leaders will be volunteering their time to speak to and interact with the participants by sharing their own career and professional experiences. The value of such interactions is dependent on the students being engaged and participating. Do you consider this student an active learner who participates and/or asks questions? Would the student understand and value the time and contribution of such volunteers?

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Please rate the student in the following areas. If you have not had sufficient experience with the student in a particular area, circle 0.

| To what degree is the student:                                    | low |   |   |   | high | unfamiliar |
|---|-----|---|---|---|------|------------|
| Academically motivated?   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5    | 0          |
| Strongly interested in business?                                  | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5    | 0          |
| Ready to handle the responsibility of attending a week long camp? | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5    | 0          |
| Able to work in groups?   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5    | 0          |
| Willing to try new experiences?                                   | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5    | 0          |
| Is mature and respectful of peers and adults?                     | 1   | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5    | 0          |

How exposed do you consider the student to be to enrichment opportunities and resources inside and outside our community? Has he or she participated in many academic or leadership camps, programs or conferences? If you are aware of any participation, please provide names of such programs. What do you think the student will gain from participation in the YES! Camp?

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Please comment below on any responses you provided and why you feel this student is qualified to attend the Young Entrepreneurial Scholars (YES!) Camp.

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