## Scholarship Recommendation Form

## Recommender Information.

Name: Amelia G. Bawang Relationship to applicant: Department Chairperson.

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<u>Applicant Information:</u> Use additional pages as needed.

Name: Riena Almira C. Kelly Current School: Benguet State University

## Recommendation

I am pleased to give my recommendation for Riena Almira Kelly in support of her PCAFPD scholarship application. Being her Department Chairperson in Benguet State University allows me in witnessing her development within the university, particularly when she first joined the Bachelor of Science in Hospitality Management program in 1st Semester, A.Y 2023-2024, here in BSU.

Riena has performed very well academically in all her subject courses; she managed to get GWA 1.37 after her first year and ranked 3rd out of all the students who took the degree program. Such high results are not only a sign of her intellect but also her determination to work through the difficulties in the academic process.

Another aspect in which Riena is to be appreciated is leadership and teamwork besides her academic performance. During HRT Week last November 2023, even though she is only in her first year, she and her teammates became the champion in Recipe Making, among all their senior competitors. This shows her creativity in developing meals and at the same time elaborated on how well she worked with others. And in October 2024, Riena proved once again her skills by ranking 2nd on the Quiz Bee she joined with her two team members. Also, she and her partner received the highest points in the regional ingredient – bagoong cooking competition and received a silver medal making them the representatives of the university in such an important competition as HRAB HRT Week where they once agaid got a silver medal. These experiences should be evidence of Riena's strengths in ability to work under pressure, being a team player and innovations.

I would also want to highlight fact that Riena has a very strong passion for community service. She is actively involved and participates in department activities such as socialization, acquaintance parties, tour, general college building cleaning etc., and show commitment towards responsibility.

Riena Almira Kelly represents the PCAFPD scholarship grantees' attributes: academic achievement, leadership, and willingness to serve within the community. Her achievements combined with her commitment to empower her community and growth of hospitality makes her fit this scholarship program. Thus, I believe it is possible for Riena to be great assets to her community and her field.

nelia G. Bawang Date: October 28,2024

Recommender Name & Signature: