

Scholarship Recommendation Form

Instructions: Thank you for being a recommender for the PCAFPD scholarship. Recommendations are used as part of the selection process. Please type your information below and provide a digital copy to the applicant for submission. Hand written responses will not be accepted.

Recommender Information

Name: Pastor Nancy Ellamar.

Relationship to applicant: Head Pastor

Organization/School: Bantay Insik Assembly of God Church

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Applicant Information: Use additional pages as needed

Name: Jerome L. Abellera

Current School: Pangasinan State University

Recommendation

PCAFPD scholars are chosen on the basis of their financial need, academic performance, and commitment to community service and leadership. As the applicant's reference, please describe the applicant's demonstrated leadership skills, accomplishments, and impacts on your community and any other relevant information you feel the committee should know about the applicant.

It is my distinct honor and privilege to recommend Mr. Jerome L. Abellera for the PCAFPD Scholarship. As the Head Pastor of our church, I have had the opportunity to witness Jerome's spiritual maturity, servant leadership, and unwavering commitment to serving both the church and the wider community. His life reflects integrity, compassion, humility, and a sincere desire to use his knowledge and abilities for the benefit of others.

Jerome has been an active and dependable volunteer in our church for many years. He regularly serves as a speaker during youth gatherings, leadership training, Bible studies, and community outreach programs, where he shares messages that encourage spiritual growth, emotional resilience, and responsible leadership. His ability to communicate with young people in a meaningful and relatable manner has made him a trusted mentor and role model within our congregation.

Beyond his ministry as a speaker, Jerome has demonstrated an exceptional commitment to promoting mental health awareness within the church and the surrounding community. Recognizing the increasing mental health challenges faced by many young people, he has consistently advocated for the importance of emotional well-being alongside spiritual growth. Whenever opportunities arise, he voluntarily provides free mental health consultations, guidance, and psychological first aid to youth and individuals seeking support. Through these acts of service, he has helped create a safe, compassionate, and nonjudgmental environment where individuals feel heard, valued, and encouraged to seek appropriate help.

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Date: July 6, 2026

Jerome's volunteer work is driven not by recognition but by a genuine desire to serve. He willingly offers his time, knowledge, and professional expertise without expecting anything in return. His dedication has positively impacted many young people by increasing awareness of mental health, reducing stigma surrounding counseling, and encouraging healthier coping strategies grounded in both sound psychological principles and Christian values.

His decision to pursue a Doctor of Philosophy in Counseling is a natural extension of his calling to serve others. I firmly believe that advanced education will equip him with greater knowledge and research skills, enabling him to expand his impact as a counselor, educator, researcher, and community advocate. I have every confidence that he will use this opportunity not merely for personal advancement but to strengthen counseling services, promote mental health awareness, and contribute meaningfully to the development of individuals, educational institutions, and communities throughout the Philippines.

In addition to his academic capability, Jerome consistently demonstrates leadership through service. He leads with empathy, wisdom, professionalism, and a genuine concern for the welfare of others. These qualities have earned him the trust and respect of church members, community leaders, colleagues, and the young people he mentors.

I wholeheartedly and without reservation recommend Mr. Jerome L. Abellera for the PCAFPD Scholarship. He embodies the values of academic excellence, servant leadership, community engagement, and social responsibility that this scholarship seeks to promote. I am confident that he will maximize this opportunity to become an even greater instrument of hope, healing, and positive change for the Filipino people.

Recommender Name & Signature PTR, NANCY ELLAMAR

Date: July 6, 2026