



### Recommendation Form

Dear Colleague:

\_\_\_\_\_ is applying for a fellowship to undertake graduate study. The Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans is a highly competitive program, with an average of 900 applications for 30 awards. It is also quite distinctive in what is sought of candidates. Awards are made to individuals who are deemed to have best demonstrated in any areas of their lives: (1) *creativity, originality, and initiative*; (2) *accomplishment, activity that requires drive and sustained effort*; (3) *commitment to the values expressed in the US Constitution and the Bill of Rights*.

We would be grateful if you would comment on the candidate from your experience, especially in relationship to the attributes we seek, and indicate over what period, how well, and in what capacity you have known the candidate. Please send your letter directly to The Paul & Daisy Soros Fellowships for New Americans, 400 West 59<sup>th</sup> Street, New York, NY 10019; or by email [pdsoros\\_fellows@sorosny.org](mailto:pdsoros_fellows@sorosny.org). We would be very grateful to have your letter by ***NOVEMBER 1, 2008***.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_