Technology Diploma in Business Management

Equine Competency Form

Applicants to the Diploma in Business Management (DBM): Equine Specialty program are required to demonstrate competency in the daily care and handling of horses. As students will not receive hands-on instruction in these areas through lecture and laboratory sessions, prior experience is necessary.

Mail form to: Enrolment Services Centre, Dalhousie Agricultural Campus, PO Box 550, Truro, NS B2N 5E3

Name of Applicant: ________________________________________________________________

Date of Birth: ________________________________

Address of Applicant: ______________________________________________________________
______________________________________________________________________________

Phone Number: ____________________ Email: _________________________________________

Equine Experience: Please describe your experience in the horse industry. If you wish you may include an extra sheet and/or you may enclose copies of certificates you have received to support your application.
Name of Applicant: ____________________________

Date of Birth: __________________________

This section is to be completed by someone you know (not a relative) who can confirm your experience with horses.

The DBM: Equine Specialty program requires students to have a basic understanding and competency in the handling and care of horses. Please have any employer, coach, trainer, veterinarian, stable owner or club leader comment on your experience working with horses.

Name of Supervisor (employer, coach, trainer, stable owner or club leader): ____________________________

Address of Supervisor: _________________________________________________________________

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Phone number: ______________________  Email: (optional) _________________________________

Please comment on how long you have known the applicant and in what capacity with regards to his/her experience with horses. (Did this person work for you? Were you his/her coach or club leader? Did this person help out at your stable, with your horses?)

Please rate the applicant in the following areas of horse care and handling. The rating is based on: 1 – little or no experience  2 – moderate experience  3 – very experienced

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<td>(leading, turning out, grooming, trimming, loading, etc.)</td>
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<td>B. Stable Management Skills</td>
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<td>(daily care of stalls and stable, feeding, health care)</td>
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Additional comments: (attach additional sheet if needed)

Can we contact you if there are any further questions concerning the applicant? ____________________________

Signature of supervisor: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________