



Brandeis University

INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SCHOOL

Requirement Petition: Demonstration of Language Proficiency Requirement

Name: _____

Sage ID Number: _____

Anticipated Date of Graduation: _____

Program: MA MBA

To: Assistant Dean for Administration and Student Services, International Business School

I hereby wish to demonstrate my language proficiency to meet the LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT. The following indicates my proficiency and experience with a language other than English.

Experience (check one):

- Native speaker. Language: _____
- College major/minor in a foreign language.* Language: _____
- Some college coursework in a foreign language.* Language: _____
- Other*: _____
_____ Language: _____

*Please provide documentation such as an unofficial transcript or CV. If you have no documentation and are NOT a native speaker, please set up a time with the Assistant Director to discuss your options. You may be asked to demonstrate proficiency with a native speaker of the language you're petitioning

Below please indicate your level of proficiency in a language other than English. If you are a native speaker, you do NOT need to fill out this portion of the petition.

Aural Comprehension:

- None
- Limited to slow
- Understand simple conversation
- Understand sophisticated discussions

Reading Ability:

- None
- Limited to simple vocabulary and sentence structure
- Understand conversational topics
- Understand materials with content containing idioms and specialized terminology

Speaking Ability

- None
- Can only frame structurally simple and short phrases
- Adequate to handle conversational subjects
- Can handle a wide range of conversational situations

Writing Ability

- None
- Write simple sentences with some errors in spelling and structure
- Write on academic topics with few errors in structure and spelling
- Write with ease with a sense of style for the language

Comments:

By signing below, I hereby attest that all information presented here is true and accurate.

Student signature _____ Date _____

Approved: _____ Denied: _____

Assistant Dean/Director Administration & Student Services _____ Date _____

Comments: