

FRG Rubric

Applicant's Name: _____ Proposal Title: _____

Overall score: Recommended award:

Academic Significance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrates the intellectual value of the research and how it contributes to the field, whether it's research of discovery, application, integration, or pedagogy. Effectively justifies the project's merits; explains its significance, timeliness, relevance to the field, originality, etc. in a way that a non-specialist can understand. Indicates merit through book contracts, accepted publications in peer-reviewed journals, show, other kinds of creative work outlets, conference presentations, outside sources of funding, awards, other forms of recognition from experts in the field, strong connection to teaching, etc.
Score (1,2 or 3)	Comments:
Research Trajectory	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Describes the research trajectory and how the project fits in. If the project is part of a larger whole (for example, a book), provides a detailed description of the entire project (written for a non-specialist), and describes how the specific goals of this project fit into the whole. Justifies how the extra time or funds are needed at this time in the research trajectory, beyond expected research responsibilities of all faculty. Describes the specific outcomes attained from funding received for the past three years. Demonstrates having taken full advantage of past funding. Specifies publications, conference presentations, performances, or creative work completed. Explains how the objectives will be achieved within the time specified. The research plan and CV indicate a strong research agenda in the past, present, and future. If establishing a new research agenda, justifies the situation and the overall plan.
Score (1,2 or 3)	Comments:
Clarity and Organization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Is well organized and clear, and includes a timeline and itemized, detailed and reasonable budget with justification. Follows the FRG proposal guidelines. Explains the purpose of the project, articulates goals that are specific and achievable in the time period specified, and describes how the goals will be accomplished.
Score (1,2 or 3)	Comments:

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