

Project Rubric

Category	3 Points	2 Points	1 Point	0 Points	Notes
Description	Description of scholarly activity is engaging, clear, innovative, and offers important details for reviewers	Description of scholarly activity is clear, informative and offers sufficient details for reviewers	Description outlines scholarly activity	Missing or unclear	
Theme	Project has potential for large impact related to identified theme	Project has potential for impact related to identified theme	Project is related to identified theme but impact is low or unclear	Missing or unclear	
Interdisciplinary	Interdisciplinary focus is deeply connected, innovative, and framed by the proposed project	Clear description of interdisciplinary nature of the proposed work	Casual mention of interdisciplinarity	Not mentioned or unclear	
Goals/ Objectives	Discrete scholarly goal(s) and objective(s) clearly identified, described and includes a plan to assess objectives	Discrete scholarly objective(s) clearly identified, described and consistent with project description	Lacking clear goals or objectives.	Missing or unclear	
Approach and Methods	Activities are well connected to the goal, achievable, and measurable.	Procedures and approach clearly identified and described	Approach is unclear or not well connected to the goals.	Missing or unclear	
Timeline	Timeline is detailed, well thought out, and reasonable for the scope	Reasonable timeline/schedule of planned activities	Timeline is unclear, overambitious, or disconnected.	Missing or unclear	

Impact to Scholarly Trajectory	Project has a strong potential for future scholarly funding and/or activities	Project has a clear description of future scholarly funding and/or activities	Project has a limited future for scholarly funding and/or activities	Missing or unclear	
Academic Impact	Unique contribution to scholarly field and intellectual culture	Contribution to intellectual culture	Narrow contribution to intellectual culture	Missing or unclear	
Stakeholder Impacts (UWT students, local community, tribal communities, etc.)	Proposal clearly articulates a deep connection between project outcomes and one or more stakeholder groups.	Proposal is aspirational about its connection between outcomes and stakeholders	Proposal is unclear about its connection between outcomes and stakeholders	Missing	
Equity and Inclusion	Proposal supports campus mission for equity and inclusion	Proposal supports unit mission for equity and inclusion.	Proposal does not clearly connect with any equity and inclusion mission.	Missing or unclear	
Budget	Budget provided is appropriate for proposed work	NA	NA	Not provided	
Budget Justification	Justification of expenses consistent with budget and clearly described	NA	NA	Not provided	
Other Support	Clarification of existing funding, how/why existing funds are insufficient, and why endowment funds are also needed. Also include any loss of funding or funding opportunities.	NA	NA	Not provided	

Applicant/Team Rubric

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Future Benefits	Strong benefits to applicant/teams' scholarly development and trajectory	Clear description of benefits to applicant/teams' scholarly development and trajectory	Limited benefits to applicants/ teams' scholarly development and trajectory	Missing or unclear	
Alignment	Applicants/teams is very well qualified to perform the project based on prior work and CV/Bio sketch	Applicant/team is qualified to perform the project based on prior work and CV/Bio sketch	Applicant/team stretching in new areas to perform the project based on prior work and CV/Bio sketch	Missing or unclear	
CV(s)	CV Provided for all applicants/PIs and co-PIs in one document	NA	NA	Not provided	