

**MEADOWS EXPLORATION AWARDS
FACULTY SPONSOR FORM
For Applicant Evaluation**

Applicant's Name _____ Faculty Sponsor's Name _____

Relationship to Applicant _____

I. I have read the applicant's proposal: Yes _____ No _____

II. I have advised the applicant on this project: Yes _____ No _____

III. Is this student's project/activity a graded component for YOUR credit-bearing course? Yes _____ No _____

IV. I will serve the following role for the foreseeable duration of project/activity.
(Please circle the answer that best describes your role and/or write in your role)

Project Director Active Project Advisor Advisor when solicited by applicant No role

Other role: _____

V. On the checklist below, please evaluate the applicant against the criteria provided using applicant's peer group as a reference point.

Indicate the specific PEER GROUP you have chosen to use as a reference group (e.g., all other students in a similar course, thesis seminar, etc.):

Category for Evaluation	Exemplary	Above Average	Average	Needs Development	No Basis of Judgment
Achievement in coursework pertaining to grant subject matter: Demonstrates measurable results in course work pertaining to project/activity.					
Achievement: Achieves ambitious self-directed (project/activity) work.					
Aptitude: Demonstrates clear aptitude to engage and complete self-directed work as described in MEA proposal.					
Perseverance: Persists through obstacles and remains optimistic in the face of challenges.					
Critical & Creative Thinking: Generates relevant and/or creative solutions to problems and opportunities.					
Organizational ability: Plans well and meets deadlines.					
Integrity/Maturity: Is always honest and ethical; assumes responsibility for mistakes; acts in a respectful manner towards teachers, and/or fellow students.					
Overall:					

VI. Based on following criteria evaluate the applicants project/activity as:
Strongly agree (SA), Agree (A), Neither Agree nor Disagree (N), Disagree, Strongly Disagree (SD).

Project will further the intellectual development of applicant.	SA	A	N	D	SD
Project will bring recognition to the division and Meadows School of the Arts.	SA	A	N	D	SD
Project will add significant contributions to area of study.	SA	A	N	D	SD
Project is ambitious (it will require serious commitment to complete).	SA	A	N	D	SD
Project has potential to be recognized on a professional and peer reviewed basis.	SA	A	N	D	SD

Signature _____

Date _____