

CHARLI RISE Scholarship Application

Research Advisory Council Rubric

Data	/Quarter:	
Date	Quarter.	

Student Name:

Advisor Name:

CATEGORY	Strongly Met (3 Points)	Met (2 Points)	Partially/ Somewhat Met (1 Points)	Not Met (0 Point)	SCORE
Intellectual Merit	Proposal demonstrates an excellent understanding of the key points of proposed project. Proposal provides significant detail including student's specific role, evidence from published literature and other sources, and discerning ideas. Bibliographic information is formatted correctly and consistently. If an on-going project, opportunities remain for the student to make significant contributions. The project is unique from any course or program requirements.	Proposal demonstrates a good understanding of most of the key points of proposed project. Proposal includes moderate detail, evidence from published literature, and discerning ideas. Bibliographic information is mostly formatted correctly and consistently. If an on-going project, some opportunities remain for the student to make significant contributions. Elements of the project are unique from any other course or program requirements.	Proposal demonstrates a fair understanding of the concepts and key points of the project topic. Proposal is lacking in detail and specificity and/or does not provide sufficient evidence from the literature. Bibliographic information is not formatted correctly and consistently. If an on-going project, few opportunities remain for the student to make significant contributions. Elements of the project are unique from any other course or program requirements.	Proposal does not demonstrate understanding of the concepts and key points of the project topic. Proposal is missing detail and specificity and does not provide sufficient evidence from the literature. Bibliographic information is not included or not formatted correctly and consistently. If an on-going project, the current status of the project may not allow for significant contributions by the student. The student has not identified the project as unique from any other course or program requirements.	

Project Design/ Feasibility	Proposal strongly displays a feasible project that is well-organized with obtainable goals. Research proposal: includes a clear research question, (and/or, if applicable) testable hypothesis, specific aims or objectives to be addressed and approach/methods. OR Innovation, Service, or Education-related proposal: includes a clear problem or question, specific aims or objectives to be addressed, and design process to specific planned deliverable(s) (final product). All necessary resources are available to the student.	Proposal displays a feasible project that is sufficiently organized with obtainable goals. Research proposal: includes a clear research question (and/or, if applicable) testable hypothesis, but specific aims or objectives to be addressed and approach/methods are somewhat unclear. OR Innovation, Service, or Education -related proposal: includes a clear problem or question, but specific aims or objectives to be addressed, or design process to specific planned deliverable(s) (final product) are somewhat unclear. All necessary resources are available to the student.	Proposal displays a partially feasible project that is lacking in its organization and/or articulation of feasible goals. Research proposal: includes a somewhat unclear question (and/or, if applicable) testable hypothesis is somewhat unclear, and/or specific aims/objectives or approach/methods are unclear. OR Innovation, Service, or Education -related proposal: includes a somewhat unclear problem or question; specific aims or objectives to be addressed, or design process to specific planned deliverable(s) (final product) are unclear. The student will need to seek necessary resources from external sources.	Proposal does not display a feasible project that is organized with obtainable goals. Research proposal: fails to identify a clear research question or testable hypothesis, and/or specific aims/objectives or approach/methods are not defined or described. OR Innovation, Service, or Education -related proposal: fails to identify a problem or question; specific aims or objectives to be addressed, or design process to specific planned deliverable(s) (final product) are not defined or described. The student will need to seek necessary resources from external sources.	
Beneficial to Student Development	Proposal could be strongly beneficial to the student's professional growth as evidenced by student and mentor statements. The project includes a clear plan for dissemination of results/findings on a clear and feasible timeline.	Proposal demonstrates good potential to the student's professional growth and development as evidenced by student and mentor statements. The project includes a clear plan for dissemination of results/findings.	Proposal could be partially beneficial to the student's professional growth and development as evidenced by student and mentor statements. The project mentions a plan for dissemination of results/findings but lacks specific details	Proposal will not be beneficial to the student's professional growth as evidenced by lack of coherent personal statement and mentor recommendation. The project lacks a plan for dissemination of results/findings.	
Parallel with Life University Mission and Student's Field of Study	Proposal is strongly parallel with the Life University Mission and has excellent potential to contribute to knowledge base of the profession.	Proposal is sufficiently parallel with the Life University Mission and has sufficient potential to contribute to the knowledge base of the profession.	Proposal is somewhat parallel with the Life University Mission and has nominal potential to contribute to the knowledge base of the profession.	Proposal is not parallel with the Life University Mission and has little to no potential to advance knowledge in the field.	

Advisory Council Member Name:	
Comments	0
Strengths:	
Weaknesses/Suggested Improvements:	
OVERALL VOTE (Yes , No, Abstain, or Conditional)	
Any application receiving a score of 9/12 (<70%) or less or deemed inconsistent with the mission of Life University WILL NOT be eligible for funding.	