FRI Proposal Scoring Rubric

Proposal Name:

Reviewer:

	0	1	2	3
Project Goals and Outcomes / Deliverables (which may include completed visual, performing or literary art works)	No stated goals or research question, unclear outcomes or deliverables	Vaguely stated goals or research question, somewhat unclear outcomes or deliverables	Clearly stated goals or research question, clear outcomes or deliverables	Outstanding goals statement or research question, clear, ambitious outcomes or deliverables
Significance, Value, Benefit of Project to Faculty Member, DSU and Discipline	No explanation of value, benefit or significance	Incomplete explanation of value, benefit, or significance OR no discussion relative to all three concerns	Strong explanation of value, benefit, significance for all three concerns	Outstanding explanation transformative value, benefit, significance for all three concerns
Feasibility / ability to deliver project goals within timeline and budget	No indication of timeline and budget	Vaguely stated timeline and/or budget; neither appropriate for scope of project; OR no linkages made	Clearly stated timeline and budget; or appropriate for scope of project	Crystal clear timeline and budget; clear linkage to scope of project; ambitious, yet feasible return on DSU investment
Expected findings and plan for dissemination. For the arts, this would include a description of artwork and an indication of where the work will be shown/published	No statement of expected findings; no dissemination plan	Vague or unclear statement on expected findings and/or dissemination plan; or plans not clearly linked to project	Clear statement of expected findings; dissemination plan goes beyond DSU research symposium	Outstanding statement on expected findings; dissemination plan goes beyond DSU symposium and includes peerreviewed or juried possibilities in high-profile venues.
Proposed scope of work is closely aligned to faculty's PDP	No relationship between PDP and proposed work	Detectable relationship between PDP and proposed work	Proposal falls well within stated objectives of candidates PDP	Proposed work clearly aligns with PDP and is part of a well-defined strand of current scholarship/art
Tenure-track assistant or associate professor in first two years of service to DSU	0—No	1—TT, but not in first two years of service	2—TT <i>and</i> in first two years of service	

Overall Score: Comments to researcher(s):