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**Kappa Omicron Nu Marjorie M. Brown Fellowship Program  
Evaluation Form for Dissertation and Starter Grant**

**Project Title** \_\_\_\_\_

**Reviewed by** \_\_\_\_\_

Criteria	Weighting Factor	Rating (1-5)	Weighted Rating
The abstract summarizes the application	10	_____	_____
The background of the study sets the stage for the research	5	_____	_____
The need for the study is comprehensive and persuasive	20	_____	_____
The objectives are critically significant to the field	10	_____	_____
The review of literature is comprehensive and relevant.	15	_____	_____
The theoretical framework and mode of inquiry are well grounded.	30	_____	_____
The plan of work is disciplined.	10	_____	_____
TOTAL			_____
Short Essay (100 words or less) – How are you prepared (courses, mentors, resources) for research on this topic?		<b>Rating (1-5)</b> <b>(5 = highest)</b>	_____

After completing the rating form, assign an overall rating according to the criteria listed below:

- 5--- An outstanding application; one that should be funded.
- 4--- Very good application; one that merits further discussion to make minor changes to meet the criteria.
- 3--- Good/Average application; one that merits further discussion to make major changes to meet the criteria.
- 2--- Fair/Poor application; has some merit but needs much development.
- 1--- An application that should not be funded.

Overall Rating \_\_\_\_\_