Rating Form

Score applications on the following 6 items using the 5 point scale.

1. To an outstanding degree
2. To a strong degree
3. Somewhat or mixed
4. To a limited degree
5. Unclear or not at all

Please note that each criterion has an assigned weight.

1. The research proposal is of high quality. (weight = 10)
2. The benefits of attending the specific conference in relation to the applicant’s research are clearly explained. (weight = 5)
3. The conference is a high quality conference and attendance at this conference will advance the applicant’s professional career. (weight = 5)
4. The publication record is appropriate for the applicant’s point in her career. (weight = 5)
5. The budget is realistic. (weight = 1)
6. Overall Recommendation: The application merits that travel funds are awarded. (weight = 10)

Total best average weighted score is 6. Total average worst weighted score is 30.