Applicant Rating Form

Instructions:

Thank you for taking the time to provide an evaluation for this applicant to the Schulich Postdoctoral Fellowship. Your assessment plays a crucial role in our selection process and helps ensure we recognize outstanding researchers who will contribute meaningfully to their fields.

We kindly ask that you complete this form and return it via email to research@schulich.uwo.ca, along with a letter of support (maximum two pages) that provides a detailed evaluation of the applicant's research abilities, accomplishments, and potential for future contributions.

Should you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact us at research@schulich.uwo.ca.

SECTION 1: POSTDOCTORAL FELLOW APPLICANT INFORMATION	
Full Name:	
SECTION 2: REFEREE INFORMATION	
Full Name:	
Email Address:	
Current Position:	
Institution:	
Department:	
Relationship to Candidate:	
How long have you known the candidate:	

SECTION 3: RATING FORM

CHARACTERISTICS	DESCRIPTION	Rarely Exhibits	Sometimes Exhibits	Often Exhibits	Always Exhibits	Unable to Judge
Critical Thinking	Judicious evaluation of all information, regardless of its source.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Independence	Pursuit of knowledge or taking of action on own initiative, seeking guidance only when appropriate.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Perseverance	Determined persistence in pursuit of goals despite obstacles or discouragement.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Originality	Imagination or ingenuity in problem solving.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Organizational Skills	Systematic, careful planning and coordination of activities.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Interest in Discovery	An inquiring mind and a strong desire to pursue new knowledge.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Communication Skills	Effective interpersonal and written communication in a work or study environment.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Research Ability	A natural talent or acquired proficiency for scientific investigation.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐
Leadership Ability	Potential for, or demonstrated, significant contribution to an area of research.	☐	☐	☐	☐	☐