

**FIU Fellowship Committee
PRESIDENTIAL RUBRIC**

Rubric for the Assessment of Performance

LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT							
	Indicators of Performance	1	2*	3	4**	5	Score
1	Academic Performance (highest GPA)	3.5 ≤ GPA ≤ 3.59	3.6 ≤ GPA ≤ 3.69	3.7 ≤ GPA ≤ 3.79	3.8 ≤ GPA ≤ 3.89	GPA ≥ 3.90	(x10)
2	Previous research experience (personal statement)	Good Performance No previous research experience and no publications		Very Good Performance Some previous research experience and one publication		Excellent Performance Considerable previous research experience and more than one publication	(x20)
3	Match between student's research interest and availability of faculty (GPD cover letter)	No clear match between student's research interest and availability of faculty in the department with relevant research		Reasonable match between student's research interest and availability of faculty in the department with relevant research		Very clear match between student's research interest and availability of faculty in the department with relevant research	(x20)
4	Letters of recommendation	One or more good letters of recommendation		One or more very good letters of recommendation		One or more outstanding letters of recommendation	(x20)
5	Overall Impression	Good		Very Good		Excellent	(x10)
Total							

*Exhibits most characteristics of '1' and some of '3'

**Exhibits most characteristics of '3' and some of '5'