

**The Ruth Crymes TESOL Fellowship for Graduate Study
Evaluation Rubric**

CRITERIA	RATING 1	RATING 2	RATING 3	RATING 4	RATING 5
Goals of Graduate Studies: Goals are clear and relevant to the ESOL education.	Not Applicable / Very Weak	Weak	Adequate	Strong	Very Strong
Qualification and Scholarship: Applicant's qualification to undertake and complete the project based on his/her experiences and scholarship relevant to the project.	Not Applicable / Very Weak	Weak	Adequate	Strong	Very Strong
Explanation of Financial Need: Applicant clearly describes (1) why the funding is necessary and (2) how the award would help finance the proposed graduate study project	Not Applicable / Very Weak	Weak	Adequate	Strong	Very Strong
Significance of the Project: Overall merit of the project and the value of the project's contributions to the field of TESOL/TEFL	Not Applicable / Very Weak	Weak	Adequate	Strong	Very Strong
Clarity of the Overall Description of the Project: How clearly and sufficiently the procedure (where/how) of the project is described?	Not Applicable / Very Weak	Weak	Adequate	Strong	Very Strong
Classroom Applicability: Can the described project be applied to ESOL language classroom instruction?	Not Applicable / Very Weak	Weak	Adequate	Strong	Very Strong
Supporting Letter	Not Applicable / Very Weak	Weak	Adequate	Strong	Very Strong