

TESOL Award for Excellence in Research
Evaluation Rubric

CRITERIA	RATING 1	RATING 2	RATING 3	RATING 4	RATING 5
The significance of the issue to the field of language learning and teaching in TESOL	Missing important aspects of requirements	Approaching requirements	Meeting almost all requirements	Meeting all requirements	Exceeding requirements
The awareness of relevant scholarship related to the issue or problem	Missing important aspects of requirements	Approaching requirements	Meeting almost all requirements	Meeting all requirements	Exceeding requirements
The clarity with which any theoretical considerations, research questions, or models related to the issue or problem are presented	Missing important aspects of requirements	Approaching requirements	Meeting almost all requirements	Meeting all requirements	Exceeding requirements
Evidence of appropriate research methods and analysis, regardless of methodological paradigm	Missing important aspects of requirements	Approaching requirements	Meeting almost all requirements	Meeting all requirements	Exceeding requirements
The clarity of the writing	Missing important aspects of requirements	Approaching requirements	Meeting almost all requirements	Meeting all requirements	Exceeding requirements