## **Open Educational Resources Research Grant Rubric**

	1 - Poor	< >	5 - Excellent	Your Score
Background & Rationale	Lacks clarity; missing or minimal references; weak connection to prior research.		Strong scholarly foundation with clear, concise integration of references and relevance to field.	
Goals & Significance	Objectives are unclear or absent; lacks discussion of significance.		Clearly defined, innovative goals with strong justification of impact.	
Research Questions & Hypothesis	Research questions or hypothesis are missing or unclear.		Strong, precise, and well- integrated research questions or hypothesis.	
Methodology & Approach	No clear methodology; lacks coherence or feasibility.		Methodology is robust, well- explained, and appropriate for research questions.	
Potential Challenges & Contingency Plans	No mention of challenges or plans for mitigation.		Comprehensive risk assessment with strong, proactive contingency plans.	
Timeline & Adjustments	Lacks a timeline or is overly vague; no mention of managing delays.		Detailed, realistic timeline with strong flexibility for adjustments.	
Student Involvement	***No mention of student participation = N/A		Strong student integration with clear, significant scholarly benefits.	
Collaboration & Future Work	No mention of collaboration or future work.		Strong, well-defined leadership roles and sustainable collaboration plan.	
Evaluation & Success Metrics	No success metrics provided.		Strong, measurable success criteria with appropriate academic benchmarks.	
Budget & Justification	Budget missing or lacks justification.		Well-structured, fully justified budget with strong rationale for expenditures.	

