

Application Scoring Rubric

Graduate Student Ambassador Program

Sponsored by the Trainee Advisory Committee and the American Physiological Society

Applicant's name: _____

Applicant's gender: **Male** **Female**

Is the applicant an underrepresented minority? **YES** **NO**

Applicant's institution and city/state: _____

Has applicant passed qualifying exams? **YES** **NO**

Expected month/year of graduation: _____

Is the applicant a current APS member in good standing? **YES** **NO**

Is the applicant an abstract author submitted to the APS annual meeting at EB? **YES** **NO**

Rate applicant on the following items from a score of 0 (lowest) to 10 (highest).

1. Is the applicant a prior APS award recipient? _____

**Rate on a subjective scale factoring in number and prestige of awards won*

2. Does the applicant demonstrate an aptitude for scientific outreach (e.g. social media, graduate student associations, scientific interest groups, community outreach)? _____

3. Has the applicant served as a mentor in some capacity? _____

4. Has the applicant demonstrated the ability to present to groups (e.g., previous oral presentations)? _____

Rate applicant on the following items from a score of 0 (lowest) to 15 (highest).

1. Clarity of goals and plans for their term as an ambassador: _____

2. Letter of support from the applicant's mentor: _____

3. Evidence of an active role in research (abstracts; posters; publications): _____

4. Ability to communicate their science to a non-scientist

5. Your overall assessment of the applicant's potential as a GSA: _____

Total points: _____/115