

Kappa Omicron Nu
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**Application For Kappa Omicron Nu Marjorie M. Brown Fellowship Program
For the Design and Implementation of a Graduate Course in Critical Science Research**

The application shall be limited to 10 pages, excluding supplementary materials (for readability, use type size not less than 11 pt. and normal spacing), and shall include the following:

- I. Abstract – 100 words or less
- II. Situational factors – include context of the teaching/learning situation, nature of the subject, projected characteristics of learners and prior knowledge, the special challenge, expectations of students/institution/society, fit in the curricular context
- III. Learning goals
- IV. Teaching/learning activities, focusing on active learning, reflection, writing, and research proposals
- V. Feedback and assessment procedures
- VI. Grading system
- VII. Evaluation of course and teaching effectiveness
- VIII. Supplementary materials – course syllabus, curriculum vitae, and references.

The application form and all supporting documents shall be filed electronically (Word or rtf format preferred) on or before January 15 to dmitstifer@kon.org. Recipients will be notified on or before March 15.

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Evaluation Form for Marjorie M. Brown Design of Graduate Course in Critical Science Research

Name _____

Reviewed by _____

Criteria	Weighting Factor	Rating (1-5)	Weighted Rating
The abstract summarizes the application	5	_____	_____
The situational factors give the context for the course	20	_____	_____
The learning goals are comprehensive	20	_____	_____
The teaching/learning activities are appropriate to achieve the goals and the requirements for focus on active learning, reflection, writing, and development of research proposals	20	_____	_____
The feedback and assessment procedures are comprehensive for enhancing and measuring learning	5	_____	_____
The grading system is clear and appropriate	5	_____	_____
The plan for evaluation of the course and teaching effectiveness	5	_____	_____
The course syllabus is comprehensive	20	_____	_____
TOTAL			_____

After completing the rating form, assign an overall rating according to the criteria listed below:

- 5--- An outstanding application; one that should be funded
- 4--- Very good application; one that merits further discussion to make minor changes to meet the criteria
- 3--- Good/Average application; one that merits further discussion to make major changes to meet the criteria
- 2--- Fair/Poor application; has some merit but needs much development
- 1--- An application that should not be funded.

Overall Rating _____