



Application Form for HQP Pooled Resources

Applicant Details

Applicant Name:

Position:

Institution:

Current size of research group:

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Position Details

Position Type:

Total Funds Requested:

Length of Position:

Name of candidate (if known):

Position Focus: Select the most appropriate McDonald Institute thematic area (Astrophysics, Cosmology, Dark Matter Physics, Detector Development, Low Background Techniques, Theoretical Physics, Underground Engineering)

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Free Form

1. Describe how you will actively engage diverse candidates who are representative of the four designated groups (Women, Visible Minorities, Indigenous People, Persons with Disabilities) and the steps you have taken to ensure an equitable and inclusive research environment:
2. Explain how the position fits within your research focus area and is necessary for your research group. Include details on the size and focus of your current group:
3. Explain how the position will affect the scientific progress of the McDonald Institute Research Areas:
4. Explain how the position will maintain connection with McDonald Institute researchers and research areas:
5. Describe how the proposed position is well aligned with the research goals of the McDonald Institute:
6. Describe the training/mentorship opportunities that will be made available to the position:
7. Summarize the impacts of the position locally (within the research group), nationally (across the McDonald Institute Network) and internationally (across the global community):

Review Matrix for HQP  
Pooled Resources

Reviewer Name:

Application Number:

Applicant Name:

Criteria	Score (0 – 5)	Weight	Notes
Equity, Diversity and Inclusion considerations include the applicant’s track record in creating an equitable environment, a plan to attract diverse candidates and any accommodations for potential incumbents.		1	
The position is needed to enhance the capability of the research group.		1	
Measure of scientific importance of proposed research.		1.5	
The candidate will be linked to the McDonald Institute community to share results and link their findings to the McDonald Institute.		.5	
The focus area of the position is relevant to the McDonald Institute and fills a gap in the available expertise.		1.5	
The position will offer unique training/mentorship opportunities for the candidate.		1	
The impact of the position will be felt within the research group, across the McDonald Institute Network, and/or globally.		1.5	
Total Weighted Score		/40	Average scores under ## will not meet the threshold of excellence

## Criteria

- 0 did not address the criteria
- 1 provided partial information, but it was minimal and the case being made was weak.
- 2 Provided adequate information, but the case being made was weak.
- 3 Provided partial information, but the case being made seems strong.
- 4 Provided adequate information and the case being made is strong
- 5 Provided adequate information and the case being made is excellent.

The budget requested is appropriate and aligns with current market values: (yes/no)