

DENNIS R. MERTZ BRIDGE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

Application Review and Rating Form

Project:	Weight	Rating	Score
Relevancy of Research: Is the research relevant to precast, prestressed concrete bridge design, fabrication, materials, or construction? Will the research contribute to the state-of-the-art or advance the usage?	5		
Potential Impact on Market: Is there potential for this research to improve current products or systems or provide thrust into new markets? Are there innovative features in the application?	4		
Research Capability: Is the faculty advisor experienced in precast, prestressed concrete research or the subject matter? Are there suitable facilities and equipment available? Has the graduate student been identified?	3		
Supplemental Support: Is there support from either a producer or the regional association? Is there support from the university or other funding agencies that contributes directly to the fellowship? (Support must be financial or tangible if rating is 3 or above. On analytical applications 3 or more support letters will count as support for ratings 3 or higher.)	4		
Overall Quality: Are the objective and scope clearly identified? Is there a research plan and a budget? Can the research plan be accomplished within the budget? Is the application well written?	4		
Total Score:			

Ratings:

Outstanding - 5 Very Good - 4 Good - 3 Fair - 2 Poor - 1 Not Provided - 0

Rank this application relative to the other applications (rank of 1 being best)	
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If the fellowship is part of a larger project being carried out for a sponsor other than PCI, that part must be clearly identified and the evaluation shall be made only with respect to the part that pertains to the fellowship.