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Only new applicants who are not renewals for the Harry Crossley bursary are required to forward **TWO assessment forms**, one to their supervisor/promoter and one assessment form to an academic closely involved with their most recent studies/research as soon as possible. The applicant must request his/her referees to forward the completed assessment forms to the Postgraduate Office (Krotoa Building, Room 3015 or e-mail [ramos@sun.ac.za](mailto:ramos@sun.ac.za) *It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that both completed assessment forms reach the Postgraduate Office before or on the closing date.*

## ASSESSMENT FORM FOR HARRY CROSSLEY BURSARY

This form must be submitted to the Postgraduate Office (**Mrs. Rhodene Amos** [ramos@sun.ac.za](mailto:ramos@sun.ac.za)) via email by the relevant referee by **30 September 2022**. We will in no circumstances accept a copy from the applicant. All information supplied will be treated as strictly confidential. Please complete and/or mark with an X where applicable. **Please ensure that 2 copies are completed, 1 by the supervisor and 1 by an academic closely involved with their most recent studies/ research.**

A. PARTICULARS OF STUDENT							
Student number							
Surname				Initials			
The abovementioned student is applying for a scholarship, under:	Social Sciences & Humanities		Natural Science and Engineering		Health Sciences		
B. PARTICULARS OF ACADEMIC REFEREE							
Surname				Initials		Title	
Department				Institution			
Telephone				Email address			
C. ACQUAINTANCE WITH APPLICANT							
I have known the applicant for a period of	number of years		AND	number of months			
I have known the applicant as (tick next to the appropriate option below)							
As an undergraduate student		As a postgraduate student		As a research assistant			
As a teaching assistant		Other (specify)					
I have served as the applicant's (tick next to the appropriate option below)							
Research advisor / supervisor		Teacher in several classes		Head of Department			
Main supervisor		Teacher in one class		Other (specify)			
1. APPLICANT'S SCHOLARLY CHARACTERISTICS							
Please rate the applicant in comparison with other students whom you have known in similar stages of their academic careers (Mark with X)							
	Truly Exceptional (Top 1%)	Outstanding (Top 5%)	Excellent (Top 10%)	Very good (Top 25%)	Satisfactory (Top 50%)	Below average (Lower 50%)	No basis for Judgement
Academic record of applicant							
Knowledge of chosen field							
Motivation and perseverance toward educational goals							
Ability to work independently							
Ability to work as a member of a research team							
Ability to plan and conduct research							
Presentation skills (verbal)							
Written expression							
Imagination and probable creativity							
Quality of research outputs achieved to date							
Potential of the applicant as researcher							

**2. APPLICANT'S OVERALL SCIENTIFIC ABILITY**

Please indicate the strength of your overall endorsement of this applicant for a Harry Crossley Scholarship. Mark with X.

Truly Exceptional (Top 1%)	Outstanding (Top 5%)	Excellent (Top 10%)	Very good (Top 25%)	Satisfactory (Top 50%)	Below average (Lower 50%)	No basis for Judgement

**3. APPLICANT'S STRENGTHS AND LIMITATIONS FOR POSTGRADUATE STUDY IN HIS/HER FIELD**

**Please comment specifically on the following points:**

- Descriptions of significant accomplishments
- Contributions and any qualities related to scholarly achievement
- Please elaborate your answers to section 1 and section 2
- Several paragraphs regarding this applicant's will be more helpful than a few sentences
- This information will play a critical role in the assessment of the applicant. Please comment as comprehensively as possible.

**4. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**