## **Rubrics for Wheeler Awards**

Scores	Connection to SLOs/program goal	significance/impact to the program/student learning	No. of students involved/being impacted by the project	clarity/readability	amount of work proposed	Justification of budget
1	Insufficient description of connection to any SLOs or program goal. Loosely connected to SLOs or program goal(s).	Insufficient explanation of significance of the project. Limited impact.	Small class or few students.	Unclear, too abstract. Readers have to reread the proposal to understand the overall rationale of the project. Cannot relate to readers in different fields.	Minimal amount of work. Timeline vague or not provided. Low expectation of gaining significant outcome. Insufficient promise of positive outcome.	Insufficient explanation of budget for each itemized expense. Insufficient plan to sustain the project or management of the equipment.
2	Connects directly to SLOs or program goal(s), but lacks explanation of assessment.	Indicates some changes to existing course/program or faculty skills, but no explanation of sustainability or ongoing impact.	Bigger class or many students.	Overall idea and objectives are understandable, but some details are unclear to readers in other fields.	Clearly states timeline. High possibility of completion. Positive outcomes expected.	Some questionable itemized expenses / some items need clarification. Indicates plan for sustainability of the program and/or future use and maintenance of the equipment, but some clarification needed.
3	Connects directly to SLOs and can distinguish levels/growth of learning. Clear explanation of assessment.	Significant course/program development. Sustainable, ongoing, extended impact.	Many sections of one class or all students in the program.	Clearly explains the basic principles. Completely understandable to readers in different fields.	Clearly states timeline. Solid commitment to completion. Positive outcomes expected.	Clear explanation of each itemized expense. Solid plan for sustainability of the program and/or future use and maintenance of the equipment.

Name of applicant	
Year of last support	Type of support