

## **Neilsen Foundation Allied Health Professional Research Award of ASIA**

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### **Scoring**

The project will be scored based on the following criteria:

#### **Overall Score: \_\_\_\_\_**

This score is the overall assessment of the proposal, not necessarily an average of the other criterion scores. This score considers the strengths and weaknesses of the proposal and how this work may contribute to the development of the individual as a clinical researcher. *The primary purpose of this award is for the applicant to be given an opportunity to participate in research and to obtain mentoring time.*

#### **Significance Score: \_\_\_\_\_**

Does the proposed work facilitate the development of the applicant as a clinical researcher? Is the level of this research appropriate for the applicant? What is the potential significance and impact of the work on the field of spinal cord injury?

#### **Approach Score: \_\_\_\_\_**

Is the application clearly written? Are the methods feasible? Do the methods adequately address the aim(s) and hypothesis(es) or research question(s)? Is the planned recruitment (if applicable) realistic and achievable?

#### **Qualifications of Applicant and Mentor and Environment Score: \_\_\_\_\_**

Do the applicant and mentor meet the qualifications for the award? Is the environment /institution appropriate to the applicant's research interests and able to support the proposed work? Is the mentor's level of involvement appropriate for the applicant/project and will it sufficiently expose the applicant to the field of research?

#### **Additional Considerations:**

Ethical/Safety Issues  
Facilities and Budget  
Other Issues