

Intellectual Merit Criterion

Overall Assessment of Intellectual Merit

Excellent

Explanation to Applicant

Perfect GPA and supporting documents. He got experience from the research project he joined and proposed a very detailed research plan for his graduate research.

Broader Impacts Criterion

Overall Assessment of Broader Impacts

Excellent

Explanation to Applicant

He joined many campus and community activities and also played important roles there.

Summary Comments

His school and research achievement demonstrated that he is a strong candidate for the fellowship award.

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The focus of the proposed research addresses an important and clearly identified problem and it does so in a promising manner. This young candidate's exceptionally rich background of experiences, including international work and perspective, combined with his top of the line academics merit excellent potential

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Explanation to Applicant

The candidate's understanding of and focus on an important way to address a critical societal problem evidences significant awareness that a scientist's work must benefit society. This awareness is further evidenced by the candidate's exemplary activity record which demonstrates that this awareness is not mere lip service

Summary Comments

Overall this candidate presents a remarkable combination of academic achievement, professional commitment, international perspective and talent being nurtured and advanced by high quality professors.

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Explanation to Applicant

The applicants academic record is outstanding. The applicant presents a thorough research plan.

Broader Impacts Criterion

Overall Assessment of Broader Impacts

Good

Explanation to Applicant

The applicant has been involved in numerous community outreach activities. Broader impacts are poorly covered in the research plan.

Summary Comments

While the applicant has an excellent background and a thorough research plan, broader impacts are poorly covered.