

Cynthia Weston Fellowship in Teaching and Learning in Higher Education

Referee's Report - 2026-2027

Applicant's name _____

Competition deadline: March 12, 2026

Please send this completed report (**Parts A and B**) directly to fundingapplications.gps@mcgill.ca with the subject line "Weston Fellowship" by March 12, 2026.

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PART A

I have known the applicant in my capacity as _____ since _____.

Please indicate your perception of the applicant on each dimension below by checking the box that best reflects your view of the candidate's performance.

	Always exhibits	Often exhibits	Sometimes exhibits	Rarely exhibits	Unable to judge
Critical thinking and judgment (evaluation of all information)					
Independence (pursuit of knowledge using own initiative)					
Originality (imagination or ingenuity in problem solving)					
Organizational skills (systematic, careful planning and coordination)					
Research ability (proficiency for scientific investigation)					
Academic excellence (knowledge of discipline; strong theoretical background)					
Communication skills (effective oral and written communication)					
Leadership and interpersonal skills					
Commitment to improving teaching and learning (on a personal and/or institutional level)					
Reflective thinking (ability to apply lessons learned to practice)					

PART B

On institutional letterhead, please provide an explanation and specific examples with respect to each characteristic in Part A. You may use up to two pages. When writing your comments, bear in mind that applications are reviewed by members of a multidisciplinary selection committee who may not be familiar with the applicant's or your field.

Signature

Date

Name of Referee

Telephone #

Email