

NARST PhD SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP EVALUATION RUBRIC

The international committee, according to the criteria in the following table, will review applications for the 2020 NARST international PhD School Scholarships. In addition to these criteria, the international committee will consider the application criteria for the 2020 ESERA Summer School (see Summer School website) and will confer with 2020 ESERA Summer School organizers to make the final decision when awarding each scholarship.

	EVALUATION CATEGORY	YES/NO	COMMENTS
1.	The applicant is a (full-time) doctoral student and student OR advisor is an active member of NARST (i.e., at least 2 years' of NARST membership).		
2.	The applicant is from a region/continent outside of the host institutions of the summer school (United Kingdom/Europe)		
3.	The applicant shows a strong interest in science education research globally (as evidenced by application materials)		
4.	The applicant has a clear goal for why it is important to attend the PhD school.		
5.	The applicant has a solid plan to disseminate his/her experience from participating in the PhD school.		
6.	The PhD school may significantly contribute to the student's dissertation research e.g. data analysis approaches, framing of results.		
7.	The applicant has a satisfactory level of the English (which will be the language used in the summer school). Language exam scores, publications or conference presentations in English, and assessment of English language proficiency by advisors in recommendation letters can all serve as evidence.		
8.	The applicant demonstrates that financial support is necessary to attend the PhD school (as evidenced by letter from advisor and described by applicant in budget request)		
9.	The applicant is in the middle stage of his or her doctoral research (i.e. has already collected data, and is still conducting analysis).		
10.	The applicant demonstrates ability to adapt to new environments (can be evidenced by research, participation in service, remarks by advisors/recommendation letters about adaptability)		
11.	Applicant included all required materials for application		