## JUDGES' EVALUATION SHEET

**Instructions:** Complete one of the below forms for each applicant. It's important for the review process that you use the full scale. Don't be afraid to give high marks in certain areas and low marks in others.

*TIP!* Before scoring, read *all* of the applications. This will give you a better sense of comparison for when to give a higher rating and when to give a lower rating.

## Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## **PART I: Basic Eligibility Requirements**

Please review these eligibility requirements—if any of them are not met, it immediately disqualifies the applicant.

- □ The applicant has dependents (dependents do not have to be the applicant's children).
- □ The applicant has primary financial responsibility for herself and her dependents.
- □ The applicant is entering or attending a high school equivalency, vocational, technical, or undergraduate degree program.
- □ The applicant has financial need.
- The applicant does not have and is not pursuing a graduate degree.
- □ The application is completed and signed, and includes at least one reference not related to the applicant.

## **PART II: Scoring**

Please rate the applicant based on your reading of the applicant's responses on her application and her references.

	Strongly Disagree 1	Slightly Disagree 2	Neither Agree nor Disagree 3	Slightly Agree 4	Strongly Agree 5
The applicant has clearly stated goals. Goals can be related to education, career, or family.					
The applicant is motivated to achieve her educational and career goals.					
The applicant demonstrates financial need.					
The applicant has faced hardships and shows resilience. Hardships can be economic and/or personal.					
The applicant serves as an inspiration and role model for her dependents.					
Reference(s) are supportive of the applicant.					
APPLICANT'S TOTAL SCORE:					