Review Criteria	Meets Requirements Optimally (3 points)	Meets Minimal Requirements (2 points)	Does not meet or Partially meets Requirements (0-1 point)
Relevance to Integrative Healthcare	Proposed project/scholarly activity is highly relevant to integrative health and the relevance is clearly articulated in the candidate's proposal.	Proposed project/scholarly activity is relevant to integrative health and the relevance is articulated in the candidate's proposal.	Proposed project/scholarly activity is not relevant or is minimally relevant to integrative health and/or the relevance is not articulated in the candidate's proposal.
Work Plan	Proposal includes a clear work plan that articulates steps to be taken and benchmarks to hit to achieve the goals of the proposal, including evidence that is well-justified and well-grounded in relevant literature and/or experience.	Proposal includes a work plan that articulates steps to be taken and benchmarks to hit to achieve the goals of the proposal.	Proposal lacks a work plan that articulates steps to be taken and benchmarks to hit to achieve the goals of the proposal.
Epistemologic al Innovation	Project or research design includes perspectives from at least 2 different disciplines across at least 2 Schools and includes a community connection external to Utica University. Project or research problem/question is embedded in a meaningful social context and is clearly articulated in the candidate's proposal. Roles and contributions of researchers are clearly delineated.	Project or research design includes perspectives from at least 2 different academic disciplines and includes a community connection external to Utica University. Project or research problem/question is embedded in a meaningful social context and is articulated in the candidate's proposal. Roles and contributions of researchers are delineated.	Project or research design includes different academic perspectives and includes a community connection external to Utica University. Project or research problem/question is embedded in a social context and is articulated in the candidate's proposal. Roles and contributions of researchers are vague or missing.
Pedagogical Innovation	Proposal includes a clear plan to integrate elements of the project/study (e.g., process, analysis, outcomes) into one or more classes at either the undergraduate or graduate level and articulates a strong plan to sustain the integration.	Proposal includes a plan to integrate elements of the project/study (e.g., process, analysis, outcomes) into class(es) at either the undergraduate or graduate level and articulates a plan to sustain the integration.	Proposal lacks a plan to integrate elements of the project/study (e.g., process, analysis, outcomes) into class(es) at either the undergraduate or graduate level and/or lacks a plan to sustain the integration.
Student Experience/ Research	Student experience related to the study/project is highly relevant and innovative; shows substantive experiential opportunity/research for students, and is clearly articulated in the candidate's proposal. Faculty member articulates a strong plan to assess student learning relative to the proposed experience to measure impact.	Student experience related to the study/project is relevant and innovative; shows potential for experiential opportunity/research for students, and is articulated in the candidate's proposal. Faculty member articulates a plan to assess student learning relative to the proposed experience to measure impact.	Student experience related to the study/project is moderately relevant and innovative and shows moderate potential for experiential opportunity/research for students, or the proposal lacks articulation of the student experience. Proposal lacks a plan to assess student learning relative to the proposed experience to measure impact.
Technological Innovation	Proposal includes a clear plan to utilize advancing and new technology to engage collaborative research and share findings. Some examples could include virtual or hybrid meetings, workshops, panel discussions, and presentations and/or electronically published or disseminated manuscripts or publications, use of social media for research or dissemination of findings, use of complex computer programs or automated data analytics in reasearch.	Proposal includes a plan to utilize existing technology minimally to engage collaborative research and share findings.	Proposal lacks a plan to utilize any technology to engage collaborative research and share findings.