



**English Language Proficiency Interview Form, completed by sponsoring UMB Department:**

*This form must be completed by a faculty or staff member who has taken the OIS training if the incoming Scholar is not providing TOEFL/IELTS scores, or is not exempt from the requirement (see page 5). If you are interested in taking the training, please contact the [OIS](#). You may attach the verbatim interviewee responses in Word.*

Scholar's Name (first and last):	Date of Interview:
Interviewer #1 Name (first and last):	Interviewer #2 Name (first and last) <i>optional</i> :
Interviewer #1 Affiliation with Sponsoring Department:	Interviewer #2 Affiliation with Sponsoring Department:
The Interview was conducted: <input type="checkbox"/> In person <input type="checkbox"/> By video/web camera	The Interview was conducted in English: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

**English Language Verification Questions:** Please record the proposed visitor's exact responses below.

- Describe how your past experiences, training, and language study have prepared you to operate in an English-speaking environment? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- What do you expect to learn about American culture and society during your time in the US at the University of Maryland Baltimore? \_\_\_\_\_  
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- What skills and knowledge do you expect to gain while at the University of Maryland Baltimore?  
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- Additional field related questions (optional). \_\_\_\_\_  
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By my signature below, I attest that I have participated in OIS training concerning the English language proficiency interview and that the prospective exchange visitor has sufficient English language ability to participate in his/her activities and to interact with individuals in various units of the university. Furthermore, they have sufficient English language ability to understand relevant federal regulations, University policies and trainings (e.g., laboratory safety training, research misconduct, immigration regulations, employment benefits, postdoctoral fellows policy, etc.).

Interviewer # 1 Title	Interviewer #1 Signature
Interviewer #2 Title <i>optional</i>	Interviewer #2 Signature <i>optional</i>