**Mentoring Plan Year 1**

*This mentoring plan should drafted by the Post-MFA Researcher in Creative Arts/Postdoctoral Researcher and then shared with their mentor. Both researcher and mentor must agree to the expectations set forth in this document.*

The goal here is to formalize the plan for the Post-MFA researcher in Creative Arts/Postdoctoral Researcher to develop the research and creative practices, and other necessary skills for a successful career.

Once completed, the agreement will be reviewed and updated annually. Mentor and researcher will assess how well they have followed the Mentoring Plan and suggest how it might be altered to attain new or different goals. Mentors are encouraged to identify other mentors both on and off campus.

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**Section 1: Identifying Information**

**Researcher Name:**

**Primary Mentor:**

**Other Mentors:**

**Creative practice/Research/Scholarship Focus Area(s):**

**Planned Date for Next Review/Revision of Template:**

**Section 2: Researcher** **Career Goals**

**I. Overall Career Goals:**

**Section 3: Research/Scholarship Skill Development**

**I. Creative/Research/Scholarly Project:**

Brief description of researcher’s planned project(s). These may include creative projects and/or community engagement based work: (200-500 words total; write for non-experts)

**II. Anticipated Presentations, Exhibitions, Performance (100-200 words total)**

Describe expectations about number of times each year, and dates, if known, the researcher will present at works-in-progress sessions or at conferences, exhibitions, performances etc. Mentor should plan to attend (if possible) to provide feedback.

**III. Anticipated Publications (100 word max)**

Describe expectations about manuscripts/articles/reports to be written during the first year of the funded period.

**IV. Teaching Goals (100 word max)**

**Section 4: Professional Development**

1. **Briefly describe other professional development that you would like the mentor to support you with.**

**Mentee**

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**Mentor**

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