

experiment sandbox



resource: ten simple rules for career dev awards

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ten simple rules
are a fantastic blend of
expert insight,
key evidence,
and contemporary scientific practice

rule 1

give yourself time



rule 2

check(list) for the grant criteria

STAR WARS		
1 Lord Darth Vader I	20 AT-AT	37 Boba Fett
2 Lightsaber battle	21 Luke + Yoda	38 Emperor's Royal Guard
3 Luke Skywalker I	22 Luke Skywalker IV	39 Stormtrooper III
4 Lando Calrissian I	23 Yoda, The Jedi Master	40 Princess Leia Organa
5 X-Wing Fighter	24 Bib Fortuna	41 Walkers attack
6 Han Solo+Chewbacca	25 Jabba The Hutt	42 Luke Skywalker VII
7 Lando Calrissian +L.D.V	26 Luke + Princess Leia	43 Probot
8 Darth Vader with sword	27 Salacious Crumb	44 Han Solo I
9 Stormtrooper I	28 Sy Snootles	45 Bridge
10 Stormtrooper II	29 Max Rebo	46 Princess Leia Organa II
11 R2-D2 I	30 Princess Leia + Jabba	47 Lord Darth Vader III
12 Luke Skywalker II	31 Rancor Beast	48 Lord Darth Vader IV
13 Lord Darth Vader II	32 Han Solo Relief	49 Attack
14 Luke Skywalker III	33 Luke Skywalker V	50 C-3PO and R2-D2
15 Chewbacca I	34 Gamorrean Guard	51 R2-D2 II
16 Millennium Falcon	35 Basis	52 Ben Kenobi I
17 2-1B	36 Luke Skywalker VI	53 Chewbacca II
18 R2-D2 II		54 Stormtrooper IV
19 AT-AT Imperial Walker		55 Han Solo II
		56 Han Solo III
		57 Admiral Ackbar I
		58 Wicket the Ewok
		59 Tusken Raider I
		60 Tusken Raider II
		61 Admiral Ackbar II
		62 Imperial Biker Scout
		63 Stormtrooper V
		64 Lord Darth Vader V
		65 AT-ST Imp. Scout Walker
		66 Luke Skywalker VIII
		67 Lord Darth Vader VI
		68 Luke Skywalker IX
		69 Jawa
		70 Ben Kenobi II

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referees are busy so make it easy
for them to find **key points**

rule 3

be different

mention at least one
independent scientific pursuit

rule 4

get feedback



importance, detail, readability, general audience

rule 5

research plan for gap-payoff

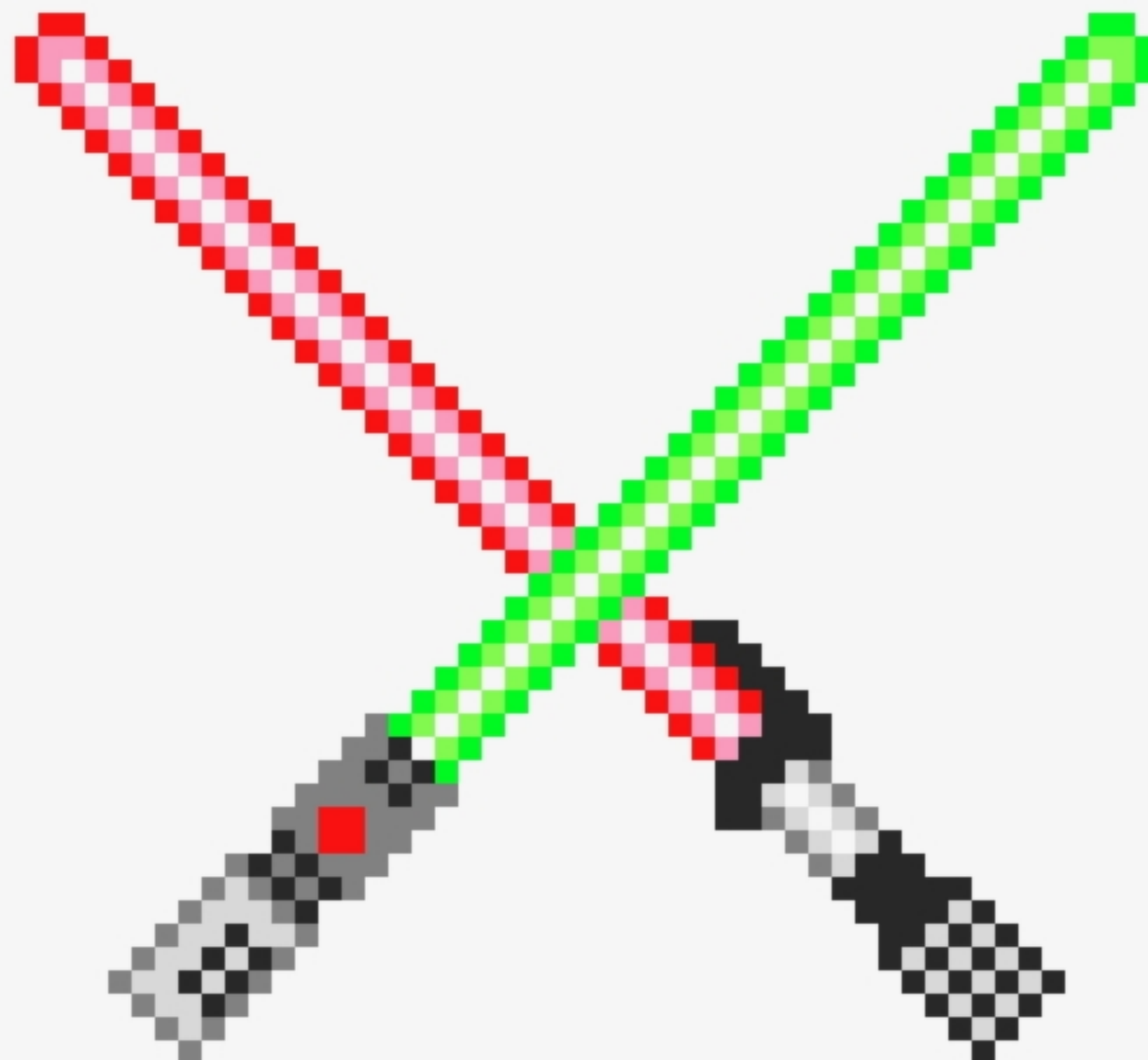


check subsections recommended
for grant app, use them

rule 6

write clearly

write too much, wait, then cut



rule 7

build a team

complements AND contrasts your strengths



rule 8

propose a plan

goals, skills, and timeline

rule 9

experience = potential

rule 10

tell a story

use the force

