List of questions
to be answered in the host’s statement

Please answer the following questions in the order given in the form of a one to two page statement (including letterhead and signature). It should be accompanied by the signed confirmation of support.

1. **Do you know the applicant personally, or do you have connections to his/her current institution or his/her current employer?**

2. **How do you rate her / his academic and/or professional career and performance?**
   Please consider the following points: dedication, mobility, future potential.

3. **How do you rate her / his leadership potential?** To what extent will she / he become a decision-maker, thought leader or influential voice in her / his respective field?

4. **What is your assessment of the applicant’s motivation based on the submitted letter of motivation?**

5. **How do you rate the project plan the applicant has submitted?**
   Please consider the following points: current relevance, originality, relevance to modern societies, clarity of focus, (methodological) quality, feasibility at the host institution, chances of success in the period envisaged for sponsorship.

6. **To what extent were you involved in drawing up her / his project plan?**

7. **Does the applicant have the language skills necessary to carry out the project successfully?**