**Criteria for Special Content Sessions**

All criteria are scored using 5-point standard Likert scale with standard wording, for the start of every question:

5 – Strongly Agree

4 – Agree

3 – Neutral / Neither agree nor disagree

2 – Disagree

1 – Strongly Disagree

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| 1. The proposal overall is clearly written and well-structured. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 2. The session as described is appropriate to present in the 90 minute time slot. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 3. The selected program format is appropriate for the content. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 4. The application clearly describes the logistical requirements of the session and provides a logistics contact. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 5. The program will appeal to the target audience and target learner level. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 6. The program description is interesting, inspiring, and/or important to conference attendees. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 7. The program description shows originality and innovation. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 8. The program is likely to attract a sufficient number of conference attendees. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 9. The proposal clearly addresses a relevant and timely idea, issue, or need. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 10. The overall outcomes of the program are specifically described. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 11. Attendees at MLA ’17 will benefit from the content of this program. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |