



# **Evaluation Criteria for nominating projects from UiB**

The criteria below will be used by an external expert panel to evaluate the short proposals and make recommendations for nominating projects from UiB to submit full proposals to Trond Mohn Stiftelse. These criteria are based on the TMS evaluation criteria found in the full call text.

Grade 1-7 for each (1 poor, 2 weak, 3 fair, 4 good, 5 very good, 6 excellent, 7 outstanding)

#### 1. SIGNIFICANCE (30%)

How well may the proposed research activities contribute to realization of the describes goals and the subject area? Is there an identifiable potential to make a difference (impact on knowledge)?

#### 2. INNOVATION, TRANSLATION: (10%)

Is there an identifiable potential to introduce new methods or tools, or new ways to utilize data or equipment or practices?

### **3. FEASIBILITY (20%)**

The extent to which the conceptual framework, design, methods and analyses are appropriate for the aims of the proposed research.

#### 4. COMPOSITION OF THE PROJECT TEAM (10%)

The quality of the project team as a whole (incl. complementarity / balance). Extent of uniqueness of national expertise at UiB in the proposal topic

#### 5. PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATOR(S) (10%)

The extent to which the Principal Investigator(s)' experience, track record, training, preliminary data/past progress contribute towards the success of the project.

## 6. VALUE ADDED BY THE PROJECT (20%)

How the proposed project may contribute to:

- Enhanced research competence and capability in the subject area at UiB
- Establishing new or strengthening connections between research groups at UiB
- A long-term positive impact on the research theme