

APPENDIX 3 – Evaluation sheet – Phase I

Criteria for evaluation - Phase I

1. (50%) The value of the project proposal

*The ground-breaking nature of the project proposal, the relevance and the potential impact
Scientific quality of the project, including its feasibility.*

2. (30%) Scientific profile of the Project leader

*The proven scientific capacity to propose and successfully lead relevant ground-breaking
research and with major scientific impact.*

3. (20%) Scientific profile of the team leader 1, 2...n¹

*The proven scientific capacity to propose and successfully lead relevant ground-breaking
research and with major scientific impact.*

The final score will be calculated as the sum of scores for each criterion multiplied with corresponding percentage and multiplied by 25 (final score maximum 100).

The rating scale:

1 or 1.5	Non-competitive	The project proposal does not address the criterion or it cannot be assessed due to the lack or incomplete information
2	Poor	The proposal broadly addresses the criterion, but there are serious weaknesses.
2.5	Good	The proposal addresses well the criterion, although improvements would be necessary.
3 or 3.5	Very Good	The project proposal addresses the criterion very well, although certain improvements are still possible.
4	Outstanding	The project proposal successfully addresses all the relevant aspects of the criterion. Any other shortcomings that might appear are minor.

Caption:

1. The score will be granted only after having written the comments (correct, complete and solid) in accordance with the significance of every score, as follows:
2. If granted scores of 2.5 or 3 or 3.5, there should be mentioned the necessary improvements.
3. If granted scores of 1 or 1,5 or 2, there should be described clearly the shortcomings and weaknesses.

¹ Each team leader will be evaluated with a score between 1 – 4 points, the final score on this criterion shall be the arithmetical average of the scores received. If one of the team leaders does not obtain minimum. 3 points on this criterion, the entire project will obtain a lower rating.