

THE UNIVERSITY RESEARCH COUNCIL
KWARA STATE UNIVERSITY, MALETE
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KWARA STATE, NIGERIA

Principal Investigator _____

Research Topic _____

PROPOSAL EVALUATION FACTORS

1. Scientific Impact (max. 40 points) Points Scored _____

- Is the objective clearly stated and focused?
- Is the approach feasible?
- Are state-of-the-art techniques introduced for data acquisition, analysis, modeling, etc?
- Does the proposal advance the field of research in terms of creativity, innovation, and/or techniques?
- How scientifically significant is the proposed work?

2. Research and Education (max. 15 points) Points Scored _____

- Does the proposal advance the education, mentoring and career paths of students, faculty, or technical *staff* involved?
- Is the involvement of students and junior academic faculty clearly documented in the proposal?

3. Growth Potential (max. 15 points) Points Scored _____

- Could the work expand to larger research opportunities?
- Is the work important enough to warrant future funding from the government or other funding agencies?

4. Qualifications of Investigators (max. 15 points) Points Scored _____

- Are the principal researchers adequately qualified in terms of education, research experience, project management, and mentoring?

5. Budget and Resources (max. 15 points) Points Scored _____

- Is the budget realistic and justified by the planned activities?
- Are existing or planned facilities adequate for the successful performance of the project?

Total Points Scored _____

Signature _____

Name _____

Date _____