

## BBSRC ASSESSMENT CRITERIA

### What do the panel need to say?

Your grant should be:

- High **international** standard
- Will answer important questions in the field
- Meets the **majority** of the criteria (below) to a **very high level**

### The Committees assess against the following seven criteria:

- Scientific excellence
- Strategic relevance
- Industrial and stakeholder relevance
- Economic and social impact
- Timeliness and promise
- Value for money
- Staff training potential of the project

### Where evidence for criteria is looked for

- Scientific excellence – **CfS**/track record, Workplan, proposal form (objectives, tech summary), **reviewers**
- Strategic relevance – Summaries (**Public** and impact), reviewers, CfS
- Industrial/stakeholder relevance – Summaries (Public and impact), **Pathways to impact**, Data management plan (sharing considerations), reviewers
- Timeliness and promise – **background** (CfS), **reviewers**
- Economic/social impact - Summaries (Public and impact), pathways to impact (are there appropriate actions?), reviewers
- Value for money – **Workplan**/CfS, **JoR**, proposal form (detail!), **power calculations**, reviewers
- Staff training potential – **pathways to impact**, (proposal form)