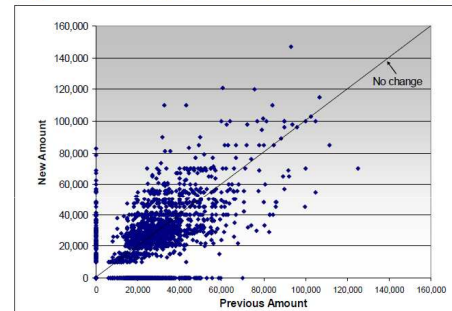


NSERC Discovery Grant Planning



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Change in Grant Level for All Established Researchers – 2011 Competition



2011 Poster
Faculty Affairs Committee

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You've been binned !

Applicants are rated under 3 criteria:

EoR = Excellence of researcher
MoP = Merit of Proposal
HQP = Training of HQP.

There is a 6 point rating scale:

Exceptional (6 points)
Outstanding (5)
Very Strong (4)
Strong (3)
Moderate (2)
Insufficient (1).

E.g., mathematics :

Typ. Ranking	EEE	EEO	EOO	OOO	OOV	OVV	VVV	SVV	SSV	SSS
Year 2010	52K	48K	44K	40K	35K	30K	24K	20K	15K	12K
Year 2011	52K	47K	41K	35K	26K	18K	15K	13K	11K	10K

[Nassif Ghoussoub blog, Apr 14, 2011]

2011 Discovery results, UBC CS

- 11 renewals
- \$ 46k → \$31k (mean CS renewal \$28.5k)
- net loss of \$169 k / year
- 2 increases (mean 11%)
- 9 decreases (mean -37%)
- NSERC Discovery Accelerators

A plan

- minimize your losses
 - start early
 - renewal info: templates, Bridson doc
 - internal grant review
- look elsewhere for \$\$
- brown bag topic, June 2

Draft timeline (14 applicants)

- June 23 names of 2 close and 2 not-so-close potential reviewers
- June 30 selection of 2 internal grant reviewers
- Aug 1 Notification of Intent due (Form 180)
- Sept 28 submission of first draft to internal grant reviewers
- Oct 5 comments back on first draft
- Oct 12 submission of second draft to internal grant reviewers
- Oct 19 comments back on second draft
- Oct 25 Application Due, CS
- Oct 27 Application Due, UBC ORS research services
- Nov 1 Application Due (NSERC final deadline)