The process of posting a research proposal that might be of interest to a certain industry

About The Research Idea
Research Idea is a new service published within Ejaad E-Platform where academia can post research proposals for viewing by relevant industries and for possibilities of funding opportunities.

Research Idea submission process consists of three main stages:

1. Pre-awarding: Posting of proposals by academia, and the selection by industry.
2. Awarding: Contractual agreement between the parties.
3. Post-awarding: Fund release, progress reports, review & feedback.

Research Proposals Criteria:

1. Applied research idea that seeks to solve a specific, practical problem of direct relevance to the industry.
2. Match well with Ejaad's focus areas including: Oil & Gas, Renewable Energy, Energy Efficiency, Water, Environment and any other related areas.
3. Preferably to focus on groundbreaking research topics and technologies.
4. Should have a clear industrial stakeholder.
5. Focus on mature research ideas of level 4 and above in the technology readiness level.
How To

**Academia: Submit Research Idea Proposal**

1. Access to [www.ejaad.om](http://www.ejaad.om), then click on Academia icon to Login. Select your organization and enter your institutional credentials.

2. To initiate research idea submission, click on “Add New Content” button on the right top corner of the screen, then click on Ejaad Research Ideas and select Research Ideas option.

3. Fill research idea template with all necessary information including the key information and budget.

4. Click on Submit and choose “For Review By Research Focal Point”.

Congratulations! Your idea has been submitted successfully.

**Industry: Select Research Idea Proposal**

1. Access to [www.ejaad.om](http://www.ejaad.om), then click on Industry button to Login by entering your credential.

2. To check posted research ideas, click on Ejaad Research Ideas on the left navigator. Select Research Ideas option, a page with a list of ideas will appear.

3. You can check more details and information about any research idea by clicking on Open icon under each title.

4. To Select an idea of your interest, click on Submit and choose “Selected and Under processing by Industry Focal Point (IFP)”

Congratulations! The idea has been selected successfully.

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**Researcher Dashboard**

**Industry Focal Point Dashboard**