

Project Summary

NIH

- First Component
 - Be succinct and accurate description of the proposed work.
 - State long-term objectives and specific aims.
 - Describe the research design, rationale, and techniques.
 - Write to be understood by a scientifically or technically literate reader.
 - Avoid describing past accomplishments.
 - Use the third person.
 - 30 line limit
- Second Component
 - Show Relevance in two or three sentences, using plain language.

NSF

- Summarize the proposed activity suitable for publication.
- State the intellectual merit of the proposed activity.
- State the broader impacts resulting from the proposed activity.
 - (Without the two above, NSF will reject the proposal without review.)
- Use the third person.
- Write to be understood by a scientifically or technically literate reader.
- One page limit