



Submission and identification of Research Project Proposals and the associated timescales

I. Submission of research proposals and ideas – the deadline for Research Project Proposals was the **22 February 2019**.

II. The Inaugural Meeting of the Research Panel, which took place on the **10 April 2019**, considered the projects proposed by scheme participants/stakeholders and by the CCS and BCS Technical Advisory Committee. The Panel determined which project proposals are realistic and these were shortlisted.

III. The CCS/BCS participants will be responsible for voting, via Survey Monkey, for the projects that they would like to see proceed to tender. The survey will last for four weeks; results will be available in early June.

IV. REAL will analyse the results of the survey in preparation for the second meeting of the Research Panel in June, at which research projects will be prioritised.

V. The tender process is likely to take place during July and August - contractors for the first projects will be appointed in September.