Project title

Zenith Project Proposal
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It is encouraged, but not mandatory, that this template is used when writing an application for Zenith funding. The application should be about 5 pages long, excluding the CV. The applying project leader should contact a member of the Zenith board in good time before the decision meeting, see http://zenith.lith.liu.se for dates and contact information for the Zenith board.

Background and industrial relevance

Describe the project background, industrial and/or societal motive of the research, and position the research topic in an international perspective.

Project description

The main description of the project, including any relevant preliminary results.

Visions, plans, and academic leadership

Describe the long-term vision of the project as well as more short-term plans (e.g., over three years) that will help you take steps toward your vision. Please note, as Zenith is a career development program, we would like you to describe plans for the envisioned research and connected research activities as well as the steps you need to take to become a research leader including your leadership development. This includes for instance independence with respect to your previous supervisor(s), ambition to form a research group, and your personal professional development in relation to this.

Research environment and industrial cooperation

Describe the research environment and the industrial/societal motivations for the project, including contact persons for collaborating partners. It is strongly encouraged to include letters of intent from collaborating partners, preferably including plans for cooperation.

Budget

Describe the project budget. It should be clear from the budget which researchers are funded by the project and which other sources are used to finance the project. A full Zenith grant is, preliminary, 600 000 SEK/year.

References

Appendices

A   Letter of intent 1

Letter of intent from partner 1.

B   Letter of intent 2

Letter of intent from partner 2.

C   CV