

## **UNIVERSITY RESEARCH INSTITUTES**

## **EVALUATION CRITERIA**

The evaluation criteria for Research Centres are specified in the Agreement of the Andalusian Universities' Council of December 20, 2005, establishing the formal and fundamental requisites for the purpose of issuing the required report in relation to projects of creation, modification and closing of University Research Institutes.

1. Proven ability to obtain external funding that enables self-financing

2. Justification of the social and scientific needs associated to its objectives, considering the interdisciplinary character or high scientific specialisation and taking into account the inadequacy of other university structures to achieve these objectives. Added value or the activities to be performed to the activity already being carried out by other institutions

3. Proven scientific quality of the staff that will be or is part of the Institute. CVs should be included for evaluation and/or the corresponding certificates of other evaluations.

4. The number of research and teaching staff of the university faculty should be at least 20, of which no less than 12 should be doctors with civil servant status and have at least two positive evaluations of their research activity