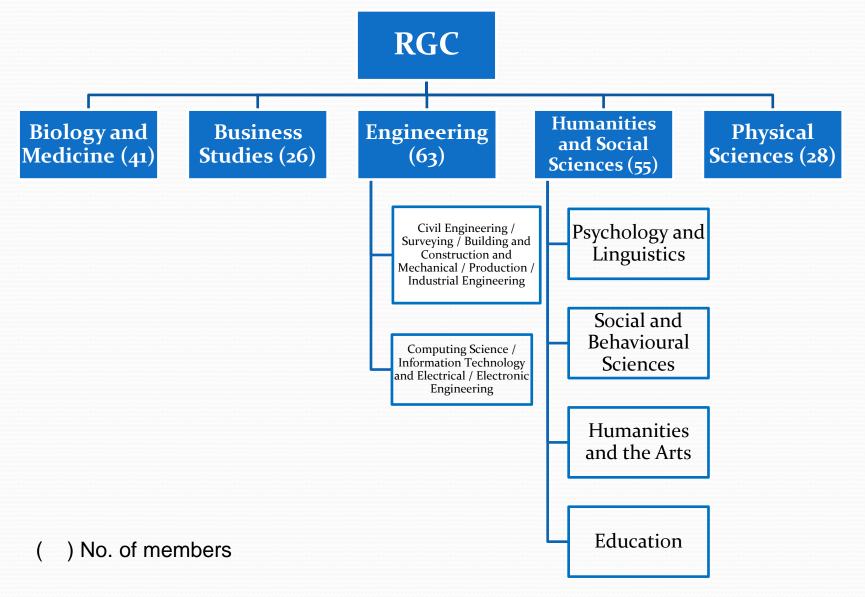
RGC Assessment Process

 Conforms to international standards of excellence

Expert peer review

Focus on academic merit and quality

GRF/ECS Subject Panels



Assessment via Peer Review Mechanism

1. Panel/Committee
Chairs assign proposals to
Panel/Committee
Members by subject
disciplines

2. Panel/Committee
Members nominate External
Reviewers for reviewing the
proposals

3. Taking into account
External Reviewers'
comments, Panel/Committee
Members give a preliminary
assessment to each proposal
according to assessment
criteria

6. RGC provides feedback to applicants for improvement

5. RGC considers
Panels/Committees'
recommendations and makes
final funding decision

4. Panels/Committees
conduct meetings to consider
ERs and Members' ratings
and comments on individual
proposals and make funding
recommendations to the RGC