- 1. What is the main goal of your work?
- 2. What are the tangible benefits?
- 3. What are the technical problems that make that goal difficult to achieve? (i.e., why hasn't this been done already?)
- 4. What are the main elements of your approach?
- 5. How does your approach handle the technical problems that have prevented progress in the past? (i.e., what makes you think you can do it when no one else could before?)
- 6. What are the unique, novel, and/or critical technologies developed in your approach?
- 7. What are the potential spin-offs or other applications of your work?
- 8. How can progress be measured? (i.e., how can anyone tell if/when you've succeeded?)
- 9. What have you accomplished thus far?
- 10. What is your schedule for the work remaining?