## 2. Significance as Challenging Research (Reason for applying for this research category)

This research category calls for a challenging research with the potential of radically transforming the existing research framework and/or changing the research direction.

Describe the following points within 1 page.

- 1. Applicant's research background and history leading to the conception of this research proposal based on applicant's hitherto research activities.
- 2. Based on the current research situation, what significance does this research concept have as a challenging research.