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### The International Evaluation of Basic Research in ICT

The result of this evaluation was published by RCN last week. Our department received the highest possible mark in two groups as well as a 4.5, a 4 and a 3.5. Nationally, within the universities and colleges, only 3 top marks were awarded. Overall, this result (avg. 4.4) is excellent and II is (with a solid margin) the best informatics department in Norway wrt. the evaluation criteria.

Congratulations to all scientific staff as well as to all supporting staff for an excellent result!

### Department Seminar Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> April at 14.15

This is organized by the VisGroup. The speaker will be Stefan Bruckner from Vienna University of Technology. More information will be given later, but please mark your calendar for this interesting seminar.

### Department Strategy Seminar at Panorama Hotel, Sotra, 19<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> April

More than 30 persons have now registered for this 2-days' strategy seminar at Sotra in April. We have still a few rooms left for faculty persons from the Department, so if you would like to join us, please do not hesitate to send an e-mail to [anne.lien@ii.uib.no](mailto:anne.lien@ii.uib.no)

## **Marie Curie-stipender for erfarne forskere**

Stipendene kan gis til forskere innenfor alle fagfelt, som har en doktorgrad eller mer enn fire års fulltids forskningserfaring, på alle steg av deres karriere inkludert postdoc. Støtten omfatter lønn, mobilitetskostnader, noe overhead- og "training"-utgifter. Varigheten av prosjektet, enten i et annet europeisk land eller i land utenfor Europa, kan være av fra 12 til 24 måneder.

[http://www.forskningsradet.no/no/Nyheter/Styrk\\_karrieren\\_sok\\_stipend\\_fra\\_EU/1253975207272?lang=no](http://www.forskningsradet.no/no/Nyheter/Styrk_karrieren_sok_stipend_fra_EU/1253975207272?lang=no)

## **Election of members to the University Board 2012 – group B (temporary academic staff)**

Election of member and substitute members to the University Board for the term 2012.08.01 – 2013.07.31; representing temporary academic staff (group B).

Deadline for candidate proposals: Tuesday **April 10**

Election dates: The election is held by electronic poll from **April 25 through May 2**.

See [announcement](#) for more information. Check whether you are registered to [vote](#). Further information is available from the secretariat, at the University Director's Office.

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## **The tenth Qualitative Camp PhD course in Bodø and Kabelvåg 4th-8th of June, 2012**

Bodø Graduate School of Business, University of Nordland, and Harstad University College take great pleasure in inviting you to this course, which is targeting both PhD students and faculty at universities and colleges seeking to improve their skills in qualitative research methods.

<http://www.hhb.no/index.php?ID=18375>

## **Norgesuniversitetet: Utlysning av midler til prosjekt innen IKT-støttet fleksibel høgre utdanning for 2013 – prekvalifisering**

Se veiledning på <http://norgesuniversitetet.no/utlysninger/utlysning2013>

Frist for å sende inn søknad til prekvalifisering er 15.mai 2012, men allerede innen 10.mai må informasjon om planlagte søknader med tittel og kort beskrivelse sendes [post@sevu.uib.no](mailto:post@sevu.uib.no)

Spørsmål kan rettes til Norgesuniversitetet ved kontorsjef Vigdis Amundsen:

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Praktiske spørsmål om bruk av e-søknadsskjemaet rettes til [kare.slettnes@norgesuniversitetet.no](mailto:kare.slettnes@norgesuniversitetet.no)

**THE DEPARTEMENT OF INFORMATICS WISH YOU ALL A NICE EASTER!**

