

PHD RESEARCH PROPOSAL SUBMISSION

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Component Section	Requirement Criteria	Completed
Abstract / Summary	300-500 words summarizing problem, methodology, and expected contribution.	
Introduction & Context	Clear definition of the research problem and theoretical background.	
Literature Review	Identification of gaps in current knowledge and primary relevant works.	
Research Questions	Specific, measurable, and original inquiry objectives.	
Methodology	Detailed approach to data collection, analysis, and ethical considerations.	
Timeline (Gantt)	Feasible schedule covering all phases over the 3-4 year duration.	

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Bibliography

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